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Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
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NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's
Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the
27th of May next.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of
March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Sir John Burgess Karlake, Knight,
was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of
Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council,
and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of
March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first
session of Parliament holden in the first
and second years of the reign of Her present
Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding
of benefices in plurality, and to make better
provision for the residence of the clergy," it is,
amongst other things, enacted, "That whenever
it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Pro-
vince, with respect to his own diocese, and
whenever it shall be represented to him by the
bishop of any diocese, or by the bishops of any
two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or
that one or more benefice or benefices, and one
or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories,
vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or
dioceses, being either in the same parish or con-
tiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate
population shall not exceed one thousand five
hundred persons, and the aggregate yearly value
shall not exceed five hundred pounds, may, with
advantage to the interests of religion, be united
into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the
Province shall inquire into the circumstances of
the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear
to him that such union may be usefully made,
and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that

"the patron or patrons of the said benefices,
"sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicar-
"ages respectively, is or are consenting thereto,
"such consent being signified in writing under the
"hands of such patron or patrons, the said Arch-
"bishop shall, six weeks before certifying such
"inquiry and consent to Her Majesty, as herein-
"after directed, cause, with respect to his own
"diocese, a statement in writing of the facts,
"and in other cases a copy in writing of the
"aforesaid representation, to be affixed on or near
"the principal outer door of the church, or in
"some public and conspicuous place in each of
"such benefices, sinecure rectories or vicarages,
"with notice to any person or persons interested,
"that he, she, or they, may, within such six
"weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or
"their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop,
"against such union; and if no sufficient cause
"be shown within such time, the said Archbishop
"shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid
"to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it
"shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to
"make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting
"such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories,
"vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with
"cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only;
"and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council
"to give directions for regulating the course and
"succession in which the patrons, if there be more
"than one patron, shall present or nominate to
"such united benefice, from time to time, as the
"same shall become vacant."

"And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canter-
"bury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act,
"hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty
"in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date
"the fifteenth day of February, in the year of our
"Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-
"six, in the words and figures following, that is to
"say:

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in
"Council.

We the undersigned Archibald Campbell
Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury
Primate of all England and Metropolitan do
hereby certify to your Majesty in Council.

"That the Right Reverend William Connor
Lord Bishop of Peterborough as Bishop of the
diocese within which are situate the vicarage of
Stanford, in the county of Northampton and the
vicarage of Swinford in the county of Leicester

having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed six hundred persons and the aggregate yearly value does not exceed four hundred pounds might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice we enquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such inquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that the Right Honourable Catherine Countess Beauchamp and the Honourable Maria Otway Cave both of Stamford Hall in the county of Northampton being the patrons or persons entitled to present to both the said benefices of Stamford and Swinford both being now vacant have signified their consent in writing to the union of the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That six weeks and upwards before certifying such inquiry and consent to your Majesty in Council we caused a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks show cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shown.

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Peterborough our inquiry into the circumstances of the case the statement of the circumstances in reply thereto the consent in writing of the patrons and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

"As witness our hand this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order, and doth hereby order, that the said vicarage of Stamford in the county of Northampton and the vicarage of Swinford in the county of Leicester and diocese of Peterborough shall be united into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the bishop of any diocese, or by the bishops of any

"two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, and the aggregate yearly value shall not exceed five hundred pounds, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such enquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty, as herein after directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts, and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation, to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories or vicarages, with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only; and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant."

And whereas by the Statute thirteen and fourteen Victoria, chapter ninety-eight, it is provided that the aforesaid recited provisions of the said recited Act should apply notwithstanding the yearly value of such rectories or vicarages should exceed five hundred pounds.

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following, that is to say:—

"To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"WE the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury Primate of all England and Metropolitan do hereby certify to your Majesty in Council.

"That the Right Reverend Frederick Lord Bishop of Exeter as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the rectory of Northlew in the county of Devon and the rectory of Ashbury in the same county having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed nine hundred and fifty persons might with advantage to the interests of religion be united

into one benefice we enquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such enquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli First Lord Commissioner of your Majesty's Treasury being the patron or person entitled on behalf of the Crown to present to the said benefice of Northlew if the same were now vacant and the Right Honourable Hugh McCalmont Baron Cairns Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain being the patron or person entitled on behalf of the Crown to present to the said benefice of Ashbury the same being now vacant have by writing under their hands bearing date the fifteenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five signified their consents to the union of the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That six weeks and upwards before certifying such inquiry and consents to your Majesty in Council we caused copies in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks shew cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shewn.

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Exeter our enquiry into the circumstances of the case the statement of circumstances in reply thereto and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the enquiry and consents aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only and for declaring that the patronage of such united benefices shall be exercised for ever by the First Lord Commissioner of your Majesty's Treasury on behalf of the Crown.

"As witness our hand this second day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased to order, and doth hereby order, that the said rectory of Northlew, in the county of Devon, and diocese of Exeter, and the rectory of Ashbury, in the same county and diocese, shall be united into one benefice for the cure of souls; and Her Majesty in Council is pleased to declare that the patronage of such united benefice shall be exercised for ever by the First Lord Commissioner of Her Majesty's Treasury on behalf of the Crown.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth

and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twentieth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following; that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Stanton in Peak, in the parish of Youlgreave, in the county of Derby, and in the diocese of Lichfield.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish of Youlgreave and of the new parish of Saint Catherine, Rowsley, in the said county of Derby, and in the said diocese of Lichfield which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such parish and new parish respectively.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said parish of Youlgreave and of the said new parish of Saint Catherine Rowsley should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of the Holy Trinity situate at Stanton in Peak as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend George Augustus Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield with the consent of the Most Noble William Duke of Devonshire the patron of the vicarage of the said parish of Youlgreave, and with the consent of the Most Noble Charles Cecil John Duke of Rutland the patron of the incumbency of the said new parish of Saint Catherine Rowsley (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish of Youlgreave, and of the said new parish of Saint Catherine, Rowsley, which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Stanton in Peak as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Stanton in Peak.'

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Stanton in Peak, being:—

"All those two contiguous portions of the parish of Youlgreave and of the new parish of

Saint Catherine Rowsley both in the county of Derby and in the diocese of Lichfield, which are comprised within and are co-extensive with the limits of those parts of the two townships of Stanton and Birchover which are together situate to the west of an imaginary line commencing at the point near Pilhough in the middle of the road leading from Bakewell past the eastern side of the village of Stanton Leys to Cowley Hall where the boundary which divides the township of Rowsley from the township of Stanton aforesaid diverges to the east from the said road and extending thence for a distance of one mile and a quarter or thereabouts first southward and then generally south-eastward along the middle of the same road to the boundary near Warren Car which divides the said new parish of Saint Catherine Rowsley from the new parish of South Darley in the county and diocese aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Lichfield.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the third day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following; that is to say,

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty chapter fifty-five have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint James situate within the limits of the parish of Brighton in the county of Sussex and in the diocese of Chichester.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint James situate within the limits of the parish of Brighton as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Richard Bishop of the said diocese of Chichester (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we the said Eccle-

siastical Commissioners humbly represent, that it would in our opinion be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Brighton which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part together with the boundaries thereof is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint James situate within the limits of such parish as aforesaid and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint James, Brighton.'

"And with the like consent of the said Richard Bishop of the said diocese of Chichester (testified as aforesaid) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further represent that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published and that marriages baptisms churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint James situate within the limits of the parish of Brighton as aforesaid and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always that so long as the Reverend John Hannah Doctor of Civil Law the present vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the said parish of Brighton shall continue to be such vicar or incumbent all the fees which may be received in respect of such publication solemnization or performance at the said church of Saint James situate within the limits of the parish of Brighton as aforesaid shall be paid over by the minister thereof to the said John Hannah and provided also that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration and to make such order with respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint James Brighton, being:

"All that part of the parish of Brighton in the county of Sussex and in the diocese of Chichester wherein the present incumbent of such parish now possesses the exclusive cure of souls which is bounded on the south by the sea and upon all other sides that is to say on the east on the north and on the west by an imaginary line commencing upon the southern boundary of the said parish of Brighton at a point upon the sea shore a little to the west of the Old Chain Pier and opposite to the middle of the southern end of Wentworth-street and extending thence that is from the said point northward and in a direct line across the Esplanade and across the Marine Parade to a point in the middle of the southern end of Wentworth-street aforesaid and continuing thence still northward along the middle of the last-named street and across St. James's-street and along the middle of Chapel-street to the boundary at the junction of the last-named street with Edward-street which boundary divides the said parish of Brighton from the District Chapelry of Saint John the Evangelist Brighton sometime part of the parish of Brighton aforesaid and extending thence first westward and then northward and then again westward along the said boundary thereby following the course of

Edward-street aforesaid of Saint John-street and of the street called or known as Carlton-hill to the point at the southern end of Nelson-street where the same boundary leaves Carlton-hill aforesaid and continuing thence westward from the said boundary along the middle of the last named street to its junction with the road called or known as Grand-parade and extending thence southward along the middle of the last named street or road and along the middle of the street or road called or known as Pavilion parade to the junction of the last named street or road with the roadway which leads past the eastern side of the enclosure called or known as the Old Steyne and past the eastern side of the Albion Hotel to the Grand Junction-road and continuing thence that is from the last described point of junction generally southward along the middle of the last described roadway to its southern end at its junction with the Grand Junction-road and continuing thence still southward and in a direct line passing midway between the Albion Hotel aforesaid and the entrance to the Brighton Aquarium to the southern boundary of the said parish of Brighton upon the sea shore as aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Chichester.

C. I. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-sixth and thirty-seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme; bearing date the tenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words and figures following, that is to say;

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England acting in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-sixth and thirty-seventh years of your Majesty chapter thirty-nine, have prepared and now humbly submit to your Majesty in Council the following scheme for the conversion of the Non Residuary Prebend of Cantlowes (otherwise Cantlers otherwise Kentish Town) in the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in the diocese of London into a Canonry and for accepting and assigning a certain endowment for the same.

"Whereas under and by virtue of the said Act and of the Acts therein mentioned, the Dean and Chapter of the said Cathedral Church of Saint Paul have laid before us a plan for effecting the objects hereinbefore mentioned, and the same plan bears the capitular seal of the said Dean and Chapter and also bears the episcopal seal and the signature of the Bishop of London.

"And whereas the said plan is in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"To the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England.

"In the Matter of the Act (3 and 4 Victoria cap. 113) intituled An Act to carry into effect with certain modifications the fourth Report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical Duties and Revenues and of the Act (36 and 37 Victoria cap. 39) the short title whereof is, the Cathedral Acts Amendment Act 1873.

"We the Very Reverend Richard William Church, M.A. Dean of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London and the Chapter of the same church with the sanction of the Right Honourable and Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of London the Visitor of the same church do in pursuance of the provisions in that behalf contained in the above mentioned Acts lay before you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners the following

"Plan.

"1. The Non-residuary Prebend of Cantlowes otherwise Cantlers otherwise Kentish Town in the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London shall henceforth be styled and shall for all the purposes of the "Cathedral Acts Amendment Act 1873" be converted into a Canonry of the same Cathedral Church.

"2. The Ecclesiastical Commissioners shall accept for the endowment of such Canonry the capital sum of £2,500 Stock of the Metropolitan Board of Works now held by the Dean and Chapter of the said church upon trust for the purposes of this plan and proposed to be transferred to the said Commissioners for the purposes of such endowment and any further endowment in money or land which may hereafter from time to time be provided for that purpose.

"3. The funds and estates for the time being constituting such endowment may be from time to time sold invested and reinvested as the said Commissioners shall in their discretion think fit and the said Commissioners shall with respect thereto have all such powers of investment or variation of investment as they shall for the time being be lawfully able to exercise with respect to their other funds and property or any part thereof. And the said Commissioners shall from time to time pay to the holder for the time being of the said canonry the annual income arising from the said endowment and the funds and property constituting or representing the same.

"4. The patronage of the said canonry shall belong to the Bishop of London for the time being.

"5. The following duties shall be assigned to the holder for the time being of the said canonry (that is to say) the duty of exercising the office of Inspector of religious knowledge in the primary schools in the diocese of London in connection with the Church of England according to such rules and regulations as the Bishop of London for the time being shall from time to time in that behalf make or ordain by a writing or writings under his hand and seal to be deposited in the Registry of the diocese of London. Provided that all such rules and regulations may be from time to time in like manner revoked or altered by the Bishop of London for the time being as he shall see fit.

"6. It shall also be the duty of the holder for the time being of the said canonry to reside within the limits of the diocese of London and not to absent himself from such diocese for any period exceeding the space of three calendar

months together or to be accounted at several times in any one year.

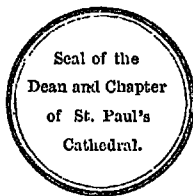
“ 7. The tenure of the said canony shall be dependent upon the due performance of the duties aforesaid by the holder for the time being of the same canony and in case at any time a complaint shall be made by any person to the Visitor of the said cathedral church to the effect that the holder for the time being of the said canony has failed or made default in the performance of such duties or any of them or has performed the same duties or any of them in an inadequate or improper manner or hath from sickness of body or mind or from any other cause become unable duly and properly to perform the same it shall be lawful for the said Visitor if he shall think fit to enquire into the truth of such complaint and in case the said Visitor upon such enquiry and upon hearing or giving an opportunity of being heard to the holder of such canony shall be satisfied of the truth of such complaint it shall be lawful for the said Visitor if he shall think fit by writing under his hand and seal to be deposited in the Registry of the said diocese to remove the holder for the time being of the said canony therefrom and the said canony shall thereupon become vacant.

“ 8. Nothing herein contained shall entitle the holder of the said canony to the rights dignities privileges or advantages of a canon residentiary of the said cathedral church but (except as hereinbefore expressly provided) the holder for the time being of the said canony shall enjoy all such rights dignities privileges and advantages and none other as would for the time being have been enjoyed by the Prebendary of the said Prebend of Cantlowes otherwise Cantlers otherwise Kentish Town in case this plan had never been carried into effect in manner provided by the statute in that behalf made.

“ In witness whereof we the said Dean and Chapter have caused our common seal to be hereunto affixed and I the said John, Lord Bishop of London have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-fourth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.



John London.



“ And whereas it has been made to appear to us to be expedient that the said plan should be carried into effect as in the said hereinbefore firstly mentioned Act is mentioned.

“ Now therefore we humbly recommend and propose that upon and as from the day on which any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme shall be published in the London Gazette the said plan shall be carried into effect and have full force and operation according to the tenor hereof.

“ And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the said Acts or with any other Act of Parliament.”

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her

Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of London.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the seventeenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following; that is to say:—

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Bishop's Sutton, in the parish of Chew Magna, in the county of Somerset, and in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

“ Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Bishop's Sutton as aforesaid.

“ Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Arthur Charles, Bishop of the said diocese of Bath and Wells (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those portions of the said parish of Chew Magna, which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Bishop's Sutton as aforesaid, and that the same should be named ‘The District Chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Bishop's Sutton.’

“ And with the like consent of the said Arthur Charles, Bishop of the said diocese of Bath and Wells (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization

or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us, the said Commissioners, to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such order with respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of the Holy Trinity Bishop's Sutton, being:—

"All those portions of the parish of Chew Magna in the county of Somerset and in the diocese of Bath and Wells containing by admeasurement one thousand nine hundred and one acres or thereabouts which said portions are comprised within and are co-extensive with the limits of the two tythings of Bishop's Sutton and of Knighton Sutton."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Bath and Wells.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words and figures following, that is to say;

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty chapter thirty-seven sections six and eight have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the Archdeaconry of Taunton and now vested in us.

"Whereas under 'The Ecclesiastical Commission Act 1868' and by virtue of an Order of your Majesty in Council made under the provisions of the same Act bearing date the eleventh day of November one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight and duly published in the London Gazette on the thirteenth day of the same month, all lands tithes and other hereditaments whatsoever then belonging to the said Archdeaconry of Taunton (excepting any right of ecclesiastical patronage)

became absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas a considerable portion of the lands tithes and hereditaments aforesaid consist of reversions expectant upon beneficial leases for lives and produce during the subsistence of such leases only a small annual revenue and on that account and partly on account of the character or situation of the property are unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

"And whereas by an Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty chapter one hundred and twenty-four power is given to lessees holding under us in the event of our declining to enter into a treaty for the sale of our reversions or the purchase of the leasehold interests to require us to purchase such leasehold interests at a valuation.

"And whereas with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the said lands tithes and hereditaments or of the proceeds thereof for the ultimate improvement of our common fund it is expedient that the said lands tithes and hereditaments, or such parts thereof as we shall at any time and from time to time think fit should be sold or disposed of, and accordingly that we should be empowered to dispose of our interest therein or in any part or parts thereof in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

"Now therefore we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law from time to time to sell or dispose of and duly to convey according to the provisions of the said Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign with the consent of the holder or holders thereof (if any) to be testified by his her or their being made parties to such instruments all or any of the said lands tithes and hereditaments heretofore belonging to the said Archdeaconry of Taunton and so vested in us as aforesaid with their appurtenances and all our estate right title and interest therein or in any part or parts thereof unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same and his her or their heirs executors administrators or assigns or otherwise as he she or they shall direct or appoint and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and inquiry appear to us to be just and reasonable it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sale from time to time as occasion may arise in the purchase of other lands tithes rent-charges tenements or hereditaments or of some estate or interest therein convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed as aforesaid and in the meantime to invest the said proceeds in some Government or Parliamentary Stock or other public securities in England.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette

pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Bath and Wells.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Paul situate within the limits of the township of Scotforth in the parish of Lancaster in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Paul situate within the limits of the township of Scotforth as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend James Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Lancaster which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Paul situate within the limits of the township of Scotforth as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Paul Scotforth.'

"And with the like consent of the said James Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials, should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty

will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order with respect thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Paul, Scotforth, being:

"All that part of the parish of Lancaster in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester which comprises the whole of the township of Scotforth and portions of certain other adjacent townships, all which said part of such parish is bounded on the west by the chapelry of Overton, on the south-west by the particular district or new parish of Christ Church Glasson Dock on the south by the new parish of Saint John, Ellel, on the east partly by the last named cure and partly by the new parish of Quermore, all in the county and diocese aforesaid and on the remaining side that is to say on the north partly by the last named new parish partly by the new parish of Christ Church Lancaster in the county and diocese aforesaid, and partly by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Christ Church Lancaster from the parish of Lancaster aforesaid at the point where the Garstang and Heron Syke trust road is joined by Ashton-road and extending thence generally southward for a distance of half a mile or thereabouts along the middle of the last named road (thereby passing to the east of the buildings called or known as Ripley's Hospital and crossing the line of the Lancaster and Preston Railway) to a point at Money Gates upon the boundary which divides the township of Lancaster within the said parish of Lancaster from the township of Scotforth aforesaid and extending thence generally south-westward for a distance of thirty-three and a-half chains or thereabouts along the said township boundary thereby crossing the Lancaster Canal, to a point in the middle of the towing-path on the western bank of the said canal and extending thence northward for a distance of eighteen chains or thereabouts along the middle of the said towing-path to the point opposite to the Lodge forming the eastern entrance to Aldcliffe Hall where the same towing-path joins Aldcliffe-lane and extending thence generally south-westward for a distance of nineteen and a-half chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named lane to its junction at Aldcliffe with Marsh-lane and extending thence westward for a distance of half-a-mile or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named lane to its western end on the eastern bank of the River Lune and continuing thence due westward and in a direct line for a distance of thirty-six chains or thereabouts to the boundary in the mid-channel of the same river, which divides the said parish of Lancaster from the chapelry of Overton aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Manchester.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty chapter thirty-seven sections six and eight, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the second day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following, that is to say;

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorising the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the Prebend of Colworth, in the Cathedral Church of Chichester, and now vested in us.

"Whereas on the vacancy of the said prebend which occurred on or about the twenty-fifth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-two by the collation of the Reverend William Forbes Raymond the then Prebendary to the Archdeaconry of Northumberland all the lands tenements and hereditaments then belonging to the said prebend (except rights of patronage) became by virtue of the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas the lands tenements and hereditaments which became so vested in us as aforesaid consist for the most part of reversions expectant upon beneficial leases and grants for lives and produce during the subsistence of such leases and grants only a small annual revenue, and on that account and partly on account of the character or situation of the property are unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

"And whereas by an Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-four, power is given to lessees holding under us, in the event of our declining to enter into a treaty for the sale of our reversions or the purchase of the leasehold interests to require us to purchase such leasehold interests at a valuation.

"And whereas with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the said lands, tenements and hereditaments or of the proceeds thereof for the ultimate improvement of our common fund it is expedient that the said lands, tenements, and hereditaments or such parts thereof, as we shall at any time, and from time to time think fit should be sold or disposed of and accordingly that we should be empowered to dispose of our interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

"Now therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell or dispose of, and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign with the consent of the holder or holders thereof (if any) to be testified by his, her, or their being made parties to such instruments all or any of the

said lands, tenements, and hereditaments so vested in us as aforesaid, with their appurtenances, and all our estate, right, title, and interest therein or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his, her, or their heirs executors, administrators or assigns, or otherwise as he, she, or they shall direct or appoint and for such consideration as shall, upon due calculation and inquiry, appear to us to be just and reasonable, it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sale, from time to time, as occasion may arise, in the purchase of other lands, tithes, rent-charges, tenements, or hereditaments or of some estate or interest therein convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed as aforesaid, and in the meantime to invest the said proceeds in some Government or Parliamentary Stock or other public securities in England.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Chichester.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Local Board of Health for the district of Paignton, in the county of Devon, have, under the provisions of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Burial Acts," presented a petition stating that the district of the said Local Board is co-extensive with the district for which it is proposed to provide a burial ground, that no Burial Board has been appointed for such district, and that an Order in Council has been made for closing, with certain exceptions, the burial ground attached to the parish church of Paignton, within the said district, and praying that the said Local Board may be appointed a Burial Board for the district of such Local Board:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such petition, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six:

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be published in the London Gazette, and in one of the newspapers usually circulating in the district of the Local Board

aforesaid, one month at least before the said fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Burial Acts," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the petition of the Local Board of Health of any district established under the Public Health Act, that the district of such Local Board of Health is co-extensive with a district for which it is proposed to provide a burial-ground, and that no Burial Board has been appointed for such district, and that an Order in Council has been made for closing all or any of the burial-grounds within the said district, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, in case Her Majesty see fit so to do, to order that such Local Board shall be a Burial Board for the District of such Local Board, and thereupon such Local Board shall be a Burial Board for such district accordingly, and the powers and provisions of the Acts therein-before-mentioned (except the provisions relating to the constitution or appointment and resignation of members of Burial Boards), and the provisions therein contained, shall extend to the district of such Board, and to such Board, and to any burial-ground and places for the reception of the bodies of the dead previously to interment which may be provided by such Board, in like manner as to any parish or parishes, and the Burial Board thereof, and any burial-ground, and any such places as aforesaid provided by such last-mentioned Board, save that no approval, sanction, or authorization of any vestry shall be requisite: Provided always, that notice of such petition, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and in one of the newspapers usually circulating in the district of such Local Board, one month, at least, before such petition is so considered:

And whereas the Local Board of Health for the District of Ilkley, in the county of York, have presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council, stating that the district of the said Local Board is co-extensive with the district for which it is proposed to provide a burial-ground, that no Burial Board has been appointed for such district, and that an Order in Council has been made for closing, with certain exceptions, the burial-ground within the said district, and praying that the said Local Board may be appointed a Burial Board for the district of such Local Board:

And whereas notice of such petition, and of the time when Her Majesty was pleased to order the same to be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, has been duly published as required by the Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Local Board of Health for the district of Ilkley, in the county of York, shall be a Burial Board for the district of

such Local Board, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act passed in the session of Parliament, held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has, under the provisions of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications, viz.:—

SADDLEWORTH.—Forthwith wholly in the Wesleyan Chapel burial ground, Upper Mill, in the parish of Saddleworth.

HEATON NORRIS.—Forthwith in Christ Church-yard, Heaton Norris, in the parish of Manchester, except so far as is compatible with the regulations for new burial-grounds, and that no grave or vault, previously buried in, be reopened unless to bury members of the families of those already buried therein, and forthwith in the churchyard of St. Thomas, Heaton Norris, except so far as is compatible with the regulations for new burial grounds: and that after the thirty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, no grave or vault be reopened, except to bury members of the families of those already buried therein.

WALLSEND, NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.—Forthwith wholly in the church of Wallsend, Newcastle-on-Tyne; and in the churchyard after the thirty-first of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented, and except also in earthen graves, to be used only for the burial of members of the families of those already buried therein, and which can be opened to the depth of four feet without exposing coffins or disturbing remains.

NEWTOWN, MONTGOMERYSHIRE.—Forthwith wholly in the parish church of Newtown, Montgomeryshire, and also in the old churchyard, except in now existing vaults and walled graves which are free from water, each coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented; and in the new churchyard, and in the Wesleyan Chapel burial-ground with the like exception, and except also in earthen graves, not less than five feet deep which are free from water and remains.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the fifth day of May next:

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette; and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before the said fifth day of May.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Tipton, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 552:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Bye-laws made by the School Board of Tipton under Section 74 of the said Act.

Preliminary.

In these Bye-laws:—

The term "Education Department" means "the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education."

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors," means "the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department."

The term "School Board District" means "the Parish of Tipton." The terms importing males in these Bye-laws include females.

The term "School Board" or "Board," means "the School Board of the District, comprising the parish of Tipton."

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School," means a "Public Elementary School as defined by the said Act, and includes a Free School, but not an Industrial School."

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and is residing within the parish.

Bye-Laws.

(1.) The parent of every child residing within the Tipton School District, shall cause such child, being not less than five nor more than thirteen years old, to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

The following shall be deemed such reasonable excuses:—

- (a.) Sickness or any unavoidable cause or some other cause which, in the opinion of the School Board, shall be deemed satisfactory.
- (b.) That such child is subject, for the time being, to the provisions of any statutes for regulating the education of children employed in labour.
- (c.) That such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (d.) That there is no other Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within one mile, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.
- (e.) That such child, having attained the age of ten years has reached the fifth standard of the New Code of February, 1871, and has obtained a certificate to that effect from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.
- (f.) Any such child, who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend more than one-half of the meetings of the school in any one week.

(2.) The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children, provided that nothing contained in the present Bye-laws shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or shall be of any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

(3.) Every parent who shall neglect, or not observe these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence; provided always that no person shall be liable to be convicted more than once in respect of acts of such negligence or non-observance occurring in one and the same week; and provided also that no proceedings shall be taken against any parent whose child has attended four-fifths of the meetings of the school, during the four weeks next preceding the week in which the report is made.

(4.) Whenever the parent of any child shall satisfy the School Board that he is unable from poverty to pay the school fees for such child, the School Board shall, for a renewable period, not exceeding six calendar months, remit the whole or such part of the fees in schools provided by the said Board.

(5.) The Bye-laws of the School Board bearing date the 29th day of January, 1872, and sanctioned by Her Majesty in Council on the 22nd day of April, 1872, are hereby wholly revoked, except as to any breach thereof already committed.

William Hipkins, Chairman.

Edward Richards, Clerk.



Dated this 21st day of December, 1875.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Stevington, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the second of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 553 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

' Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

Parish of Stevington.

BYE-LAWS OF THE STEVINGTON SCHOOL BOARD.

1. THE parent of every child of not less than five nor more than twelve years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Definition of Reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, namely:—

- (a.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend, within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

Proviso for Total or Partial Exemption if a Child has reached a Certain Standard.

2. That in case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and twelve years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 26th day of March, 1874, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any such child who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of Education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than twelve and a-half hours in any one week.

Determination of Times of Attendance at School.

3. The time during which every such child is required to attend school is the whole time for which the school selected shall be open as a day school for the instruction of children. But the Board may from time to time in any special

case, grant exemption from attendance for some definite portion of the school hours.

Section 74.

Provided always, that nothing contained in these Bye-laws shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

4. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect, or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding such sum as with the costs will amount to five shillings for each offence.

In witness whereof, we, the School Board for the parish of Stevington, have hereunto set our Common Seal this 2nd day of December, 1875.



Sealed in the presence of—

Edwd. Wilson Cook, Chairman.
Mark Sharman, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Margate, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the sixteenth of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 554 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

DLIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE
UNITED DISTRICT OF MARGATE, IN THE COUNTY
OF KENT.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the United District of Margate, in the county of Kent, duly convened and held at the Parochial Offices, Margate aforesaid, on the 16th day of December, 1875, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members is present, the said School Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject

to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

I.—In these Bye-laws—

Terms importing males shall include females.

The term "School" means either a Public Elementary School or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given.

The term "Public Elementary School" means a school or department of a school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education there given, and at which the ordinary payments in respect of instruction from each scholar do not exceed nine pence per week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

The term "Board," or "School Board," means the School Board for the United District of Margate.

Parents to cause Children to attend School.

II.—The parent of every child of not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen, and residing within the said United District, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

The following shall be reasonable excuses for the non-attendance of any child at school:—

- (1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2.) That the child has been prevented from attending by sickness or some other unavoidable cause.
- (3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child; the Board reserving to themselves the power of allowing children under nine years of age, when they reside more than a mile from any school, to absent themselves, upon a request, addressed to the Board by the parent, to that effect.

Time during which Children shall attend School.

III.—The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open as a day school for the instruction of children of a similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on Sundays, or on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.

Exemptions.

IV.—(1.) A child of not less than ten years of age who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he has reached the fifth standard of the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, shall be altogether exempt from the obligation to attend school.

(2.) A child of not less than ten years of age, who has obtained a like certificate that he has reached the third standard of the said Code, and who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be

exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school shall be open as aforesaid; but every such child shall attend school for at least ten hours in every week; and in computing the time for the purposes of this Bye-law, there shall not be included any time during which the child has attended either—

(a.) In excess of three hours at one time, or in excess of five hours in one day, or

(b.) On Sundays.

(3.) A child of not less than ten years of age who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the months of July, August, and September, upon producing to the Board a certificate, signed by the master or mistress of any Public Elementary School, that such child has completed 250 attendances since the 1st day of October last preceding the date thereof, and such exemption shall remain in force until the 1st day of October next following the date of the said certificate, and no longer.

Proviso as to Children employed in Labour.

V.—Provided always, that if and whenever the present Bye-laws shall be contrary to, inconsistent with, or more stringent than the regulations affecting any child subject thereto contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour, the said regulations shall prevail, and the said Bye-laws shall affect such child only to such extent as they are consistent with the said regulations.

Remission or Payment of School Fees in case of Poverty.

VI.—When the parent of any child residing in the district of the School Board satisfies the Board that he is unable from poverty to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit, and in the case of any other Public Elementary School will pay, the whole or such part of such fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid shall not exceed the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

VII.—Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any or either of them, shall be liable, upon summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into Operation.

VIII.—These Bye-laws shall come into operation and take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the United District of Margate, this 16th day of December, 1875.



Joseph Drew, Chairman.
G. Foord-Kelcey, Clerk to the
said Board.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Thakeham, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the fourth of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 555 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. I. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLV.

THAKEHAM SCHOOL BOARD.

BYE-LAWS.

KNOW all men by these presents that: At a Meeting of the School Board for Thakeham, on the 29th day of October, 1875, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than twelve years of age, residing within the District of the School Board, shall cause such child (unless there is some reasonable excuse) to attend school.

2. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children. Provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given. And that no child shall be required to attend school on Christmas Day or Good Friday, or on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.

3. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child being not less than ten years of age has reached a standard of education which would enable it to pass an examination in the fourth standard of education mentioned in the Code of Regulations of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school; and any such child who has been so certified to have reached a standard of education which would enable it to pass an examination in the third standard of education, mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school

either for more than five mornings or three whole days in any one week.

4. A child shall not be required to attend school in any of the following cases:—

(1st.) If such child is under efficient instructions in some other manner.

(2nd.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(3rd.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

5. Provided that whenever the present Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be contrary to, or inconsistent with, the regulations affecting any child subject thereto, contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour, the said regulations shall prevail, and the said Bye-laws shall affect such child only to such extent as they are consistent with the said regulations.

6. When the parent of any child satisfies the Board that he is unable, from poverty, to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the Board will remit, at schools provided by the Board, the whole or such part of the fees, as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months; provided that the Board do not hereby undertake to remit in any case more than two-pence per week per child.

7. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed one offence, and that no penalty imposed for any breach of these Bye-laws shall exceed such a sum as with the costs will amount to five shillings for each offence.

8. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.



G. C. Carew-Gibson, Chairman.

Geo. French Mant, Clerk.

4th February, 1876.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Beckenham, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the sixteenth of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 556 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy

Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Pecl.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLVI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Beckenham.

BYE-LAWS OF BECKENHAM SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Returning Officer of the parish of Beckenham, in the county of Kent, a School Board for the district of the said parish was duly elected on the 17th day of July, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said parish of Beckenham, duly convened and held at the Board Room of the Fire Brigade Station, in the said parish of Beckenham, on Thursday, the 16th day of December, 1875, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Preliminary.

Interpretation of Terms.

The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The terms importing males in these Bye-Laws include females.

The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the district comprising the parish of Beckenham.

The term "School District" or "District" means the parish of Beckenham.

The term "School" means either a Public Elementary School, or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given.

The term "Public Elementary School" means a school or department of a school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education given, and at which the ordinary payments in respect of instruction do not exceed nine pence a week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

BYE-LAWS.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

1. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing within the said district of the said Board, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

2. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which

the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

(a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs.

(b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart as a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock noon.

(c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein in respect of religious subjects.

Provided also, that any requirement herein contained shall not be held or construed to apply to any child employed in labour who is receiving instruction in conformity with the provisions of the Factory Acts or of the Workshop Regulation Act, 1867, or of any other Act or Acts that may be passed to regulate the employment and education of children engaged in labour.

Proviso for Total or Partial Exemption from Attendance if Child has reached Certain Standard.

3. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached a standard equivalent to the fifth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any such child who has been so certified to have reached a standard equivalent to the fourth standard of education mentioned in the said Code shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than ten hours in any one week, and in computing for the purpose of this section the time during which a child has attended any school there shall not be included any time during which such child has attended either.

(a.) In excess of three hours at any one time, or in excess of five hours in any one day; or

(b.) On Sundays.

Defining reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

4. A child shall not be required to attend school

(a.) If any such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

(b.) If such child is prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(c.) If when such child shall be under seven years of age there be no Public Elementary School within one mile and a half, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

(d.) If when the child shall be over seven years of age there be no Public Elementary School within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Penalty for breach of Bye-laws.

6. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding 5s., including costs, for each

offence, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed an offence.

7. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the School Board of the parish of Beckenham, this 16th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.



F. T. Barry, Chairman.

Robert Gordon Mullen, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Renwick, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the nineteenth of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 557:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLVII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE RENWICK SCHOOL BOARD,
IN THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

At a Meeting of the Renwick School Board, in the county of Cumberland, duly convened and held at the Board School, Renwick aforesaid, on Friday, the 19th day of November, 1875, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of Committee of Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. In these Bye-laws the term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for Renwick, in the county of Cumberland (with Kirkoswald contributory).

2. The parent of every child of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, residing in the District of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance. Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, viz.:—

(1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

(2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for instruction of children of similar age, except every Sunday, Christmas Day, and Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or during the time in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given at the school, or any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which the parent of such child belongs.

4. A child of not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he has reached a standard equivalent to the fifth standard of the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school.

5. Provided always, that if and whenever Bye-laws 3 and 4, or either of them, shall be contrary to or inconsistent with the regulations affecting any child subject thereto, contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour, the said regulations shall prevail, and the said Bye-laws shall affect such child only to such extent as they are consistent with such regulations.

6. Every parent who shall not observe or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

In witness whereof, we, the School Board for Renwick, have hereunto set our Common Seal this 19th of November, 1875.



J. Nicholson, Chairman.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 24th day of *March*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Dunsford, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the third of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 558.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLVIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE DUNSFORD SCHOOL BOARD.

AT a meeting of the School Board for the parish of Dunsford, in the county of Devon, held at the School-room, in the said parish, on the 3rd day of January, 1876, the said School Board, in pursuance of the powers of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I. The term "School Board," or "Board," means the School Board for the parish of Dunsford.

The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the said Act.

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

II. The parent of every child of not less than five, nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

III. The time during which every child shall attend school, shall be the whole time during which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; but no child shall be required

(a.) To attend school on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.

(b.) To attend any religious observance, instruction, inspection, or examination, in religious subjects from which such child may be withdrawn.

IV. If one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the Code of Regulations of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

V. A child shall not be required to attend school

(a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

(b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(c.) If there is no public Elementary School open, which such child can attend, within three miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

VI. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

VII. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

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VIII. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty in Council.

Sealed with the Corporate Seal of the School Board of the parish of Dunsford.



George Arden, Chairman, and
Hon. Clerk.

January 3rd, 1876.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of
March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Penmorfa United District, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the eighth of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 559.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLIX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS FOR THE PENMORFA UNITED SCHOOL
DISTRICT.

WHEREAS by the seventy-fourth section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, it is enacted that every School Board, may, from time to time, with the approval of the Education Department, make Bye-laws for certain purposes therein specified, which Bye-laws, after receiving the sanction of Her Majesty in Council, shall have effect as if they were enacted in the said Act, and proceedings to enforce any Bye-law so sanctioned may be taken in a summary manner.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board for the Penmorfa United School District duly holden on the eighth day of November, 1875, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the aforesaid powers, and subject to the aforesaid approval and sanction, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

1. The term "Education Department," means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors," means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board," or "Board" means the School Board for the Penmorfa United School District.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the said Act.

The term "Parent" includes Guardian and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother when the father is living, and is residing within the said School District.

Attendance.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, and not more than thirteen years of age, residing within the said School District, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be opened for the instruction of children of similar age.

Proviso.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age, has reached the standard equivalent to the fourth standard of education mentioned in the Government New Code of the year 1872, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

5. A child of not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school shall be open as aforesaid, but every such child is required to attend school for at least ten hours in every week, in which the school is open as aforesaid, and in computing for the purpose of this section, the time during which such child has attended any school, there shall not be included any time during which such child has attended either,

(a) In excess of three hours at any one time, or in excess of five hours on any one day; or

(b.) On Sundays; or

(c.) After six o'clock in the evening.

6. A child shall not be required to attend school,

(a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

(b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school from sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(c.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within the following distances, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

For a child from 5 to 7 years old $\frac{1}{2}$ -mile.

" " 7 to 8 " 1 "

" " 8 to 10 " 2 "

" " 10 to 13 " 3 "

7. Nothing in the present Bye-laws,

(1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.

(2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs; or,

(3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Remission of Fees.

8. Whenever the parent of any child shall satisfy the School Board that he or she is unable, through poverty, to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the School Board will, at schools provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding "six calendar months."

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

9. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings including costs, for each offence.

Date of Operation.

10. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the Penmorfa United School District, this 8th day of November, 1875.

Isaac Watkin, Chairman.

William Roberts, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Llangattock, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the nineteenth of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 560.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is herewith annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

PROPOSED BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANGATTOCK PARISH SCHOOL BOARD.

At a meeting of the School Board for the parish of Llangattock, duly convened and held at the Board Room, Beaufort Hill Board School, Beaufort, on Friday, May 19th, 1875, at which meeting a quorum of the members are present,

the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

CLAUSE FIRST.

Interpretation of Terms.

1. The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School within the meaning of the Education Act, 1870.

2. The term "Parent" includes Guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of, any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and is residing in the Llangattock School District.

CLAUSE SECOND.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child of not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the parish of Llangattock, shall cause such child to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be deemed a reasonable excuse:—

- 1st. That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- 2nd. That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- 3rd. That there is no Public Elementary School open, which such child can attend, within two miles, measuring according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

CLAUSE THIRD.

Proviso for Total or Partial Exemption from Attendance, if a Child has reached a certain Standard.

Any child of the age of ten years at least, who has been certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools as having reached the fourth standard of education, mentioned in the Code of Regulations of the Education Department for the time being, shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school; and any child of the like age, who has been in like manner certified as having reached the third standard of education of the same Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than one-half of the meetings of the school in any one week.

CLAUSE FOURTH.

Time of Attendance.

Subject, as aforesaid, the time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs; or
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

CLAUSE FIFTH.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

Every parent committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding, with costs, five shillings for each offence.

CLAUSE SIXTH.

These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Llangattock School Board, this 19th day of May, 1875.

J. R. Bailey, Chairman of the said Board.

Llew. P. Jones, Clerk of the said Board.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Llangwm, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-sixth of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 561.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration; is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

Parish of Llangwm.

BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANGWM SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the Guardians of the Corwen Union in the counties of Merioneth and Denbigh, a School Board for the District of the parish of Llangwm, in the said county of Denbigh, was duly elected on the 29th day of June, 1871. Now at a Meeting of the School Board of the said parish, held on the 26th day of July, 1875, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Acts of 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:

1. The term "Education Department" means The Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means The Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board" means The School Board for the parish of Llangwm.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Parent" includes Guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living and is residing within the said parish.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act of 1870 and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, and not more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the said parish, shall cause such child to attend school.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects given, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached a standard of education which would enable it to pass in the fourth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

5. A child shall not be required to attend school

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within the following distances, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child:

From 5 to 8 years of age	1 mile.
„ 8 to 10 ditto	2 miles.
„ 10 to 13 ditto	3 miles.

6. Whenever the parent of any child shall satisfy the School Board that he or she is unable, through poverty, to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the School Board will, at a school provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period to be fixed by the Board not exceeding "six calendar months," provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted shall not exceed the ordinary payments at the school, or the following scale:—

Under 8 years of age	1 penny.
Between 8 and 10 ditto	2 pence.
„ 10 and 13 ditto	3 pence.

7. Provided always, that if and whenever the present Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be contrary to or inconsistent with the regulations affecting any child subject thereto contained in any Act for regulating the education of children

employed in labour, the said regulations shall prevail, and the said Bye-laws shall affect such child only to such extent as they are consistent with the said Regulations.

8. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed one offence, and that no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-law shall exceed such a sum as, with the costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

9. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the parish of Llangwm, the 26th day of July, 1875.

Ebenezer Jones, Vice Chairman.

William Jones Ellis, Clerk to the Board.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Dronfield, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twentieth of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 562.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS, 1870 and 1873.

Township of Dronfield.

BYE-LAWS OF THE DRONFIELD SCHOOL BOARD, UNDER THE 74TH SECTION OF THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

Adopted at a Meeting of the School Board for the district of the parish of Dronfield, held at the Cross-lane Schools, in Dronfield, on Monday, the twentieth day of December, 1875.

Attendance.

I.—The parent of every child residing within the School District of the parish of Dronfield, and of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, shall cause such child to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there is some reasonable excuse. Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, viz:—

- 1.—That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

- 2.—That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- 3.—That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

Proviso.

Provided always, that any child between ten and thirteen years of age, who has been certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools to have reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass a public examination according to the fifth standard of the Code of Regulations of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any child of the like age who has been in like manner certified to have reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass a public examination according to the fourth standard of the same Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than one half of the meetings of the school in any one week.

Time of Attendance.

II.—Except as aforesaid the time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided,

- (a.) That nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) That no child be required to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (c.) That no child be required to attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after 12 o'clock at noon.
- (d.) That no child be required to attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school or the examination of the scholars therein in respect of religious subjects.

III.—Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

IV.—Every parent committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding, with the costs, five shillings for each offence.

Remission of and Payment of Fees.

V.—Where the parent of a child resident within the district of the School Board is, in the opinion of the School Board, unable, from poverty, to pay the whole or a part of the school fees for such child, the Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit, and in case of any other Public Elementary School will pay for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, the whole or such part of the fees as in their opinion the parent is unable to pay, provided that the amount hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid by the Board shall in no case exceed the scale of fees adopted, for the time being, in the schools of the Board.

Provided also that no such payment shall be made or refused on condition of the child attending any Public Elementary School other than such as may be selected by the parent.

VI.—All Bye-laws heretofore made by the School Board of Dronfield, under the powers given to them by sec. 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, are hereby wholly revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall have effect.

Interpretation of Terms.

7.—In these Bye laws the term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board for the School District of Dronfield.

The term "Dronfield School District" or "School District" means the School District to which the School Board belongs.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Parent" includes a Guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living with the mother, or residing within the Dronfield School District.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the township of Dronfield, this 20th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.



Henry May, Chairman.

Fredk. Thos. Hawkin, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Heworth, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-seventh of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 563 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE
PARISH OF HEWORTH.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department, a School Board

for the parish of Heworth was duly elected on the 9th day of September, 1875.

Now at a Meeting of the School Board for the parish of Heworth, held in the ante-room of the Royal Lecture Hall, Felling, on Monday the 27th day of December, 1875, and at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby in pursuance of the powers given to them by sec. 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws.

Interpretation of Terms.

In these Bye-laws

The term "Education Department" means "The Lords of the Committee of Privy Council on Education."

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means "The Inspector of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department."

The term "parish of Heworth" means "the district for which the said School Board of Heworth has been elected."

The term importing males in these Bye-laws includes females.

The term "School Board" or "Board" means "The School Board for the parish of Heworth."

The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means "Public Elementary School as defined by the said Act, and includes a Free School, but not an Industrial-School."

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and is residing within the parish of Heworth.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

I. The parent of every child residing within the parish of Heworth shall cause such child, being not less than five, nor more than thirteen years old, to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, viz. :—

1. That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
2. That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
3. That there is no Public Elementary School which the child can attend within a distance of one mile and a half, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.
4. That such child, having attained the age of ten years, has obtained a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass a public examination according to the third standard of the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate.

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

II. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend

school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs.

III. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

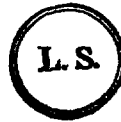
Providing for Remission of School Fees in case of Poverty.

IV. If any parent who has by the direction of the School Board been served with a notice requiring him or her to cause his or her child to attend school, satisfies the Board that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will, in the case of a school provided by the School Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted shall not exceed either the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent or the following scale :—

For a child under 7 years of age	... 2d. per week
" between 7 and 10 years	of age 2d. "
" between 10 and 13 years	of age 5d. "

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

V. Every parent who shall neglect or not observe these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.



W. W. Pattinson, Chairman.

George Bolam, Clerk.

Monday, December 27th, 1875.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Shavington-cam-Gresty appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the ninth of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 564.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SHAVINGTON-CUM-GRESTY SCHOOL
BOARD.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the township of Shavington-cum-Gresty, in the county of Chester, held at the Primitive Methodists' School Room, Shavington, on Thursday, the 8th day of July, 1875, at which Meeting, a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by "The Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873," and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws.

1. In these Bye-laws the term "School" means either a Public Elementary School or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given. The term "Public Elementary School" means a school or department of a school at which Elementary Education is the principal part of the education given, and at which the ordinary payments in respect of instruction do not exceed ninepence a week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Education Act, 1870.

The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for Shavington-cum-Gresty.

The term "Parent" includes Guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

2. The parent of every child residing in the district of the School Board, and not less than six years, nor more than thirteen years of age, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

3. The time during which every child is required to attend school, shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction for children, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects, and that no child shall be required

- (a) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a public fast or thanksgiving.
- (c) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the 4th standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, 1873, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

5. A child shall not be required to attend school,

- (a) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause.
- (c) If there is no Public Elementary School open, which such child can attend, within

two miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

6. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

7. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the School Board, satisfies the School Board that the reason his or her child does not attend school is, that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the School Fee of such child, the School Board will, in the case of a school provided by the Board, remit or in the case of any other Public Elementary School selected by the parent, pay the whole or such part of the School Fees, as in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay for a renewable period to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid, shall not exceed the ordinary fee payable at the school provided by the Board.

8. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws or any of them, shall upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs for each offence.

In witness whereof, we, the School Board for the township of Shavington-cum-Gresty, have hereunto set our Common Seal this 9th day of February, 1876.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board, for the township of Shavington-cum-Gresty.



Vernon K. Deardon, Chairman to the said Board.

H. Claud Lisle, Clerk to the said Board.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Alphington, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the eighteenth of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 565:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE ALPHINGTON SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the School Board for Alphington, holden at the house of Thomas Woodman,

Esq., the Chairman of the said Board, and within the parish of Alphington on the eighteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, the said Board, in pursuance of the powers given to them by "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," and subject to the approval of the Education Department, hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. The parent of every child not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing within the district of the said School Board, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

2. Except as hereinafter provided, the time which every such child is required to attend school is the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children, not being less than twenty-five hours a week, except on Sundays, and except also that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs.

3. (1)—A child not less than ten years of age who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he or she has reached a standard equivalent to the 4th Standard of the Government Code of 1871, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school.

(2.) A child not less than ten years of age who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school shall be opened as aforesaid, but every such child is required to attend school for at least ten hours in every week in which the school is opened as aforesaid, and in computing for the purpose of this section the time during which the child has attended any school there shall not be included any time during which such child has attended either.

(a) In excess of three hours at any one time or in excess of five hours on any one day, or

(b) On Sundays.

(3.) A child of not less than ten years of age who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school upon producing to the Board a certificate from the master of the school attended by such child that the child has completed one hundred attendances at such school since the first day of October or the first day of April, whichever day shall last have happened previous to the date of such certificate, and such exemption shall continue until the first day of April or the first day of October, whichever shall first follow the date of such certificate, and no longer.

4. In addition to the reasonable excuses for the non-attendance of a child at school mentioned in the Act, viz. :—

(1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

(2.) That the child has been prevented attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause. It shall be

(3.) A reasonable cause for his non-attendance that there is no public elementary school open which such child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

6. Every parent who shall not observe or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

7. If any parent whose child is or has been attending any school, or who has been required under these Bye-laws to cause his child to attend school, shall satisfy the Board that he is unable from poverty to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the Board will at schools provided by the Board remit the whole of the fees, or such part thereof as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for such renewable period, not exceeding six calendar months, as shall be from time to time fixed by the Board.

Thomas Woodman, Chairman.

W. Endacott, Clerk.

December 18th, 1875.



At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Towyn and Pennal, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the sixteenth of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, numbered 566.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is herewith annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXVI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

Parish of Towyn and Pennal.

BYE-LAWS, UNDER THE 74TH SECTION OF THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870, OF THE TOWYN AND PENNAL SCHOOL BOARD.

Whereas in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the Guardians, of the Union of Machynlleth, in the county of Montgomery, a School Board for the parishes of Towyn and Pennal, in the county of Merioneth, was duly elected on the first day of October, 1874.

Now, at a meeting of the said School Board, held at the Raven Inn, Aberdovey, on Tuesday, Nov. 16th, 1875, at which meeting a quorum of the members are present, the said Board do

hereby subject to the approval of the Education Department make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I.—The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the district comprising the parishes of Towyn and Pennal.

The term "parishes of Towyn and Pennal" means the whole of the parishes of Towyn and Pennal.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living and is residing within the parish.

II.—Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend school.

III.—The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required,—

1. To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
2. To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for public fast or thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.
3. To attend school on any day fixed for inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

IV.—In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the Code of Regulations of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school,—

V. A child shall not be required to attend school,—

- (a) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause.
- (c) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child between five and eight years of age can attend within two miles, and between eight and thirteen years of age within three miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

VI. Nothing in the present Bye-laws, shall have any force or effect, in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

VII. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, provided that all the breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed

one offence, and that no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-law shall exceed such a sum, as with the costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

VIII. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty's Order in Council.

James Webster, Chairman.
P.H. Hughes, Clerk.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the United District of Towyn and Pennal, this 16th day of Nov. 1875.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council;

WHEREAS the School Board of Crondall, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-second of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 567:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXVII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Crondall.

BYE-LAWS OF THE CRONDALL SCHOOL BOARD,
MADE JANUARY 22ND, 1876.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the Parish of Crondall, duly convened and held at the Board Room, Crondall, on Saturday, January 22nd, 1876, at which Meeting, all the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I.—In these Bye-laws—

Terms importing males shall include females.

The term "School" means either a Public Elementary School, or at any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given.

The term "Public Elementary School" means a school or a department of a school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education given, and at which the ordinary payments in respect of instruction do not exceed nine pence per week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for the parish of Crondall.

The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

II.—The parent of every child of not less than five nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the said parish, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance; any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, viz. :—

- (a.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) That the child is prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School which the child can attend within the distance of three miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of said child.

III.—Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870, 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the time during which a child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school is open for instruction.

IV.—Nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on any Public Holiday, or on any day of examination in religious subjects.
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for Regulating the Education of Children employed in Labour.

V.—Any child of not less than ten years of age, who has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools, that it has reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass the Fourth standard of the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, shall be wholly exempt from the obligation to attend school.

VI.—If the parent of any child, residing in the district of the School Board, satisfies the School Board that the reason his or her child does not attend school is, that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the School Fees of such child, the School Board will, at a school provided by the Board remit, or at any other Public Elementary School pay the whole or such part of the fees, as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

VII.—Every parent committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding with the costs, five shillings for each offence.

VIII.—These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the parish of Crondall, this 22nd day of January, 1876.

Geo. F. Birch, Chairman and
Clerk to the Board.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Stokesley, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the eighteenth of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 568:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXVIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE STOKESLEY SCHOOL BOARD.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "School" means either a public elementary school or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given.

The term "public elementary school" means a school or department of a school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education given, and at which the ordinary payments, in respect of instruction, do not exceed nine pence a-week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for Stokesley.

2. The parent of every child not less than five nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, namely—

- (a.) That such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) That such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no public elementary school open which the child can attend, within two miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

3. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the time during which every child is required to attend school, is the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs. Provided,

also, that no child shall be required to attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of public fast, or thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon, or to attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

4. (a.) A child not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of schools, a certificate that he or she has reached a standard equivalent to the Fifth standard of the code of the Education Department, in force at the date of such certificate, shall be altogether exempted from obligation to attend school.

(b.) A child not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school selected shall be opened as aforesaid, but every such child shall be required to attend school for at least twelve hours in every week in which the school is open as aforesaid; and in computing, for the purpose of this section, the time during which the child has attend any school, there shall not be included any time during which such child has attended, either—

(I.) In excess of three hours at any one time, or in excess of five hours in any one day, or

(II.) On Sundays.

(c.) A child of not less than ten years of age, who shows to the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school, upon producing to the Board a certificate from the master of the school which he has attended, testifying that such child has completed one hundred attendances at such school, since the first day of November or the first day of May whichever day shall last have happened previous to the date of such certificate—and such exemption shall continue until the first day of May or the first day of November, whichever shall first follow the date of such certificate, and no longer.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

6. Any person offending against any of these Bye-laws shall for every offence forfeit a penalty not exceeding five shillings (inclusive of costs), to be recovered in a summary manner, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed one offence.

7. If any parent whose child is or has been attending any school, or who is required under these Bye-laws to cause his child to attend school, shall satisfy the Board that he is unable from poverty to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the Board will, at schools provided by the Board, remit the whole of the fees, or such part thereof as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for such renewable period not exceeding six calendar months, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Board.

8. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

I. H. Handyside, Chairman.
Fred. H. Wilcox, Clerk.

18th of January, 1876.



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AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Thorley, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-sixth of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 569:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DLXIX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

THORLEY SCHOOL BOARD.

BYE-LAWS.

KNOW all men by these presents that at a Meeting of the School Board for Thorley, Herts, duly convened and held at the Rectory House in the parish of Thorley, Herts, on Friday, the 24th day of December, 1875, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I.—The parent or guardian of every child not less than five years of age nor more than thirteen years of age and residing within the parish of Thorley, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, namely:—

First.—That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

Secondly.—That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

Thirdly.—That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within one mile and a half measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

II.—The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, except every Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a public fast or thanksgiving, or, during the time in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given at the school, or any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which the parent of such child belongs.

III.—A child of not less than ten years of age who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he has reached a standard equivalent to the Fifth standard of the Government New Code of 1871, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school; and

IV.—A child of not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the Board, that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school shall be opened, but every such child shall be required to attend school for at least one hundred and fifty days in each year.

V.—Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for Regulating the Education of Children employed in Labour.

VI.—Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.



Fred. Vander Meulin, Chairman.

Fred. Vander Meulin, Honorary Clerk.

February 26th, 1876.

Privy Council Office, March 24, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council from certain inhabitant householders of the town and parish of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, praying under the Acts 5th and 6th William the Fourth, and 1st Vict., cap. 78, that a CHARTER OF INCORPORATION may be granted to that town; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on Tuesday, the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

Windsor Castle, March 24, 1876.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Edmund Hay Currie, Esq., Chairman of the Committee of the London Hospital.

Foreign Office, March 20, 1876.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir George Francis Bonham, Bart., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, March 27, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. R. Eichholtz as Consul of the German Empire for the district of the River Tyne from Newcastle to the mouth, and for the coast from St. Mary's Island to Souter Point, to reside at Newcastle.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Rhodes as Consul at Victoria, British Columbia, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

Westminster, March 27, 1876.

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

An Act to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the years ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

An Act for enabling a further sum to be raised for the purposes of Telegraph Acts, 1868 to 1870.

Whitehall, March 15, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edward Penton Thompson, of Fyfield House, in the parish of Fyfield, in the county of Southampton, and of Bolton-street in the parish of St. George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, only surviving son and heir of George Nesbitt Thompson, late of Penton Lodge, in the parish of Penton Mewsey, in the said county of Southampton, Esquire, deceased, by Catherine Maria, his wife, eldest sister of George Powney, of Milding, in the county of Suffolk, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may henceforth take and use the surname of Powney, in lieu of that of Thompson, and that he and they may bear the arms of Powney; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

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

Whitehall, March 16, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir George Elliott Meyrick Tapps-Gervis, of Bodorgan, in the county of Anglesey, Baronet, eldest and only surviving son and heir of Sir George William Tapps-Gervis, late of Hinton Admiral, in the county of Southampton, Baronet, by Clara, his wife, eldest daughter of Augustus Elliott Fuller, late of Ashdown House, in the county of Sussex, Esquire, and of Clara, his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir of Owen Putland Meyrick, late of Bodorgan aforesaid, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a condition contained in the last wills and testaments of his maternal great grandfather, the said Owen Putland Meyrick, and his maternal uncle, Owen John Augustus Fuller Meyrick, Esquire, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Meyrick, in addition to and after that of Tapps-Gervis, and that he and they may bear the arms of Meyrick quarterly with those of Tapps and Gervis; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise

the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

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

Whitehall, March 18, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Wallace James Arthur Hayhurst, of Ystymeolwyn, in the county of Montgomery, Gentleman, eldest surviving son and heir of Henry Hayhurst Hayhurst (formerly Henry Hayhurst France), late of Ystymeolwyn aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his father, the said Henry Hayhurst Hayhurst, take and henceforth use the surname of France, in lieu and instead of that of Hayhurst, and that he and they may bear and continue to use the arms of France; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

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

Admiralty, 24th March, 1876.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant-Paymaster Berners H. E. Drayson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 25th March, 1876.

The Reverend John Harcourt Berry, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of this date.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Naval Instructor Richard Andrews Fowler has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant.

Admiralty, 27th March, 1876.

In consequence of the death of Vice-Admiral the Honourable George Fowler Hastings, C.B., on the 21st instant, the following promotions, dated the 22nd instant, have this day been made :—

Rear-Admiral Arthur Cumming, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Arthur William Acland Hood, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the undermentioned promotions on the Retired List have also taken place from the same date :—

Rear-Admirals :

- Nicholas Lefebvre,
 - Sir William Edmonstone, Bart., C.B.,
 - Right Honourable Lord William Compton,
 - Henry Richard Foote,
 - George Augustus Bedford,
 - William Cheselden Browne,
 - James Newburgh Strange,
 - James Stoddart,
 - James Charles Prevost,
 - James Aymer Paynter,
- to be Vice-Admirals on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 27th March, 1876.

The following promotion has this day been made :—

Commander Compton Edward Domville to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
28th March, 1876.*

20th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Horn, K.C.B., from the 45th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Marcus Beresford, deceased. Dated 17th March, 1876.

45th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Henry Cooper, from the 79th Foot, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Horn, K.C.B., transferred to the Colonelcy of the 20th Foot. Dated 17th March, 1876.

79th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Alfred Hastings Horsford, G.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Henry Cooper, transferred to the Colonelcy of the 45th Foot. Dated 17th March, 1876.

Chaplains' Department.

Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend H. O. Wrench, M.A., retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st April, 1876.

War Office, 28th March, 1876.

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Bedford.

Henry Goulburn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Royal Brecon.

Captain Harry Rich Farquhar, 24th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th March, 1876.

Adjutant Harry Rich Farquhar to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 14th March, 1876.

Huntingdon.

Lieutenant Alexander David Fraser, from the Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

East Kent.

Lieutenant Arthur Robert Dering resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

West Kent.

Edmund Wyndham Grevis Bailey, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th March, 1876.

2nd Royal Lancashire.

John Michael Sweetman-Powell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Royal Lancashire Artillery.

Major Hill Charley Moore is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Overend George Rose, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Royal Pembroke Artillery.

Herbert Rhys Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

Shropshire.

Edward Pemberton Salusbury, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

The (King's Own) 2nd Stafford.

Sub-Lieutenant Algernon Francis Peyton, from the Oxford Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Royal Sussex.

Captain and Honorary Major William Bridger resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Yorkshire Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Marmaduke Jerard Grimston is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 29th March, 1876.

2nd West York.

Alfred George Goodenough Elton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1876.

4th West York.

John Philip Atchison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1876.

5th West York.

Sub-Lieutenant Joseph Henry Hoole resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

The Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.

Sub-Lieutenant William James Hope-Johnstone resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

The Highland Light Infantry.

Lieutenant Ronald Archibald, Lord Macdonald, resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

William George Stewart Menzies, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

Antrim.

Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Carlile Stratford Handcock, from the Galway Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Armagh.

Lieutenant John Blakeney De la Poer Beresford resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Clare.

Andrew Stacpoole Parkinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

John Westropp, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

Henry Benjamin Johnson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

Mid-Ulster Artillery.

Captain Richard Jackson Hezlet, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th March, 1876.

Adjutant Richard Jackson Hezlet to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 14th March, 1876.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Buckinghamshire.

Cyril Flower, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Alistair Macfarquhar James, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Denbighshire.

James Martin McCalmont, late Captain, 8th Hussars, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

Herts.

Frederick Fish Buckle Palmer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

Royal East Kent.

Lieutenant Francis Reid resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

2nd West York.

Thomas Henry Morris, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

VOLUNTEERS.

1st Argyllshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Peter Macintyre resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Bedfordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Frederick Thomas Young resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Buteshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain Alexander McLean resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

3rd Cambridgeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry Holcroft, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Administrative Brigade Cheshire Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Anthony Grey resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Administrative Brigade on his retirement. Dated 29th March, 1876.

4th Cheshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Arthur Francis Dempsey, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1875.

3rd Cornwall Artillery Volunteer Corps.

James Thomas, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

13th Dumbartonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain David Macgregor resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Dumfriesshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Sharpe to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Bristow Anderson to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) John Munn Gun to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 8th July, 1874.

3rd Dumfriesshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant William Kennedy to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Sub-Lieutenant James Brown to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

4th Dumfriesshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) Stephen Brown to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th May, 1874.

5th Fifeshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

James Hogarth, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

9th Fifeshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain Robert Todd resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

4th Glamorganshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Josiah Rees Jenkins resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Administrative Battalion Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Frederick Garrett, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Huntingdonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Robert Hutchinson resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

13th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Pink, Gent., to be Acting Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Lanarkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Thomas George Francis Palmer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

William Broadfoot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

James Girvan, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant William Morrison to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant John Dalglish to be Lieutenant. Dated 2nd December, 1874.

William Murgatroyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

25th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Frederick James Easton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

Andrew Gray Paterson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

George Crichton Paterson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

31st Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward McMillan resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

105th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Alexander Macdonald, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

6th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant George Herbert Bates to be Captain. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Martyn Gilton to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

8th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The date of the appointment of Sub-Lieutenant Grundy is 22nd March, 1876, and not 22nd March, 1867, as stated in the London Gazette of 21st March, 1876.

11th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The services of Lieutenant Roger William Hughes are dispensed with. Dated 29th March, 1876.

48th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Alty to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th December, 1873.

64th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edmund H. Gibbs, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

4th Leicestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Horace Walter Plant, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

8th Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain George Henry William Hervey resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur D. Hayter to bear the title of Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Major William Haywood to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Captain Sir Hector Maclean Hay, Bart., to be Major. Dated 29th March, 1876.

3rd London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry Titterton Brockwell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

2nd Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Charles William Collier Webb to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

39th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles William Scott, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

43rd Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Chaplain Reverend James Burrow resigns his appointment. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Newcastle-on-Tyne Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel McBean, Gent., late Assistant-Surgeon, Royal-Navy, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Hugh Gurney Barclay, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

William Popplewell Fulcher, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

4th Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Edward Adolphus Holmes to be Captain. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Thomas Edward Bond, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

14th Perthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Butler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Shropshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant George Richard Wace to be Captain. Dated 29th March, 1876.

7th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Finlay to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd July, 1873.

19th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant John Curzon Shaw to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1873.

5th Stirlingshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Blair resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

2nd Sussex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Warden Sergison, Esq., late Captain 4th Hussars, to be Captain, and to bear the title of Captain-Commandant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

1st Warwickshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Ernest Stanbury resigns his Commission. Dated 29th March, 1876.

Lieutenant William Henry Wright to be Captain. Dated 29th March, 1876.

9th Warwickshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sydney Mitchell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th March, 1876.

3rd North Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Robert Charles Hope, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

4th West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John Wilcock, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1876.

*Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office,
Princes-Street, Westminster, S.W.*

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1869.

THE Privy Council have appointed the following Gentlemen to be Inspectors for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act:—

John William Tottie Moore, M.R.C.V.S.

John Thomas McHugh, M.R.C.V.S.

Professor Thomas Walley, M.R.C.V.S.

James Collier Soulsby, M.R.C.V.S., has ceased to be an Inspector of the Privy Council for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMS.

March 27, 1876.

*Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office,
Princes-Street, Westminster, S.W.*

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1869.

THE Privy Council have appointed the following Gentlemen to be Travelling Inspectors for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act:—

Reginald Courtney, Esq., 4th August, 1874.

Arthur William Ricketts, Esq., 6th December, 1875.

Captain John Trenchard Tennant, 27th December, 1875.

Henry Arthur Sleeman, Esq., 17th December, 1875.

Major-General James Daubeny, C.B., 21st January, 1876.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMS.

March 27, 1876.

EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875 (38 Vic., c. 17).

WHEREAS by Section 68 of the above-named Act, it is provided as follows:—

“The Council of any Borough which is assessed to the county rate of any county by the Justices of such county, and the Commissioners of any Improvement District, may, by order of a Secretary of State made upon the application of such Council or Commissioners, and published in the London Gazette, be declared to be a Local Authority for the purposes of this Act; and thereupon shall become a Local Authority accordingly for such part of their borough or district as is not included in any harbour, to the exclusion of the Justices in Petty Sessions:”

And whereas an application has been made to me by the Council of the borough of Cardiff to be declared a Local Authority for the purposes of the said Act, in accordance with the provision aforesaid.

Now I, the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby, in virtue of the powers contained in the said section, declare the said Council of the borough of Cardiff to be a Local Authority for the purposes of the said Act.

Richard Assheton Cross.

Whitehall, March 24, 1876.

Llandudno.

Order for the Construction, Maintenance, and Regulation of a Pier, Landing Stage, and Works at Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a printed copy of the Provisional Order made by the Board of Trade for the erection of the above Pier and Landing Stage has been deposited with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Carnarvon, at his office, at Carnarvon.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1876.

Corser, Fowler, and Perks, 147, Leadenhall-street, London, Solicitors for the Promoters.

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 23rd March, 1876.

	Imports.		Exports.	
	Bales.		Bales.	
American	32,468		422	
Brazilian	5,215		...	
East Indian	20,001		6,728	
Egyptian	6,249		106	
Miscellaneous	1,077		480	
Total	65,010		7,736	

Dated March 24, 1876.

R. VALPY,
Statistical and Commercial Department,
Board of Trade.

RECEIPTS into and PAYMENTS out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1875, and the 25th March, 1876.

No. 24309.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Budget Estimate for 1875-6.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from		EXPENDITURE AND OTHER PAYMENTS.	Estimate for 1875-6.	Total Issues out of Exchequer to meet payments from	
		1st April, 1875, to 25th March, 1876.	1st April, 1874, to 27th March, 1875.			1st April, 1875, to 25th March, 1876.	1st April, 1874, to 27th March, 1875.
Balance on 1st April, 1875 :—	£	£	£				
Bank of England	—	4,662,261	5,908,870	Permanent Charge of Debt*	27,400,000	27,113,759	27,094,480
Bank of Ireland	—	1,603,061	1,533,984	Interest on Local and Temporary Loans*	70,000	43,750	—
		6,265,322	7,442,854	Other charges on Consolidated Fund*	1,590,000	1,557,090	1,583,510
				Supply Services†	46,837,000	44,350,377	43,329,022
REVENUE.				Estimate ...	£75,897,000		
Customs... ..	19,500,000	19,665,000	19,137,000				
Excise	27,740,000	27,324,000	27,209,000				
Stamps	10,600,000	10,779,000	10,469,000				
Land Tax and House Duty	2,450,000	2,446,000	2,400,000				
Property and Income Tax	3,900,000	3,996,000	4,290,000				
Post Office	5,750,000	5,900,000	5,670,000				
Telegraph Service	1,200,000	1,200,000	1,120,000				
Crown Lands	385,000	395,000	385,000				
Miscellaneous	4,100,000	3,968,658	3,749,499				
Revenue	£75,625,000	75,673,658	74,429,499				
Total including Balance ...		81,938,980	81,872,353				
OTHER RECEIPTS.							
Money raised for Purchase of Shares in the Suez Canal... ..		3,000,000	—				
Advances, under various Acts, repaid to the Exchequer		1,704,654	1,601,888				
Money raised for Fortifications and Military Barracks		250,000	600,000				
Money raised for Local Loans by Exchequer Bonds		1,500,000	1,000,000				
Totals		£88,393,634	85,074,241				
				OTHER PAYMENTS.			
				Purchase of Shares in the Suez Canal (in part)		3,000,000	—
				Advances, under various Acts, issued from the Exchequer		4,386,827	3,356,854
				Expenses of Fortifications and Military Barracks		250,000	600,000
				Exchequer Bills paid off		37,500	240,300
				Surplus Income applied to reduce Debt		331,867	755,185
						81,071,170	76,959,351
				Balances on 25th March, 1876:—			
				{ Bank of England		6,109,139	6,495,076
				{ Bank of Ireland...		1,213,325	1,619,814
				Totals		£88,393,634	85,074,241

Treasury, 23th March, 1876.

* As stated in the Budget.

† As granted by the Appropriation Act.

THE LONDON GAZETTE, MARCH 28, 1876.

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York, North Riding	2	1	3	5	5
" West "	3	2	5	1	4	5
Liberty of the Isle of Ely	2	...	2
The Metropolis	7	2	9	10	9	1
" (Port of London)	...	...	...	1	1	† 159	...	...	† 1	† 1	...	...	...	...	...
SCOTLAND.															
COUNTY.*															
Aberdeen	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	1	...	...
Edinburgh	...	...	3	3	6	1	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...
Elgin, or Moray	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fife	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Forfar	...	...	2	2	4	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...
Lanark	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Perth	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Renfrew	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...
Ross	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	3	2	5	...	...	...	...	...
Roxburgh	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	76	27	103	161	1	5	76	69	...	...	12	...	...

† These were Foreign Cattle, landed at the Port of London.

III. SHEEP-POX.

NIL.

IV. SHEEP-SCAB.

ENGLAND. COUNTY.*	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Sheep on infected Premises.		Sheep Attacked.		Diseased Sheep.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Slaughtered.	Removed.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Sheep Attacked.
Bedford	2	...	2	...	...	65	...	...	...	65	...	...	...
Berks	2	...	2	...	...	95	...	...	1	...	94	...	...
Buckingham	5	...	5	...	...	98	...	...	...	24	74	...	...
Chester	11	1	12	...	...	44	9	...	...	16	37	...	...
Cornwall	5	...	5	...	...	126	...	...	...	21	105	...	...
Cumberland... ..	11	2	13	...	...	24	7	...	...	20	11	...	...
Devon	43	1	44	...	...	638	23	...	6	107	548	1	20
Durham	24	...	25	...	...	346	51	...	12	40	345	...	...
Essex	3	...	3	...	...	501	...	...	...	10	491	...	...
Hereford	1	...	1	...	...	12	...	...	...	7	5	...	...
Hertford	1	...	1	...	...	185	...	...	1	...	184	...	...
Huntingdon... ..	2	...	2	...	...	91	...	...	...	45	46	...	...
Kent (ex. Metropolis)	6	...	6	...	...	281	...	5	...	15	261	...	...
Lancaster	9	...	9	...	...	40	...	...	...	21	19	...	...
Lincoln, Parts of Holland...	2	...	2	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	36	...	...
" " Kesteven	2	...	2	...	...	349	...	...	...	...	349	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis)	1	...	1	...	...	11	...	...	...	11	...	...	...
Monmouth	319	6	325	...	10	9,616	132	1	20	499	9,228	...	...
Norfolk	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Northampton (ex. Soke of Peterboro')	2	1	3	...	...	248	6	...	...	...	254	1	79
Northumberland	2	1	3	...	...	20	3	...	...	2	21	...	...
Oxford	1	...	1	...	...	127	...	...	...	...	127	...	...
Salop	24	3	27	...	...	315	9	...	10	38	276	1	2
Somerset	15	1	16	...	...	243	9	...	...	1	251	...	...
Stafford	1	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	8	...	...	...

Sussex	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	86	...	...	42	44	...	...
Warwick	...	...	...	...	7	...	7	...	...	117	...	2	59	56	...	...
Westmorland	...	...	...	...	2	2	4	...	...	5	7	...	...	12	...	...
Worcester	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	35	12	...	5	42	...	...
York, East Riding	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	9	...	...	...	9	...	...
" " (Port of Hull)...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	† 133	...	...	† 2	† 2	...	...	...	...
" North	...	...	...	...	4	3	7	...	...	133	140	...	...	273	...	...
" West	...	...	...	...	23	1	24	...	...	173	10	...	5	43	135	...
Liberty of the Isle of Ely...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	138	...	...	...	138	...	...
The Metropolis (Port of London)...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	† 140	...	...	† 5	† 5	...	...	...	...
WALES.																	
COUNTY.*																	
Brecon	...	...	...	...	4	1	5	...	...	72	1	...	...	73	...	...
Cardigan	...	...	...	...	19	1	20	...	...	118	1	...	25	94	4	38
Denbigh	...	...	...	...	102	17	119	...	...	832	176	8	93	907	...	...
Flint	...	...	...	...	7	...	7	...	...	63	...	...	6	57	...	...
Glamorgan	...	...	...	...	23	...	23	...	...	864	...	12	45	807	...	...
Merioneth	...	...	...	...	65	2	67	...	...	542	62	5	112	487	2	11
Montgomery	...	...	...	...	33	1	34	...	...	431	25	...	147	309	...	...
Radnor	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	50	...	...	25	25	...	...
SCOTLAND.																	
COUNTY.*																	
Dumfries	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Elgin, or Moray	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	10	...	...	6	4	...	...
Fife	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	26	4	...	...	4	...	...	...
Haddington	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	10	...	...	...	10	...	...
Perth	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	19	...	...	...	19	...	...
Roxburgh	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	30	...	...	...	30	...	...
TOTAL					801	48	849	273	36	17,262	691	13	82	1,564	16,294	9	150

† These were Foreign Sheep, landed at the Ports of Hull and London respectively.

V. GLANDERS.

	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Horses on infected Premises.		Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Slaughtered.	Removed.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Berks	1	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...
Buckingham	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Essex	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Hertford	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Kent (ex. Metropolis)	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis)	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Norfolk	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Surrey (ex. Metropolis)	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Sussex	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
Warwick	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis	2	6	8	...	...	2	6	8	...	...	...	1	1
WALES.													
COUNTY.*													
Denbigh	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
TOTAL	8	13	21	...	...	7	14	14	1	...	6	2	2

VI. FARCY.

	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Horses on infected Premises.		Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Slaughtered.	Removed.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Chester	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Essex ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Lancaster ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	1	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis)	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
York, West Riding ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis	3	2	5	...	...	2	3	4	...	...	1	...	...
TOTAL	6	5	11	...	...	5	8	8	...	...	5	...	...

* Counties include such Boroughs and Burghs as are locally situated within the limits of the Counties, or, if surrounded by two or more Counties, then they are included in the County with which they have the longest common boundary. Berwick-upon-Tweed is included in Northumberland.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office, 28th March, 1876.

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 18th day of March, 1876.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.	10314
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury ...	Cobb and Co.	21200
Baldock Bank and Baldock and } Biggleswade Bank	Biggleswade ...	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	15096
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple ...	Marshall and Co.	2895
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.	26866
Bioester and Oxfordshire Bank and } Oxford Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.	15393
Boston Bank	Boston ...	Garfit and Co.	46239
Bristol Bank	Bristol ...	Miles, Miles, and Co.	18443
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridg- } north and Broseley Bank ...	Broseley ...	Pritchard and Co.	12807
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.	19089
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury } Bank, and Stowmarket Bank ...	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.	34078
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	J. C. and A. Gillett	19685
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	Cobb and Son	18011
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	33006
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon ...	Wilkins and Co.	31162
Brighton Union Bank	Brighton ...	Hall and Co.	19866
Burlington and Driffild Bank ...	Burlington ...	Harding, Mortlock, and Co. Not received.	
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Huddleston and Co.	1950
Cambridge Bank	Cambridge ...	Mortlock and Co.	11114
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Messrs. Fosters	37640
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.	16898
Colchester Bank	Colchester ...	Round, Green and Co.	9960
Colchester and Essex Bank, and } Witham and Essex Bank, and } Hadleigh Suffolk Bank ...	Colchester ...	Mills and Co.	22931
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro ...	Tweedy and Co.	25180
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter ...	Milford and Co.	10707
Craven Bank	Settle ...	Birkbeck, Robinson, and Co.	75710
Derby Bank	Derby ...	W. and S. Evans and Co.	10113
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.	28824
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and } High Peak Bank	Derby ...	Crompton, Newton, and Co.	25470
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank	Devizes ...	Locke and Co.	4565
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank ...	Darlington ...	Backhouse and Co.	86321
Devonport Bank	Devonport ...	Hodge and Co.	4761
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- } shire Bank	Dorchester ...	Williams and Co.	32588
East Cornwall Bank	Liskeard ...	Robins, Foster, and Co.	74795
East Riding Bank	Beverley ...	Beckett and Co.	52714
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford } Bank	Chelmsford ...	Sparrow Tufnell, and Co.	33912
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co.	16184
Farnham Bank	Farnham ...	Knight and Sons	5237
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.	5184

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Godalming Bank	Godalming	Mellersh and Co. ... 5390
Guildford Bank	Guildford	Haydon and Co... Not received.
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co. ... 15100
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co. ... 19384
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon	Veasey and Co. ... 24468
Harwich Bank	Harwich	Cox, Cobbold, and Co. ... 3852
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank	Hitchin	Sharples and Co... 30047
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co. ... 15819
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Manningtree and Mistley Bank, and Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co. ... 44876
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Wigan, Mercers, and Co. ... 15820
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington	Davies and Co. ... 17166
Knarborough Old Bank and Ripon Old Bank	Knarborough	Harrison and Co. ... 20954
Kendal Bank	Kendal	Wakefield, Crewdson, & Co. ... 41999
Leeds Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co... 119093
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams Brown and Co. ... 87267
Leicester Bank	Leicester	T. and T. T. Paget ... 22888
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes	Molineux and Co. ... 21696
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co... 89180
Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, and Llandilo Bank	Llandovery	D. Jones and Co. ... 9834
Loughborough Bank	Loughborough	Middleton, Cradock, and Co. ... 6405
Lymington Bank	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co. ... 1669
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank	Lynn Regis	Gurneys and Co... 21415
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis	Jarvis and Co. ... 8069
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co. ... 9010
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co. ... 16113
Monmouth Old Bank	Monmouth	Bromage and Co. ... 2032
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell ... 8885
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co. ... 34583
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Sloccock, Bunny, and Co. ... 11120
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Hammond and Co. ... 13498
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks	Norwich	Gurneys, Birkbecks, & Co. ... 70785
Naval Bank, Plymouth	Plymouth	Harris, Bulteel, and Co. ... 19660
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Pinckney, Brothers ... 3775
Nottingham Bank	Nettingham	Samuel Smith and Co. ... 29823
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co. ... 6778
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons and Co. ... 29577
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank	Tonbridge	Beechings and Co. ... 11350
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Sons ... 4977
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank	Hull	Peases and Co. ... 46987
Penzance Bank	Penzance	Batten and Co. ... 6679
Reading Bank	Reading	Simonds and Co. ... 19740
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ... 23940
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co. ... 6680
Royston Bank	Royston	Fordham and Co. ... 7290
Rye Bank	Rye	Curteis, Pomfret, and Co. ... 6616

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden ...	Gibson, Take, and Co. ...	20519.
Salop Bank	Shrewsbury ...	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ...	4051.
Scarborough Old Bank	Scarborough ...	Woodall and Co. ...	23968.
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank	Shrewsbury ...	Rocke, Eyton, and Co. ...	23086.
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank ...	Sittingbourne ...	Vallance and Co. ...	1234
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton ...	Maddison, Atherley, and Co. ...	7360
Stamford and Rutland Bank ...	Stamford ...	Eaton, Cayley, and Co. ...	10730.
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank ...	Shrewsbury ...	Beck, Downward, and Co. ...	18162
Tavistock Bank	Tavistock ...	Gill, Morshead, and Co. ...	8307
Thornbury Bank	Thornbury ...	Harwood and Co. ...	6274.
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank ...	Tiverton ...	Dunsford and Co. ...	6200
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire	Thrapston ...	Eland and Eland ...	9398.
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank ...	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons ...	13001
Towcester Old Bank	Towcester ...	Whitworth and Co. ...	4654
Union Bank, Cornwall	Helston ...	Vivian and Co. ...	7982
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Hull, Smith, and Co. ...	5710.
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co. ...	3605.
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank ...	Warwick ...	Greenway and Co. ...	24559.
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Brothers, and Co. ...	2562.
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ...	42881
Whitby Old Bank	Whitby ...	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ...	13890.
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester ...	Bulpett and Co. ...	8656.
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester Bank	Weymouth ...	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ...	10735.
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Wisbech ...	Gurney and Co. ...	27967.
Wiveliscombe Bank	Wiveliscombe ...	W. Hancock ...	1560.
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	42200
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank }	Yarmouth ...	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co. ...	32662
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth ...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bt., & Co. ...	8372.
York Bank	York ...	Swann, Clough, and Co. ...	39484.

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Bank of Westmorland	Kendal ...	... ..	11005
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley ...	... ..	8958.
Bradford Banking Company	Bradford ...	... ..	48899.
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ...	... ..	29141
Bradford Commercial Banking Company ...	Bradford ...	... ..	19705
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Ashbourn Union Bank ...	Burton-upon-Trent ...	... ..	42783
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company ...	Chesterfield ...	... ..	9610
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited ...	Carlisle ...	... ..	33400
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company ...	Coventry ...	... ..	13228
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry ...	... ..	16125
County of Gloucester Banking Company ...	Cheltenham ...	... ..	89477

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	Carlisle	23432
Carlisle City and District Bank	Carlisle	19678
County of Stafford Bank, late Bilston District-Banking Company	Wolverhampton	8919
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	Derby	17750
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	Darlington	25574
Gloucestershire Banking Company	Gloucester	133600
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	Halifax	16982
Huddersfield Banking Company	Huddersfield	34416
Hull Banking Company	Hull	27646
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax	10018
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	Halifax	30706
Helston Banking Company	Helston	1483
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company	Knarborough	27515
Lancaster Banking Company	Lancaster	62175
Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester	63932
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company	Lincoln	50654
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company	Leamington Priors	9860
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	Ludlow	9181
Mobre and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham	34821
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	Nottingham	27765
North Wilts Banking Company	Melksham	38451
Northamptonshire Union Bank	Northampton	55885
Northamptonshire Banking Company	Northampton	16524
North and South Wales Bank	Liverpool	58840
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester	50117
Sheffield Banking Company	Sheffield	35798
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company	Stamford	45440
Sturkey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	Langport	309660
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	Stourbridge	47466
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company	Sheffield	23481
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company	Sheffield	51497
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	Richmond	51299
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	Wolverhampton	14017
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	Wakefield	13935
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	Whitehaven	27285
West of England and South Wales District Bank	Bristol	72528
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	Salisbury	75246
West Riding Union Banking Company	Huddersfield	33152
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	Whitchurch	3737
Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited	Worcester	616
York Union Banking Company	York	68969
York City and County Banking Company	York	91333
Yorkshire Banking Company	Leeds	116830

W. H. COUSINS Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, March 25, 1876.

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 25th March, 1876.

					QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	41,445	6	43	4				
Barley	30,678	5	33	1				
Oats	3,204	7	25	5				

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1872 to 1875.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1872	29,931	2	22,301	0	3,559	5	54	2	37	0	22	1
1873	51,311	1	22,059	2	4,436	7	55	4	39	0	24	0
1874	39,812	4	23,325	1	3,112	0	60	10	48	6	28	7
1875	57,479	3	20,913	0	4,177	4	41	10	41	8	30	3

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
March 27, 1876.

H. READER LACK,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT showing 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 25th March, 1876.

	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	573,244	30,771	210,810	814,825	9,290	6,242	15,532
Barley	151,792	...	3,040	154,832	558	...	558
Oats	162,156	6,381	...	168,537	10,461	84	10,545
Rye ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pease	10,059	...	...	10,059	1,679	993	2,672
Beans	27,105	5,592	...	32,697	...	550	550
Indian Corn	456,796	56,046	241,877	754,719	...	4,075	4,075
Buckwheat	84	84
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Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt)...	1,381,236	98,790	455,727	1,935,753	21,988	11,944	33,932
Wheatmeal or Flour...	41,713	39,730	2,340	83,783	431	269	700
Barley Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal	722	...	...	722	342	...	342
Rye Meal	2,500	...	...	2,500	...	...	...
Pea Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Buckwheat Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal	44,935	39,730	2,340	87,005	773	271	1,044
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt)...	1,426,171	138,520	458,067	2,022,758	22,761	12,215	34,976
Malt (entered by the Quarter)	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.
	...	...	...	...	1,418	...	1,418

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
March 27, 1876.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to John Mountain, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist, for an invention of "certain improvements in sewing machines," bearing date September 23rd, 1874. No. 3253.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Hall Pearson, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, the Assignee of the said Letters Patent, has applied by petition to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions for leave to file in the Great Seal Patent Office, with the specification to which the same relates, a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of parts of the specification of the said Letters Patent; and that any person intending to oppose such application must give notice thereof at the office of the Attorney-General, No. 6, Crown Office-row, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

Newton and Son, 66, Chancery-lane:
Agents for the Assignee.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

3974. Fred Isitt, of Bradford, in the county of York, Gentleman, and David Farrer, also of Bradford, in the county of York, Outfitter, have given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of their intention to proceed with their application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in roller skates."

3983. And Alexander Browne, of the firm of Browne and Company, Patent Agents, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved mechanical apparatus or horse to be worked by steam, gas, or other motive power, and designed to replace or substitute animals of draught in general."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Chaine, of Paris, in the French Republic, Engineer.

3985. And Mark Amos, of Westbury-upon-Trym, in the county of Gloucester, Blacksmith, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in tools for dividing longitudinally the end of a bar of iron or other metal."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 16th day of November, 1875.

4005. And Daniel Brown of Bath, in the county of Somerset, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus for stoppering bottles."

4008. And Henry Ashton, of Falcon House, Salterhebble, near Halifax, in the county of York, Common Brewer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "new or improved taps and valves combined."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 18th day of November, 1875.

4028. And Thomas Melling, of Grassendale Park, Aigburgh, in the county of Lancaster, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in modes of and apparatus for regulating pressure in pipes or other conduits."

4029. And Thomas Wright, Engine Driver, and George Saul, Builder, both of Sheffield, in the county of York, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved apparatus or arrangement for heating public and private buildings, and also for drying purposes."

4030. And William Gruue, Chemist, of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia, Empire of Germany, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved means of storing and transporting mineral oils and the products thereof, as petroleum, kerosine, benzine, naphtha, and others."

4032. And Martin Benson, of No. 9, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in an apparatus for cleaning the fire flues of steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Addison Crosby, of the city and State of New York, United States of North America, and William McCabe, of Toronto, Canada.

4039. And James Milward Holmes, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Secretary of the International Agency, and Bernard Peard Walker, of Birmingham aforesaid, Iron Founder and Machinist, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in mechanism or apparatus for feeding fuel into furnaces, fire boxes, and fire grates."

4042. And Francis Virtue, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Mechanical Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus or appliances for trimming or paring linseed and like cake."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 20th day of November, 1875.

4075. And Louis Sterne, of the Crown Iron Works, Glasgow, and of Number 9, Victoria-chambers, Westminster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in or connected with screw nuts."

4079. And Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the fermentation of beer and in apparatus employed therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Nicolas Joseph Galland, of Paris, France.

4081. And John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue & Birkbeck, Patent Agents & Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machines or apparatus for setting carriage springs."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas B. De Forest, of Birmingham, Connecticut, United States of America.

4082. And Elijah Atkins, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brass Founder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sash fasteners."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 24th day of November, 1875.

4099. And George Sutherland Dodman, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in picture frame, ornamental table mats, screens, and other similar articles."

4100. And Charles Guillaume Roger-Durand, Manufacturer, of Boulevard de Strasbourg, No. 23, Paris, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in self acting knitting machine needles."

4102. And Joseph Thomas Price, of Bow-street, in the county of Middlesex, Machine Ruler, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in ruling machines."
4105. And Robert Bell, of Acton, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of blacking."
4106. And James Wavish, of East India-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for heating, ventilating, and disinfecting."
4114. And Henry Handyside, of Victoria-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in railway rolling-stock."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 26th day of November; 1875.
4140. And Samuel Corbett, of Wellington, in the county of Salop, Agricultural Implement Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in mills for crushing, splitting, and grinding vegetable and mineral substances."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of November, 1875.
4161. And Andrew Noble, late Captain Royal Artillery, of Elswick Works, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech loading ordnance."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of December, 1875.
4178. And Thomas Richards Harding and Thomas Walter Harding, both of the Tower Works, Globe-road, Leeds, in the county of York, Card, Comb, and Pin Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for the manufacture of pins, combs, gills, falkers, and other similar articles."
- As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of December, 1875.
4192. And Josiah George Jennings, of Stangate Wharf, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, and Alfred Willmer Pooock, of 11A, Church-street, in the city of Westminster, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in water waste preventors."
4193. And George Perry and Edwin Perry, of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved press for moulding glass and a new or improved apparatus or "gatherer" for serving the same."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of December, 1875.
4202. And Alexander Charles Baddeley Moffatt, of Halstead, in the county of Essex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in feed water heaters."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of December, 1875.
4224. And Richard Rendle, of No. 5, Wilmot-place, Rochester-road, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the mode of bottling liquids and in apparatus therefor."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of December, 1875.
4251. And Alexander Whyte, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved portable easel and seat for artists."
4262. And George Houdaille, Engineer, of Boulevard de Strasbourg, 23 à Paris, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for raising and lowering trucks in mine and other shafts."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 8th day of December, 1875.
4314. And Joseph Anderson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in stop cocks or valves."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of December, 1875.
4337. And Edward Payne, of Mark-lane, in the city of London, Gentleman, and Frederick Cardinal Payne, of Amherst-road, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved cartridge for charging tobacco pipes."
- As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of December, 1875.
4375. And Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in lace or cord fasteners."—A communication to him from abroad by George Phippen Reeves, and Edgar Horace Train, both of Helena, Montana Territory, United States of America.
4385. And Isidor Loeser, of the firm of Loeser Brothers, of Trier, Prussia, and actually at Paris, France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "new or improved processes for destroying noxious insects or vermin by means of gases and vapours issued from certain substances."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 17th day of December, 1875.
4418. And Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of filters."—A communication to him from abroad by Nicolas Joseph Galland, of Paris, France, Engineer.
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of December, 1875.
4436. And Edwin Lawrence, of No. 6, Lancaster-gate, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in fixing railway and such like bolts or spikes."
4450. And John Britten, of Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved means and apparatus for checking receipts of money."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of December, 1875.
249. And Edward Primerose Howard Vaughan, F.C.S., of 67, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of "an improved fire-alarm and gas interceptor."—A communication to him

- from abroad by Alexandre Athénodore Frécot, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Engineer.
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of January, 1876.
266. And Edward Primerose Howard-Vaughan, F.C.S., of 67, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved safety brake for machinery."—A communication to him from abroad by Alexandre Athénodore Frécot, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Engineer.
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of January, 1876.
360. And John Lanyon, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, Civil Engineer and Architect, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in water-closets and in valves used therewith and for other purposes."
372. And Richard Matthew Melhuish, of Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machines for sewing button holes and for fancy stitching."
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 29th day of January, 1876.
485. And Henry Mey Thomas, of the Garden-House, Clement's-inn, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of roller skates."
As set forth in his petition recorded in the said office on the 7th day of February, 1876.
566. And James Coats, Jr., of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for doubling and twisting yarn and thread."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of February, 1876.
620. And Henry Price, of Number Three, Burford-terrace, Terenure, in the county of Dublin, Furniture Salesman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in spring-mattresses and other like articles."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of February, 1876.
636. And Edward Alexander Jeffreys, Engineer, of Low Moor, near Bradford, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in railway wheels."
644. And George Arthur Biddell, of Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in portable locomotive and other engines with multitubular boilers."
646. And Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in jacquard apparatus used in weaving."—A communication to him from abroad by Ferdinand Adolphe Planchon, of Paris, France.
649. And Alfred Roberts, of Tipton Green Furnaces, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Ironmaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for indicating or signalling the height of materials in furnaces, cupolas, or kilns."
As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 16th day of February, 1876.
660. And Thomas Platt, of Padfield, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for lubricating spindles."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of February, 1876.
674. And Thomas Chadwick, Managing Director of the firm Bradbury and Co. Limited, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Sewing Machine Manufacturers, and Thomas Sugden, Foreman in the employment of the said firm, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."
As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of February, 1876.
696. And James Aston, of Hythe, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breach loading-firearms."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of February, 1876.
712. And William Porritt Ingham and Alfred Clayton Hill, both of Redcar, in the county of York, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for making retorts and other similar articles from clay."
As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of February, 1876.
722. And John Martin, of Stoke Newington-road, in the county of Middlesex, Umbrella Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in umbrellas and parasols."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of February, 1876.
742. And John Lawson Thackeray, of Arno Vale, in the parish of Arnold, and Edward Glover, of Radford, both in the county of Nottingham, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for doubling silk, cotton, and other fibres."
As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of February, 1876.
778. And Edmund Rees and Frederick Richardson Gledhill, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in steam boilers and in furnaces for steam boilers and other purposes."
787. And Giuseppe Francesco Coccapieller de Guggenbühler, of Rome, in the Kingdom of Italy, Engineer, but at present of Stratford, in the county of Essex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in brakes or apparatus for retarding and stopping railway trains or vehicles."
788. And Giuseppe Francesco Coccapieller de Guggenbühler, of Rome, in the Kingdom of Italy, Engineer, but at present of Stratford, in the county of Essex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for stopping vehicles and disconnecting or detaching the horses therefrom."
As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 24th day of February, 1876.
795. And Charles Wood, of the Tees Iron Works, Middlesbro'-on-Tees, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of bricks and other articles from furnace slag."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of February, 1876.

833. And the Honourable Wyndham Edward Campbell Stanhope, of Charing Cross, in the city of Westminster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in roller skates."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of February, 1876.

859. And Lewis Griffiths, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Engine Fitter, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for cleaning and pickling metal plates."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of February, 1876.

889. And Graham Stevenson, of Airdrie, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in motive-power, air-compressing, rock-boring, and other apparatus to be used in quarrying and mining, and also in part applicable for other purposes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of March, 1876.

913. And John Cowan, of the Vineyard, Garston, near Liverpool, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the heating of steam boilers."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of March, 1876.

931. And Henry John Hayne, of New York, at present residing at Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus applicable to the tubes and flues of locomotive and other steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by John H. Faxon, of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of March, 1876.

999. And Ernest Solvay, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of carbonate of soda, and in the processes and apparatus used in such manufacture."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of March, 1876.

1015. And Joseph Agate, of Emsworth, in the county of Hants, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in registering tills."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of March, 1876.

1035. And Pryse Protheroe, of Surbiton, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of raising sunken vessels."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of March, 1876.

1061. And Frederick Edward Blackett Beaumont, of No. 2, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the county of Middlesex, and Woodford Pilkington, of Kent Lodge, Campbell-road, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in roller skates."

1079. And William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in knitting machinery."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles J. Appleton, of Elizabeth, New Jersey, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both

recorded in the said office on the 11th day of March, 1876.

1085. And Thomas Titley, of Leeds, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in screw jacks."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of March, 1876.

1113. And Archibald McLaren, of Greenock, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam traps or apparatus for automatically discharging water or other liquid from pipes or vessels containing steam."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of March, 1876.

1126. And Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in skate attachments."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Brewster, of the city and District of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Canada, Licentiate of Dental Surgery.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of March, 1876.

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.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Southsea Floral Hall and Aquarium Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 17th day of March, 1876, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by the above-named Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before his Lordship the Master of the Rolls, on the 1st day of April, 1876; 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.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

Chas. Hy. Edmonds, of No. 33, Poultry, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the International Union Insurance Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 16th day of March, 1876, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Michael Abrahams and Thomas William Roffey, of No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Solicitors of the Supreme Court of Judicature, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins on Friday, the 7th day of

April, 1876; 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 regular charge for the same.

Michael Abrahams and Roffey, 8, Old Jewry, London, and No. 23, Rue Taitbout, Paris; Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Langley Mill Steel and Iron Works Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, and for the removal of George Nesbitt from his position as Voluntary Liquidator of the said Company, and the appointment of a Liquidator in his stead, was, on the 21st day of March, 1876, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Heaton's Steel and Iron Company Limited (by William Joseph White, of No. 33, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, its Official Liquidator), creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the 7th day of April, 1876; and any creditor or contributory of the said Langley Mill Steel and Iron Works Company Limited, desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said last-mentioned Company under the above Acts, and the removal of the said George Nesbitt, and the appointment of a Liquidator in his stead, 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 Langley Mill Steel and Iron Works Company Limited, requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Augustus Beddall, of Baltic-chambers, 108, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Cornwall Chemical Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 25th day of March, 1876, presented to the said Court by George Edward Fox, Samuel Elliott, and Joseph Elliott, all of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Timber Merchants, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the 7th day of April, 1876; 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.

Surr, Gribble, and Bunton, of 12, Abchurch-lane, London; Agents for *Messrs. J. E. Elworthy, Curtis, and Dawe*, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Co-operative Bank Limited.

By an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall in the above matters, dated the 17th day of March, 1876, on the petition of William John Sansom, of 11, Major-road, Jamaica-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Commission Agent, a Shareholder of the said Company, it was ordered that the said Co-operative Bank Limited be wound up by this Court under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867. And it was ordered that the petitioner and respondents be allowed their costs of and relating to the said petition out of the assets of the said Bank, such costs to be taxed by the Taxing Master, but the Taxing Master was to allow respectively to such of the respondents as are contributories, and to such of them as are creditors, such costs only as ought to have been incurred and would have been incurred if they had respectively employed one Solicitor.

Geo. Blagden, of 22, Great Winchester-street, London, Solicitor for the said Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Saturn Silver Mining Company of Utah Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins has fixed the 12th day of April, 1876, 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.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. Vice-Chancellor Malins.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the British Provident Life and Guarantee Association Limited.

THE Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins has, by an Order, dated the 17th day of March, 1876, appointed Robert Eaton James, of Moorgate-street-buildings, No. 54, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Association.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. The Vice-Chancellor Malins.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the British Provident Life and Guarantee Association Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Association are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Robert Eaton James, of Moorgate-street-buildings, No. 54, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Accountant, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 12th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said

chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

In the Matter of the Erimus Iron Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

THE Master of the Rolls has, by an Order, dated the 25th day of January, 1876, appointed Robert Fletcher, of No. 2, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

In the Matter of the Erimus Iron Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 28th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Robert Fletcher, of No. 2, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Accountant, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 12th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of Hales' Rocket Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are hereby required, on or before the 3rd day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Arthur George Pocock, of 28, Nicholas-lane, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 19th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Norman Patent Sewing Machines Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Mr. Robert Hill, of No. 10, Coleman-street, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors,

to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

King's College, London,

March 23, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual Court of the Governors and Proprietors of this College will be held in the Library of the College, on Friday, April 28, 1876, at four p.m.

By order of the Council,

J. W. Cunningham, Secretary.

Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

Commercial Land Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at 57, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, the 23rd day of March, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"To wind up the affairs of the Company voluntarily without the supervision of the Court, in terms of the Companies Acts.

"That Arthur Henry Johnstone Douglas, of Milner's-buildings, Flusbury-place South, be appointed Liquidator."

G. G. Mackay, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bettws Llantwit Colliery Limited, duly convened and held at No. 4, Lothbury, in the city of London, the 15th day of March, 1876, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same. It is resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

"That Mr. Essex White Layton be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company, to carry the foregoing resolution into effect."

Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

Francis J. Haseltine, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Bettws Llantwit Colliery Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Essex White Layton, of No. 4, Lothbury, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are to prove their said debts or claims, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

Walter Webb, 23, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Rookhope Valley Mining Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 8th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims to me, the Liquidator, at the offices of the said Company, No. 8, Austin-friars, in the city of London, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution of the assets of the Company made before such debts are claimed.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

Charles John Hill, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Charles Rankin Stock and Victor Bauer, under the firm of Charles R. Stock and Co., at No. 3, Sun-court, Cornhill, and at Lloyds', in the city of London, in the business of Insurance Brokers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 25th day of February, 1876.

C. R. Stock.

Victor Bauer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Charles Rankin Stock and Victor Bauer, under the firm of Bauer and Co., at No. 3, Sun-court, Cornhill, in the city of London, in the business of Public Accountants and Auditors, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 25th day of February, 1876.

C. R. Stock.

Victor Bauer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, James Porter, John Muir, and James Forbes Hutchison, carrying on business under the style or firm of Porter, Muir, and Co., at No. 17, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, in the city of London, as Merchants, was dissolved, so far as regards the said James Porter, as from the 31st day of December, 1874.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1876.

James Porter.

John Muir.

J. F. Hutchison.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, John Muir and James Forbes Hutchison, carrying on business as Merchants, under the style or firm of Porter, Muir, and Co., at No. 17, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, in the city of London, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1876.

John Muir.

J. F. Hutchison.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Pilkington and Richard Hedley Wrightson, both of Darlington, in the county of Durham, Builders, under the style or firm of Pilkington and Wrightson, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts owing by and due to the said late copartnership will be paid and received by the said John Pilkington.—As witness our hands this 25th day of March, 1876.

Jno. Pilkington.

Richard H. Wrightson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, John Swindell (formerly John Swindell the younger), and William Henry Matthews, carrying on business as Merchants and Commission Agents, formerly at No. 34, in Fenchurch-street and No. 7, Mincing-lane, and lately at No. 60, Mark-lane, all in the city of London, under the style or firm of Swindell and Matthews, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, John Swindell, who will henceforth carry on the business under the style of John Swindell alone.—As witness our hands this 25th day of March, 1876.

Jno. Swindell.

W. H. Matthews.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Atkinson and John Henry Elliott, as General Fancy Dealers, under the style or firm of Atkinson and Elliott, and carrying on business at No. 127, Brompton-road, in the county of Middlesex, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 25th day of March, 1876.

George Atkinson.

John Henry Elliott.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, in the business of Match Manufacturers, at the County Match Works, Bristol-road, in the city of Gloucester, has been dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to or from the said partnership will be respectively received and paid by the undersigned Lewis Ford and Richard Alfred Matthews.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

Lewis Ford.

R. A. Matthews.

W. Taylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Cundall and Titus Sutcliffe, of Halifax, in the county of York; Brush Makers, trading under the style or firm of Cundall and Sutcliffe, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said partnership shall be received and paid by the said Joseph Cundall, who will continue the business.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

Joseph Cundall.

Titus Sutcliffe.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Susan Harriett Ames, late Susan Harriett Collins, and Mary Elizabeth Mitton, both of Northallerton, in the county of York, Milliners, carrying on business as Milliners, Dress and Mantle Makers, at Northallerton aforesaid, under the style or firm of Collins and Mitton, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 16th day of March, 1876.

Susan Harriett Ames.

Mary Elizabeth Mitton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Henry Smith and Percy Criddle, in the business of Wine Merchants, carried on by them at the Hop Exchange, Southwark-street, in the county of Surrey, under the style of Smith, Criddle, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 25th March instant; and that the business will in future be continued by the said Henry Smith alone, under the style of Smith, Henry, and Co.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

Henry Smith.

Percy Criddle.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Timothy Cheesebrough and Henry Swales Butler, under the firm of H. S. Butler and Company, at the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the trade or business of Mat and Bag Merchants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 9th day of March, 1876.

T. Cheesebrough.

H. S. Butler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Baiss the elder, James Baiss the younger, Sydney Standing Baiss, and Arnold Baiss, formerly of 102, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, but now of Jewry-street, Aldgate, in the said city, Drug Merchants and Wholesale Druggists, trading under the style of Baiss Brothers and Co., has been dissolved, as to the said James Baiss the younger, by mutual consent, as from the 24th day of March, 1876. The business will be continued by the remaining partners under the same style.—Dated 18th day of March, 1876.

James Baiss.

Sydney S. Baiss.

James Baiss, Jun.

Arnold Baiss.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately existing between William Sommerville, William Sommerville the younger, James Frew Sommerville, and Alexander Allandale Sommerville, as Paper Manufacturers, at Bitton, in the county of Gloucester, under the style of W., W., and J. Sommerville, has, by mutual consent, been dissolved; and that henceforth the business will be carried on by the said William Sommerville, William Sommerville the younger, and James Frew Sommerville under the firm of W., W., and J. Sommerville.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

Wm. Sommerville.

J. F. Sommerville.

William Sommerville, jun.

A. A. Sommerville.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately carried on by the undersigned, Gregory Perkins and William Samuel Perkins, at Rugby, in the county of Warwick, and at 10, High-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, under the style or firm of W. S. Perkins and Co. in the trade or business of Clothiers, was, on the 31st day of January last, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 7th day of February, 1876.

Gregory Perkins.

William Samuel Perkins.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Barringer and Edwin Brown, carrying on business at Rock Valley Mills, Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, as Mustard Manufacturers, under the style of Barringer and Brown, was dissolved, on the 15th day of February, 1876, by mutual consent. And notice is further given, that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Robert Barringer on his own account, under the style or firm of Barringer and Brown, and that the said Robert Barringer will receive all debts due to and discharge all debts and liabilities due from the said partnership.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1876.

*Robert Barringer.
Edwin Brown.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has existed between us the undersigned, John Robert Langstaff, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, and Robert Langstaff, of New Bolingbroke, in the said county, carrying on business as Plumbers, Glaziers, and Painters, at New Bolingbroke aforesaid, under the style or firm of Langstaff Brothers, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of January now last past; and that in future the said business will belong to and be carried on by the said Robert Langstaff only, and all debts due and owing to the said partnership will be received by the said Robert Langstaff, and all debts and liabilities owing by the said partnership will be paid and discharged by him.—Dated the 25th day of March, 1876.

*John Robt. Langstaff.
Robt. Langstaff.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Rider Cook and James Williams Cook, carrying on the business of Corn, Coal, and Seed Merchants, at Stowmarket, in the county of Suffolk, was, on the 31st day of December, 1875, dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 18th day of March, 1876.

*Francis Rider Cook.
James Williams Cook.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership now subsisting between us the undersigned, William Burdett and George Carwardine Spencer, under the firm of Burdett and Co., at Catherine-street, Aston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Soap Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of March, 1876.

*Wm. Burdett.
Geo. C. Spencer.*

TAKE notice, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Clarence White and William James Beach, of 88, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Tea Brokers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

*H. C. White.
Wm. Jas. Beach.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between John Underdown and John Woods Prior, now deceased, carrying on the business of Ironmongers, at Petersfield, Hants, under the firm of John Underdown and Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will in future be carried on by the said John Underdown on his individual account; and that he will receive and pay all debts due to and from the late firm.—Dated this 13th day of March, 1876.

*John Underdown.
Amelia Prior,
Ebenezer Prior.*

Executors of John Woods Prior, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Minton, James Boyes, and Trayton Pagden Child, under the name, style, and firm of Minton, Boyes, and Child, as Accountants and Auditors, at No. 2, Carey-lane, General Post Office, in the city of London, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

*Robert Minton.
J. Boyes.
T. P. Child.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Tewkesbury Maber Chamen and Henry Frodsham Chamen, carrying on business as Wine and Spirit Merchants, at No. 26, Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square, in the county of Middlesex, was, on the 31st day of December last, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

*Henry Frodsham Chamen.
Tewkesbury Maber Chamen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John Walton and Henry Helliwell, in the trade or business of Cotton Manufacturers, at Holme Mill, in Nelson, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Walton and Helliwell, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of March, 1876.

*John Walton.
Henry Helliwell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Isaac Marshall and Tom Frank Cresdee, carrying on business at 257 and 258, Upper-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, as Grocers and Provision Dealers, under the style or firm of Marshall and Cresdee, has been dissolved as and from the 24th day of March, 1876.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

*Isaac Marshall.
Tom Frank Cresdee.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Ogden, Westermann Ogden, and Thomas Hitchin, carrying on business as Art Metal Workers, at 28, Blackfriars-street, in the city of Manchester, under the firm of Ogden, Son, and Hitchin, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 15th day of March instant. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said James Ogden, who will in future carry on the business upon his own account.—Dated this 15th day of March, 1876.

*Westermann Ogden.
James Ogden.
Thos. Hitchin.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on by us the undersigned, Frederick Boyle the younger, John Farnan the younger, and James Arthur Newman, at No. 89, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, as Tea Brokers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due by and to the late firm will be paid and received by the said Frederick Boyle the younger, and James Arthur Newman, who continue the business under the style or firm of Boyle and Newman.—Dated this 11th day of March, 1876.

*Fredk. Boyle, jun.
John Farnan, jun.
Jas. A. Newman.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by William Sharpe, William Henry Sharpe, and Frederic Sharpe, at Sibley, in the county of Leicester, under the firm of William Sharpe and Sons, in the trade or business of Common Brewers, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Sharpe; and notice is further given, that the said business will in future be carried on by the said William Henry Sharpe and Frederic Sharpe.—As witness our hands this 24th day of March, 1876.

*William Sharpe.
William Henry Sharpe.
Frederic Sharpe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Lipscomb Grossmith and George Davis, carrying on business as Perfumers and Soap Makers, at No. 85, Newgate street, in the city of London, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 23rd March, 1876.

*J. L. Grossmith.
Geo. Davis.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Gandy Bateson, John Park Robinson, Christopher Morris, Alfred Bright, and Augustus Frederick Warr, as Solicitors and Notaries, in Liverpool, under the firm of Bateson and Co., has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said John Park Robinson, who retires.—Liverpool, 31st December, 1875.

*William G. Bateson.
John P. Robinson.
Christopher Morris.
Alfred Bright.
Augustus F. Warr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Haworth and Thomas Grimshaw, carrying on business at Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, as Grocers and Provision Dealers, under the style or firm of Haworth and Grimshaw, was dissolved, on the 18th instant, by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Richard Haworth, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

*Richard Haworth.
Thomas Grimshaw.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, George Ayscough Wilkinson and William Horne, carrying on business as Auctioneers and Estate Agents, at No. 7, Poultry, and No. 37, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Wilkinson and Horne, has been this day dissolved.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

George Ayscough Wilkinson.
Willm. Horne.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Walter Rogers and James Booth, as Drapers and Clothiers, at High Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, under the firm of Rogers and Booth, has been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on by the said James Booth alone, by whom the assets and liabilities of the firm will be received and discharged.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

Walter Rogers.
James Booth.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned, Richard Lewis Jones and Frederick Bazett Jones, as Stock and Share-brokers, at 36 Fishergate, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Henry Bazett Jones and Sons, was, on the 31st day of August last, dissolved by mutual consent, since which date the said business has been and will in future be carried on by the said Frederick Bazett Jones, on his own account; and he will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of business.—As witness our hands this 18th day of February, 1876.

Rd. Lewis Jones.
Fred. Bazett Jones.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by a Decretal Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made on the 26th day of February, 1876, in an action *Brown v. Edwardes*, 1876, B., No. 71, the Partnership theretofore subsisting between Grant William Edwardes and James Richard Brown, carrying on business at Guildhall-chambers, No. 31, Basinghall-street in the city of London, as Wine Merchants, under the style or firm of Edwardes and Brown, was dissolved, as from the 4th day of February, 1876; and Lionel Strauss, of No. 11, London-street, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Wine Merchant; and William Henry, of No. 1, Idol-lane, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, of the firm of Dingwall, Portal, and Co., Wine Merchants, were thereby appointed to receive the debts and assets of the said partnership, and to manage the said business, and to pay the debts due therefrom.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

[Extracts from the Edinburgh Gazette of March 24, 1876.]

THE Subscribers, the Trustees of the late Mr. William Mackenzie, Publisher, in Glasgow, ceased on 1st July, 1875, to have an interest in the Printing and Publishing Business carried on in Glasgow, London, and elsewhere, under the firm of William Mackenzie, and the same has since been carried on by Mr. William D. Mackenzie, for his own behoof, under the same firm.

Margaret Mackenzie.

J. EDMOND MACKENZIE, 12, Clairmont-gardens, Glasgow.

GEORGE L. MACKENZIE, 12, Clairmont-gardens, Glasgow.

Witnesses to the Signature of Mrs. Mackenzie.

Robert Gow, jr.

DAVID MURRAY, Writer, Glasgow,
JAMES ANDREWS, Clerk-at-Law, Glas-

gow,
Witnesses to the Signature of Mr. Gow.

J. Walker Macgregor.

CATHERINE FINLAY, Witness.

E. T. FORD, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of Mr. Macgregor.

Robert Law.

JAMES LAW, Witness.

HENRY FREDERIC JARVIS, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of Mr. Law.
25th January, 1876.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Copartnership of A. W. and D. Fairweather, Merchants and Manufacturers, Lochee, Dundee, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Messrs. Don and Duncan, Merchants and Manufacturers,

in Dundee, who have purchased the firm's works, will pay and collect its book debts.

Dated at Dundee, this 22nd day of March, 1876 years.

A. W. Fairweather.

David Fairweather.

THOS. THORNTON, Solicitor, Dundee,
Witness.

A. WILSON, Jr., Writer, of No. 1,
Bank-street, Dundee, Witness.

The Reverend THOMAS KEBLE, Deceased.

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to the 29th section of an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Reverend Thomas Keble, late of Bisley Vicarage, near Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, Clerk in Holy Orders (who died on the 5th day of September, 1875, and whose will was duly proved by the Reverend Thomas Keble, of Bisley aforesaid, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executor therein named, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 18th day of October, 1875), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said Thomas Keble, at our office, situate at 3, Princes-street, Storey's-gate, in the city of Westminster, on or before the 1st day of May, 1876. And notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said Thomas Keble will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Keble, deceased, or any part thereof, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Thomas Keble has then had notice; and that the said Thomas Keble will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Thomas Keble has not had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 23rd day of March, 1876.

L. E. and H. HOUSEMAN, Solicitors for the said Thomas Keble.

JAMES WALSHAM, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Walsham, late of Worlaby, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 7th day of November, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 11th day of March, 1876, by James Walsham Hall, of Winterton, in the said county of Lincoln, Grocer, and John Walker, of Beverley, in the East Riding of the county of York, Hosier, the executors of the said will), are requested to send the particulars of such claims or demands to the said executors, or to us, the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of July next, after which day the said executors will distribute the whole of the assets of the said James Walsham, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and from which day the said executors will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any creditor or other person of whose claim or demand the said executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of March, 1876.

GOY and CROSS, Barton-on-Humber, Solicitors.

JOHN SIMPSON NEWTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Trustee Relief Act of 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

ALL persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Simpson Newton, formerly of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, but late of Mossley, in the county of Worcester, Gentleman (who died on the 31st day of October, 1875, and whose will was proved at Worcester, on the 8th day of March, 1876, by the executors, Marguerite Fitzwilliam Newton, then of Moseley, in the county of Worcester, but now of Belvoir Bank, Malvern, in the same county, Widow, and John Arnold, of Moor Green, in the aforesaid county of Worcester, Gentleman), are requested to send in particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 29th day of April next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased; and will not afterwards be answerable for any debts, claims, or demands of which they have not received notice.—Dated the 24th day of March, 1876.

ARNOLD and SON, 101, New Hall-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the above Executors.

CHARLES HOLDSWORTH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any legal claims or demands upon or against the estate of Charles Holdsworth, late of Idle, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased (who died on or about the 27th day of December last, intestate, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted on the 1st day of February last unto Harriet Smith, the wife of James Smith, of Idle aforesaid, Cloth Weaver, in the District Registry of Wakefield attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the said Harriet Smith, or to the undersigned, her Solicitor, on or before the 1st day of May next. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall then have notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

GEO. HUMBLE, Bradford, Yorkshire, Solicitor.

JOSEPH CLOW, 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 the said Joseph Clow, late of 2, Avenue-road, North-gate, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of No. 1, Carlton-street, New Kentish Town, in the said county (who died on the 7th day of February, 1876, whose will was proved on the 18th day of March, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Frances Clow, of 2, Avenue-road, North-gate, Regent's-park aforesaid, the Widow and relict of the said deceased, and the universal legatee named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims and demands, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, to the said Frances Clow, the executrix, at the offices of the undersigned, her Solicitors, on or before the 15th day of May, 1876. And notice is hereby also given, that after the last-mentioned day the said executrix will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said Joseph Clow amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and that she, the said executrix, will not be liable for the assets of the said Joseph Clow so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

LAYTON, SON, and LENDON, 29, Budge-row, Cannon-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executrix.

JOHN WILLIAM MADDEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims or demands against the estate of John William Madden, late of the city of Chichester, Esq., a Captain in Her Majesty's Army (who died on the 22nd day of September, 1875, intestate, and letters of administration to whose personal estate were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 11th day of March, 1876, to Alphonso Busby), are required to send in the particulars of their claims to Messrs. Bostock and Rawlison, of West-street, Horsham, Solicitors to the said administrator, on or before the 30th day of April next, after which day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and further, that he will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

BOSTOCK and RAWLISON, Horsham, Solicitors to the said Administrator.

HENRIETTA MALLOCK, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, c. 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 upon or against the estate of Henrietta Mallock, late of Hill

Cottage, near Axminster, in the county of Devon, Widow, deceased (who died on the 10th day of December, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Exeter of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of February, 1876, by William Clough, Esq., and Thomas Blanchard Burland, Gentleman, two of the executors therein named, power being reserved of making the like grant to Harriot Emma Holberton, Widow, sister of the deceased, and Thomas John Raymond Mallock, Esq., the other executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands, in writing, to the undersigned, or to William Forward, of Axminster, in the county of Devon aforesaid, Solicitor, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henrietta Mallock among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1876.

BURLAND and SON, South Cave, Brough, East Yorkshire, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Mr. GEORGE BRIDGE, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chap. 35, intituled "An Act further to 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 George Bridge, formerly of Greatness, in the parish of Sevenoaks, in the county of Kent, Miller, afterwards of Wildernes Farm, in the said parish, Farmer, and late of No. 8, Vine-villas, Sevenoaks aforesaid, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 23th day of November, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 18th day of February, 1876, by Edward Palmer, of 90, Manor-road, New Cross, in the county of Kent, and of Sevenoaks aforesaid, Gentleman, and George Frederick Carnell, of Sevenoaks aforesaid, Gentleman, the executors thereof, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, George Frederick Carnell, at my offices at Sevenoaks aforesaid, on or before the 10th day of May next, after which the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of day the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

GEORGE F. CARNELL, Solicitor, Sevenoaks.

The Honourable **SOPHIA ELIZABETH PERCY, Deceased.** Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to 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 the estate of the Honourable Sophia Elizabeth Percy, late of Odiham, in the county of Southampton, Widow, deceased (who died on the 13th day of December, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 21st day of February, 1876, by Colonel Charles Bagot and Algernon Charles Heber Percy, Esq.), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their respective debts or claims to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor of the said executors, on or before the 29th day of April next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which he then shall have had notice, and that he will not be answerable or 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 20th day of March, 1876.

GEORGE ROOPER, 17, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Mrs. CAROLINE DAVENPORT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Caroline Davenport, late of Newbold, in the county of Derby, Widow (who died on the 24th day of April, 1875, and whose will was proved by Albert Holdsworth, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Bank Manager, and Walter Brown, of Sheffield aforesaid, Solicitor, two of the executors therein named, on the 19th day of May, 1875, in the Derby District Registry of Her

Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims and demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Brown and Son, 1, St. James-street, in Sheffield aforesaid, on or before the 16th day of May next, after which day the said executors will distribute the effects of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

BROWN and SON, 1, St. James-street, Sheffield.

JAMES GODWIN, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, intituled (inter alia) "An Act to relieve Trustees."

ALL creditors and other persons having any debts or claims against the estate of James Godwin, late of Dauntsey, in the county of Wilts, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 12th day of November, 1875, intestate, and letters of administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Court, on the 30th November, 1875, to Elizabeth Godwin, his widow, but who dying on the 8th December, 1875, without having fully administered such estate, letters of administration to the personal estate and effects of the said deceased left unadministered by the said Elizabeth Godwin were, on the 18th day of March, 1876, granted unto Sarah Godwin, one of the children and next-of-kin of the said deceased), are required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to us, the Solicitors to the administratrix de bonis non, by the 29th day of April, 1876, after which time the administratrix de bonis non will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not have had such notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

KINNEIR and TOMBS, Swindon, Wilts, Solicitors to the said Administratrix de bonis non.

GEORGE YOUNG, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands on or against the estate of George Young, late of Seel-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and of Freshfield Formby, near Liverpool aforesaid, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Distiller, deceased (who died on the 29th day of October, 1875, and whose will was proved on the 4th day of February, 1876, in the District Registry at Liverpool of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, by Margaret Young, Widow, the relict of the deceased, and John William Sutton, two of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of May, 1876, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said 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 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 24th day of March, 1876.

THORNELY and DISMORE, Oriel-chambers, 14, Water-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM CURTIS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 upon or against the estate of William Curtis, late of Corfe Castle, in the county of Dorset, retired Coal Merchant, deceased (who died on the 12th day of November, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 4th day of March, 1876, by Elizabeth Curtis, of Corfe Castle aforesaid, Widow, the relict, and Joseph Curtis, of the town and county of Southampton, Innkeeper, two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in to the said executors, or to us, the undersigned, on their behalf, the particulars in writing of their claims or demands, on or before the 23rd day of May next, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and 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; and all debtors to the estate of the said William Curtis are requested forthwith to pay the sums due from them either to us or the said executors.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

MARSHFIELD and HUTCHINGS, Wareham, Dorset, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ANN DENNIS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and all other persons having any claim against the estate of Ann Dennis, late of Suffolk Lodge, Clapham Park, in the county of Surrey, Spinster (who died on the 19th day of February, 1876, at Suffolk Lodge, Clapham Park aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 14th day of March, 1876, by Richard Boswell Beddome and Daniel Henry Rucker, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their respective debts or claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which they then shall have had notice; and that they will not be answerable or liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

PITMAN and LANE, 27, Nicholas-lane, Lombard-street, London.

GEORGE HAYMAN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament passed in the Session held in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, 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 George Hayman, late of Bye, within the parish of Old Cleve, in the county of Somerset, Esq., deceased (who died on the 2nd day of December, 1875, intestate, and letters of administration of whose personal estate and effects were granted by the District Registry at Taunton of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of January, 1876, to Emma Jane Hayman, the lawful Widow and relict of the said intestate, deceased), are hereby required, on or before the 21st day of April next, to send the particulars of their debts and claims to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor of the said Emma Jane Hayman, the administratrix, after which time the said administratrix will proceed to administer the estate and to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 21st day of March, 1876.

C. E. ROWCLIFFE, of Stogumber, Somerset, Solicitor to the Administratrix.

RICHARD WIPPELL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or in any-wise affecting the estate of Richard Wippell, late of No. 22, St. Paul's-churchyard, in the city of London, Accountant (who died on the 27th day of February, 1876, at No. 1, Fentiman's-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Henry Taylor and Walter Chiesman, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 29th day of April, 1876, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims or demands of which they shall have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

FARMER and ROBINS, 11, Pancras-lane, London E.C.

ELLEN CLARE GARDINER, late of Leam-terrace, Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Widow, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., ch. 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 Ellen Clare Gardiner, late of Prospect Villa, Leam-terrace, Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Widow, deceased (who died on the 27th day of May, 1874, and whose will, with one codicil, was proved in the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Birmingham, on the 15th day of June, 1874, by John Abraham and George Young, the executors therein named), are required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the undersigned, Algernon Sydney Field, the Solicitor to the said executors, at his offices in Leamington Priors aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of May, 1876, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they shall have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

A. S. FIELD, Solicitor for the said Executors.

RICHARD FRITCHLEY the Elder, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Richard Fritchley the elder, late of Doncaster, in the county of York, Gentleman (who died intestate on the 18th day of June, 1873, and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry attached to the Probate Division thereof at Wakefield, on the 18th day of November, 1875, to Joseph William Fritchley, of Bawtry, in the county of York, Gentleman, one of the natural and lawful children, and one of the next-of-kin of the deceased), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said administrator, on or before the 23rd day of May, 1876, after which last-named day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said administrator will not be answerable or accountable to any person or persons of whose claim and demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

F. W. FISHER, Doncaster, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

JAMES MURCH SERCOMBE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or against the estate of James Murch Sercombe, late of No. 2, Lombard-court, in the city of London, Merchant, and of 5, Alexander-terrace, Putney, in the county of Middlesex, deceased (who died on the 8th December, 1875, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 13th day of March, 1876, to Ellen Bourne Sercombe, the widow, are hereby required, on or before the 24th day of April next, to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administratrix, and that in default thereof the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that she will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims she shall not then have had due notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM A. CRUMP and SON, 10, Philpot-lane, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

In the Matter of **FREDERICK BEST**, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Frederick Best, late of Hookwood Common, in the parish of Charlwood, in Surrey,

Farmer and Innkeeper, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of January last, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 29th day of the same month of January, by William John Somers, the sole executor named in the said will), are required to send the particulars of any such claims to me, the undersigned, Clair James Grece, at my office in the Station-road, Redhill, Surrey, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased as directed by the said will, having regard to those claims only of which he may then have had notice.—Given under my hand this 21st day of March, 1876.

CLAIR J. GRECE, Solicitor to the said Executor.

GEORGE PHILCOX HILL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of George Philcox Hill, late of No. 3, Pavilion-parade, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Esq. (who died on the 26th day of December, 1875, are to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to Thomas Hill, Esq., and Arthur James Fitz Hugh, Gentleman, the executors of the deceased, under cover, to Messrs. Hill, Fitz Hugh, Woolley, and Griffith, of No. 3, Pavilion-parade, Brighton, the Solicitors of such executors, on or before the 22nd day of May, 1876, after which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which such executors shall then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

HILL, FITZ HUGH, WOOLLEY, and GRIFFITH.

Mr. **GEORGE GARDENER**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., chap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors having claims upon the estate of George Gardener, late of No. 8, Lucklomb-buildings, Bath, Gentleman, deceased, are required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned, on or before the 25th April next, after which day the assets of the testator will be distributed, and the executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

JAMES COLLINS, 3, Abbey-churchyard, Bath, Solicitor to the Executor.

Re **WILLIAM TUCKFIELD**, Deceased.

Pursuant to Act 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims upon the estate of William Tuckfield, late of No. 17, Kennington-grove, Kennington, Surrey, Timber Dealer, deceased (who died on 10th August, 1875, and to whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Court of Probate to Mary Tuckfield on 29th September, 1875), are requested to send in the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said administratrix, on or before the 1st of May next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated 23rd March, 1876.

HOGAN and HUGHES, 23, Martin's-lane, London, E.C.

Re **JOHN BRENNAN**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the "Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees," 22 and 23 Vic., c. 35: In the Goods of John Brennan, late of No. 1, Water-street, Pembroke Dock, in the county of Pembroke, Pensioner, Deceased.

THE creditors of the above-named John Brennan, who died at Pembroke Dock aforesaid, on or about the 31st day of December, 1875, are, on or before the 15th day of April next, to send the particulars of their debts or claims to the office of the undersigned, in Upper Meyrick-street, Pembroke Dock aforesaid, or in default thereof William Humphreys, of Charlton-place, Pembroke Dock aforesaid, Shipwright, administrator with will annexed of the estate and effects of the said deceased, will, after the said 15th day of April, proceed to pay the legacies and distribute the assets of the said deceased as directed by the said will, having regard to the claims only of which the said undersigned has then notice.—Dated the 23rd March, 1876.

GEORGE PARRY, Pembroke Dock, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

THOMAS KENT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Kent, late of Aldbourne, in the county of Wilts, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 27th day of October, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Salisbury, on the 22nd day of March instant, by Jane Kent and Sarah Kent, both of Aldbourne aforesaid, Spinsters, the executrices therein named), are required to send particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, at my office, 42, Cricklade-street, Swindon, on or before the 29th day of April, 1876, after which date the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

JAS. COPLESTON TOWNSEND, Solicitor for the said Executrices.

JOHN AYRES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against or claiming any interest in the estate of John Ayres, late of Hazel Villa, Farnham Royal, in the county of Bucks, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 11th day of July, 1875, and letters of administration to whose estate and effects were granted to Elizabeth Francis, of Turham Green, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, a sister and one of the next of kin of the said deceased, by the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Oxford, on the 26th day of July, 1875), are hereby required to send particulars in writing, of the claims and demands to the said Elizabeth Francis, at the office of the undersigned, her Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice, and the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

BARRETT and GILLET, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM LUND, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of William Lund, late of No. 37, Castle-street, Holborn, in the city of London, and No. 5, Dartmouth Park-road, Highgate-road, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor (who died on the 25th day of May, 1876, at No. 5, Dartmouth Park-road aforesaid, intestate, and letters of administration to whose estate and effects were on the 30th day of July, 1875, granted to Ottavia Maria Lund, of No. 5, Dartmouth Park-road aforesaid, the relict of the said deceased, by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send in writing, the particulars of their respective claims or demands to the said Ottavia Maria Lund, at the office of the undersigned, her Solicitor, on or before the 5th day of May next, after which time the said administratrix 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 she shall then have had notice, and the said administratrix will not be liable or answerable for such assets or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

T. H. MEYNELL, 37, Castle-street, Holborn, London, Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

LLOYD RAYNER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Lloyd Rayner, late of Mossley House, Liverpool, General Broker, deceased (whose will was proved on the 8th day of March, 1876, in the District Registry at Liverpool, of the Probate Division of

Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which day the executors of the deceased will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

GEO. R. ROGERSON, 5, Cook-street, Liverpool, Solicitor to the Executors.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause the London and Provincial Bank Limited v. Jackson, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by Mr. Robinson Cruso, of the firm of Cruso and Hawkins, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Globe Hotel, at King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely, in one lot:—

Certain freehold property, comprising two brick and tile cottages and gardens, and a piece of arable land, occupying a total area of 5A. 0R. 21P. (more or less), situate in the parish of Clenchwarton, near King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Mr. Merrick Bircham Bireham, Solicitor, Fakenham, Norfolk; Messrs. Tillett and Co., Solicitors, Norwich; Messrs. Talbot and Tasker, Solicitors, 47, Bedford-row, London; Messrs. E. Flux and Leadbitter, Solicitors, 153, Leadenhall-street, London; of the Auctioneer, at King's Lynn; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause of Dixon v. Baker, 1871, D. 83, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, by Mr. Herbert John Thurgood, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 6th day of April, 1876, at one for two o'clock in the afternoon, in two lots:—

A copyhold messuage and premises situate and being No. 165, formerly No. 3, High-street, Stoke Newington, in the manor of Stoke Newington, otherwise Stoak Newton, in the county of Middlesex, together with the piece of ground at the upper end of the alley adjoining the said premises, on which two messuages used as warehouses are erected, let to a good tenant on a 21 years' lease from the 25th day of December, 1870, at £50 per annum. And also the annual rent from four leasehold houses, situate and being Nos. 17, 18, 19, and 20, West-street, Somers Town, in the county of Middlesex, amounting to £16 16s. 0d. per annum.

Particulars and conditions of sale can be had (gratis) of Messrs. Jones and Co., of Lincoln's-inn-chambers, 40, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitors; Mr. Samuel James Robinson, of 52, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Solicitor; and Messrs. Nash, Field, and Matthews, 12, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitors; of Messrs. Thurgood and Durham, Auctioneers, at 123, Chancery-lane; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of Foster v. Edwards, Wood, and others, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, the Judge to whose Court the said action is attached, in two lots, by Mr. Frederick Winter, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Falcon Hotel, Stratford-upon-Avon, in the county of Warwick, on Friday, the 21st day of April, 1876, at six o'clock in the evening precisely:—

Certain freehold cottages and premises situate at Stratford-upon-Avon, in the county of Warwick, late the property of Richard Swaine, of Leamington, in the said county of Warwick, deceased.

Particulars whereof may be had gratis of Messrs. Tibbitts and Co., Solicitors, 1, Field-court, Gray's-inn, London, of W. B. Sanderson, Esq., Solicitor, Warwick; of Edward Doyle, Esq., Solicitor, 26, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; and of Mr. Frederick Winter, the Auctioneer, Stratford-upon-Avon, in the said county of Warwick.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Howard v. Dryland.

Mile End, Commercial-road, Bethnal Green, Hackney-road, and Aldersgate-street.

MR. ROBERT ALGER NEWBON (of the firm of Messrs. Newbon and Harding) will sell by auction, at the Mart, on Thursday, April 20th, at two o'clock precisely, in eighteen lots:—

Well secured leasehold ground-rents amounting to nearly £1,000 per annum net, arising out of upwards of 200 houses, a chapel, a licensed tavern, and other premises,

situate Nos. 193 to 211, Oxford-street, 40 to 58, Exmouth-street, 21 to 32, 46 to 60, 5 to 11, and 23 to 41, Dempsey-street, 11 to 29, Charles-street, 59 and 61, 83 to 101, and 100 to 118, Clarke-street, Mile End, 15 to 33 and 4 to 20, Sutton-street East, the Methodist Chapel and Conference premises, in Sutton-street East, No. 7, Dean-street, and Nos. 332 and 334, Commercial-road, St. George's-in-the-East, Nos. 13 to 25, Devonshire-street, 74 and 76, Cleveland-street, and 1 to 4, Queen's-cottages, Cambridge-road, Mile End, the Weaver's Arms Public-house, Green-street, Nos. 419 to 429, Bethnal Green-road, 1 and 2, Grove-place, 1, 2, and 3, Grove-street, 5 to 18, Cambridge-street, and 27 to 52, New York-street, and 1 to 51, Camden-street, Bethnal Green, a butcher's shop and premises, No. 202, Hackney-road, the rack rentals estimated at about £4,000 per annum; also two short leasehold houses, 33 and 34, Edmond's-place, Aldersgate-street, City.

May be viewed; particulars had at the Mart; of Messrs. Hine Haycock and Bridgman, Solicitors, 4, College-hill, E.C.; of Charles G. Scott, Esq., Solicitor, 4, College-hill, E.C.; and of Messrs. Newbon and Harding, Auctioneers and Surveyors, 8, Church-row, Upper-street, Islington, N.

Arable and Marsh Land.

TO be let by auction, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, in a cause *Randall v. Hutchins*, 1875, R., No. 32, by William Leggatt, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Lion Hotel, at Holt, in the county of Norfolk, on Wednesday, the 5th day of April, 1876, at five o'clock in the afternoon, in two lots:—

Lot 1, 27 acres 1 rood of arable land, situate in the parish of Kelling, in the county of Norfolk, on the southeast of the high road leading from Holt to Weybourne, and late in the occupation of William Blomfield, deceased.

Lot 2, 7 acres 20 perches of marsh land (allotment No. 15), situate in the parish of Salthouse, in the said county of Norfolk, on the west side of the road leading from Salthouse to Clery, and late in the occupation of Mr. W. J. Sands. The form of lease to be entered into by the tenant of lot 1, and of agreement to be entered into by the tenant of lot 2 can be inspected at the Auctioneer's.

Particulars and conditions of letting may be had gratis of Mr. G. Edward Carpenter, No. 23, Regent-street, London, Solicitor; of Mr. Frederick Foss, of 3, Abchurch-lane, London, Solicitor; and of the Auctioneer, Mr. W. Leggatt, of Holt; and at the place of auction.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Smith v. Rolles.

MR. EDWARD FRANCIS HERRING (of the firm of Herring and Son) will sell by auction, at the Mart, (Tokenhouse-yard, on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock, pursuant to the Decree of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, made in the above cause, in twenty lots:—

The valuable copyhold property known as the Harwood Estate, held of the manor of Tottenham, situate at Kentish Town, comprising ground rents amounting to £215 per annum, secured under leases for various terms of years, of 163 dwelling-houses, shops, and other premises in Chalk Farm-road, Harwood-street, George-street, Augusta-street, Rilla-place, Powlett-place, and Harwood-grove, let to respectable tenants; and also the valuable reversion to the same premises on the termination of the existing leases, the present rack rental of which property amounts to £5,000 and upwards.

The fine payable to the lord of the manor on the last admission of a tenant on the rolls was 13s. 4d. for each house.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Messrs. Loughborough and Co., 23, Austin Friars, London, Solicitors; Messrs. Lewin and Co., 32, Southampton-street, Strand, Solicitors; the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, London; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Herring and Son, 21, Moorgate-street, London.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of *Burroughs v. Howard*, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Richard Malins, the Judge to whose Court the said action is attached, in one lot, and, if not sold, then in three lots, by Mr. Walter Perkins (Perkins and Sons), of Southampton, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Dolphin Hotel, High-street, Southampton, in the county of Hants, on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1876, at two for three o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

A desirable long leasehold estate, comprising three well-built dwelling-houses, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Anglesea-terrace, Bevois Hill, Southampton, let to responsible yearly tenants at a rental producing £50 per annum.

Particulars and conditions of sale whereof may be had (gratis) of H. W. Cattlin, Esq., Solicitor, Guildhall-yard, London; of Messrs. Joel Emanuel and Round, Solicitors, 27, Walbrook, London, of Messrs. Shum, Crossman, and Crossman, Solicitors, 3, King's-road, Bedford-row; of Messrs. Chester, Urquhart, Mayhew, and Holden, Solicitors, Staple-

inn, London; of J. J. Burnett, Esq., High-street, Southampton; and of the Auctioneer, at his office, at the Auction Mart, Southampton.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Emma Adolphus, Spinster, deceased, and in an action of *Adolphus v. Spyer*, 1876, A., No. 34, the persons claiming to be the next-of-kin of Emma Adolphus, late of 132, Queen's-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, who died in or about the month of July, 1872, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of July, 1876, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, in England, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 17th day of July, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of John Richardson, deceased, and in an action *Annie Richardson, Widow, against Charles Fletcher Richardson*, 1876, R., 40, the creditors of John Richardson, late of 6, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, and 19, Beresford-road, Canonbury, in the county of Middlesex, Financial Agent, who died in or about the month of January, 1876, are, on or before the 25th day of April, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Daniel James Miller, of 3, Salters' Hall-court, in the city of London, a member of the firm of Miller and Smith, of the same place, the Solicitors of the plaintiff, Annie Richardson, Widow, the administratrix of the said John Richardson, deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 9th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Emma Adolphus, Spinster, deceased, and in an action of *Adolphus against Spyer*, 1876, A., No. 34, the creditors of Emma Adolphus, late of 132, Queen's-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, who died in or about the month of July, 1872, are, on or before the 24th day of April, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. E. P. Landon, of 12, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor of the defendant, Jones Spyer, the administrator of the personal estate of the said Emma Adolphus, 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 Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action *Parker against Parker*, 1875, P., No. 22A, the creditors of Richard Fernyhough, late of No. 8, Grove-road, Mile End-road, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of December, 1861, are, on or before the 25th day of April, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Charles Edwards Freeman, of No. 20, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendant, John Gwyn Parker, the executor of Ann Fernyhough, the executrix 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 Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated at No. 8, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, 1876, at twelve of the clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Edward James Roye, deceased, and in a cause of *Roye*

v. Roye, 1875, R., 98, the creditors of Edward James Roye, late of Monrovia, in the Republic of Liberia, Merchant, who died in or about the month of February, 1872, are, on or before the 30th day of June, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Flux, of 3, East India-avenue, of the city of London, the Solicitor of Edward Farrow Roye, the administrator of the estate and effects 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 Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Monday, the 10th day of July, 1876, at twelve of the clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice; Chancery Division, made in a matter and cause of re Henry Turner, Turner v. Barrett, 1876, T., 25, the creditors of Henry Turner, late of Eton, in the county of Bucks, Postmaster (who died on the 28th day of March, 1875), are, on or before the 22nd day of April, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Richard Henry Barrett, Gentleman (the executor of the deceased), of Slough, in the county of Berkshire, the Solicitors for the defendant, their Christian and surnames, with 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 Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, at his chambers, situate at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Friday, the 5th day of May, 1876, at twelve of the clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in a cause Taylor against Taylor, the creditors of James Taylor the elder, late of Lower Ogder, in Butterworth, in the parish of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Yeoman, who died in or about the month of September, 1853, are, on or before the 19th day of April, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Charles James Roberts, of the firm of W. Roberts and Son, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, the Solicitors for the surviving executor, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, 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 Bacon, at his chambers, situated No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in a cause Arthur against Davey, the creditors of Martha Harvey, otherwise Martha Hagne, Widow, late of No. 12, Dorset-gardens, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Widow, who died in or about the month of December, 1874, are, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Thomas Augustus Goodman, of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, the Solicitor of the defendant, William Joseph Davy, in the Bill called Davey, executor of said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 22nd 15th day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in a cause Byrom against Macdonald and another, 1875, B., 325, the creditors of Martha Byrom, Widow, late of Edge-lane, West Derby, in the county of Lancaster, who died in or about the month of January, 1875, are, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Cleaver and Holden, of Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool, the Solicitors of the defendants, the executor and executrix of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of

the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in a cause Chandler and others against Howell, 1875, C., 300, the creditors of Anne Pughe, late of Craigyden, near Aberdovey, in the county of Merioneth, Widow, who died in or about the month of January, 1874, are, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Bolton, Robins, and Busk, of No. 1, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, the Solicitors of the defendant, David Howell, the executor of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Mary Otter, of Bridge-street, Brigg, in the parish of Scawby, in the county of Lincoln, Miller, Baker, and Grocer, and will be paid by me, at my house, in Forester-street, Brigg, in the county of Lincoln, on and after the 21st day of March instant.—Dated this 11th day of March, 1876.

CHARLES BIRD JUDGE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by John Lashmore, of No. 117, High-street, Southampton, Watchmaker and Jeweller, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 2, High-street, Southampton, on and after Thursday, the 6th day of April, 1876, between the hours of ten and four.

JOHN J. BURNETT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Samuel George Holland, of Heeley, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder, and will be paid by me, at 52, Bank-street, Sheffield, on and after Thursday, the 30th day of March, 1876, between the hours of ten and twelve in the forenoon and three and five in the afternoon.

JAMES ANDREW, Jun., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 8½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Bouttell Baker, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Corn Merchant, and will be paid by me, at my offices, North-hill, Colchester, on and after the 3rd day of April, 1876.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

EDWD. SMITH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Harry Scott, formerly of Warblington Farm, in the parish of Warblington, in the county of Hants, but now of No. 10, Clarendon-villas, Barry-road, Peckham Rye, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, 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 Bear Hotel, Havant, in the county of Hants, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

ALFRED S. BLAKE, 21, Union-street, Portsea, Solicitor 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 John Reeves, of 118, St. George's-road, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Manure 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. May, Sykes, and Batten, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

MAY, SYKES, and BATTEN, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, Solicitors for the 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 Edwin Cook, of 253, High-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, 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 No. 29, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

YOUNG and SONS, 29, Mark-lane, London, Solicitors 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 Tyndall Stagg, of Nos. 11 and 12, Milk-street, Cheapside, London, and of Oakery Cottage, Beckenham, in the county of Kent, Commission Agent.

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, in the city of London, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

JOHN G. SHEARMAN, of No. 10, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Solicitor 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 Adolph Golstein, of 84, Lombard-street, in the city of London, and of 11, Albert-terrace, Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, Merchant's Clerk.

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. Leopold Goldberg, No. 1, West-street, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

LEOPOLD GOLDBERG, 1, West-street, Moorgate-street, Solicitor for the 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 Marly Schmidt, of 13, Claylands road, Kennington, in the county of Surrey, late of 29, Manchester-street, Manchester-square, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Beaumont and Warren's offices, No. 33, Chancery-lane, London, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

ROBERT WARREN, 33, Chancery-lane, Solicitor 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 Edward William Olley, of Barr's-buildings, Bath-street, Curtain-road, in the county of Middlesex, and of Manor Park, Ilford, in the county of Essex, Cabinet Maker.

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 Masons' Hall, Masons'-avenue, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 5th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM HICKS, 21, Coleman-street, Solicitor 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 Benjamin Mann, of No. 124, Bridport-place, New North-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Dyer.

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. John Thomas Moss, No. 38, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

JOHN THOMAS MOSS, 38, Gracechurch-street London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Handasyde Carver, of High House, Enfield Highway, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon and Apothecary.

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. Rignall, Solicitor, Silver-street, Enfield, Middlesex, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

J. R. RIGNALL, Enfield, Middlesex, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin George Lloyd, of 36, North-street, Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, 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 offices of Mr. William Haigh the younger, situate at 13, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM HAIGH, Jun., Solicitor for the said Edwin George Lloyd.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Howell Preston, of Fern Cottage, Leyham Court-road, West Streatham, in the county of Surrey, Merchant, out of business.

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. 33, Poultry, in the city of London, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

CHAS. HY. EDMANDS, 33, Poultry, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and Godalming.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Cornelius Thomas Enticknap, of Wrecclesham, in the parish of Farnham, in the county of Surrey, Builder and Contractor.

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 Lion and Lamb Hotel, in West-street, Farnham aforesaid, on the 31st day of March, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of March, 1876.

HOLLEST and MASON, of Farnham, Surrey, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and Godalming.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Clapham, of the White Horse Public-house, Haslemere, in the county of Surrey, Hotel Proprietor.

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, No. 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

THOS. BEARD and SON, 10, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Frederick Best, of 17, Kent-terrace, Lower Sydenham, of High-street, Upper Sydenham, of the Wharf-gates, London, Clatham, and Dover Railway, Fenge, and of Lower Sydenham Station, all in the county of Kent, trading as Beat and Co., Coal and Coke 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 Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

HENRY POOK and SON, 10, Mitre-court-chambers, Temple, and Greenwich, Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joel Weston, of Mayfield, in the county of Sussex, Draper and Grocer.

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. Walter Sprott, Solicitor, at Cumberland-terrace, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, on the 3rd day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

WALTER SPOTT, Mayfield, Sussex, Solicitor for the said Joel Weston.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Henry Cheape, of Brooklands, Worthing, in the county of Sussex, Esquire.

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 Old Ship Hotel, Brighton, on the 4th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

G. J. BROWNLOW, 12, Bedford-row, Worthing, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Smith, of Slaugham, in the county of Sussex, Corn 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 Anchor Hotel, Horsham, in the county of Sussex, on the 22nd day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

EDWARD WAUGH, Cuckfield, Solicitor for the said Francis Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Nicholls, of Aston Clinton, in the county of Buckingham, Dealer in Fruit and Straw.

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 King's Head Inn, Aylesbury, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

ALEX. ROSS, Temple-square, Aylesbury, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jesse William Holt, of Great Berkhamsted, in the county of Hertford, Corn 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 office of Mr. Charles Bullock, Great Berkhamsted aforesaid, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

CHAS. BULLOCK, Great Berkhamsted, Herts, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Gerard Barker, of Low Spennymoor, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Wine 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 office of Mr. William Robinson, Chancery-lane, Darlington, in the county of Durham, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

WILL. ROBINSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew Menzies, of Dobing-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Draper's Assistant.

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. J. H. Draper, in Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 13th day of April, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

J. H. DRAPER, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Turner, of Ferry-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York, Iron and Steel Merchant and General Factor, and residing at Linthorpe, near Middlesborough aforesaid.

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, Queen's-terrace, Middlesborough, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

HENRY WATSON, 1, Queen's-terrace, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said John Turner.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Albertine Sember, of No. 119, High-street East, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Ship Broker and Ship Chandler, trading under the style or firm of L. Sember 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 Mr. William Moore Skinner, No. 64, John-street, Sunderland aforesaid, on the 4th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM M. SKINNER, No. 64, John-street, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said Albertine Sember.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William John Wandless, of Seaham Harbour, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Provision 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 offices of Henry Brougham Wright, Solicitor, Tempest-place, Seaham Harbour, in the county of Durham, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

HENRY B. WRIGHT, Tempest-place, Seaham Harbour, Solicitor for the said William John Wandless.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Palliser the younger, of West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Grocer's Assistant.

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, 51, Church-street, West Hartlepool, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

HIGSON SIMPSON, West Hartlepool, Solicitor for the said John Palliser.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Wilmot, of West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Glass and China Dealer.

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 Raglan Hotel, West Hartlepool, on the 3rd day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

W. WILMOT, the above-named Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Guest, of Langley Park, in the county of Durham, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 40, Sadler-street, in the city of Durham, on the 5th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

JAMES CHAMBERS, 40, Sadler-street, Durham,
Solicitor for the said Thomas Guest.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Reed, of Meadowfield-place, Brandon Colliery, near the city of Durham, General 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 office of Charles Chapman, Saint Nicholas-court, Market-place, in the city of Durham, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

CHARLES CHAPMAN, Saint Nicholas-court,
Market-place, in the city of Durham, Solicitor for
the said John Reed.

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 James Cook, of East Leigh, Bishopstoke, in the county of Hants, Grocer, Tea Dealer, and Provision 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 the Creditors' Association of Wholesale Dealers, 4, Arthur-street East, in the city of London, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

MAY, SYKES, and BATTEN, 2, Adelaide-place,
London Bridge, Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew Templeton, of 47, West-street, Havant, in the county of Hants, Draper and Insurance Agent.

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. Harvey and Addison, the Square, Petersfield, in the said county, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

HARVEY and ADDISON, the Square, Petersfield,
Solicitors 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 Edward Henry Buslin, of High-street, Towcester, in the county of Northampton, Saddler and Harness Maker.

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 Farrington Crump, No. 5, Bridge-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

WM. HEATH, Solicitor 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 Thomas Evelyn Williams and Richard Arthur Williams,

both of 51, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine Merchants, trading as Williams Brothers.

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 office of Messrs. Stephens and Danger, 10, Cook-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

STEPHENS and DANGER, 10, Cook-street, Liverpool,
Solicitors for the said Debtors.

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 Thomas Evelyn Williams and Richard Arthur Williams, both of 51, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine Merchants, trading as Williams Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Evelyn Williams has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Stephens and Danger, 10, Cook-street, Liverpool, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

STEPHENS and DANGER, 10, Cook-street, Liverpool,
Solicitors 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 Thomas Evelyn Williams and Richard Arthur Williams, both of 51, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine Merchants, trading as Williams Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Richard Arthur Williams has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Stephens and Danger, 10, Cook-street, Liverpool, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

STEPHENS and DANGER, 10, Cook-street, Liverpool,
Solicitors 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 Thomas Huntington, of 10, North John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Corn 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 office of Mr. Joseph Johnston Ritson, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitor, on the 13th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

JOS. J. RITSON, of Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitor 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 James Moreland, of No. 33, Erskine-street, 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 offices of Mr. William Lowe, Solicitor, No. 43, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 18th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM LOWE, 43, Castle-street, Liverpool,
Solicitor 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 John Gilder, formerly of No. 54, Compton-street, but now of No. 14, Eaton-place, Breck-road, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Importer and Dealer in Yeast.

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. William Lowe, Solicitor, No. 43, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 18th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM LOWE, 43, Castle-street, Liverpool,
Solicitor 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 Thomas Campbell, late of Ward's-buildings, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and now of Hampton-road, Southport, in the said county, Estate Agent.

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 Clarence Hotel, in Spring-gardens, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 19th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

J. ANTHONY SMITH, 25, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Davies, of Runcorn, in the county of Chester, carrying on business there as a Coal, Salt, and General Merchant and Shipowner, and at Winsford, in the same county, as a Salt Manufacturer, and also carrying on business in copartnership with John Parkhouse, at Runcorn aforesaid, as Coal Merchants, under the firm of Davies and Parkhouse.

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 Clarence Hotel, Spring-gardens, in the city of Manchester, on the 31st day of March, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

SALE, SEDDON, and HILTON, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Joseph Davies.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Shorrock, of No. 116, Darwen-street, within Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cabinet 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 Charles Darley, Solicitor, Central-chambers, 5, Lord-street West, within Blackburn aforesaid, on the 4th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

CHARLES DARLEY, Central-chambers, 5, Lord-street West, Blackburn, Solicitor for the said James Shorrock.

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 John Walker, of No. 75, Nelson-street, and Nos. 31 and 32, Market-hall, both in Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, 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 office of Mr. Walter Scowcroft, 25, Townhall-square, Bolton aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

WALTER SCOWCROFT, 25, Townhall-square-Bolton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 John Nicholas, of 90, Brunswick-street, late of 17, Grosvenor-street, both in Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Artificial Hair Manufacturer and Engineer.

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. John Anthony Smith, Solicitor, 25, Brazennose-street, Manchester, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

J. A. SMITH, 25, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Simon Davidson, of Smithfield-market, and of 155, Rochdale-road, both in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 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 offices of Messrs. Cobbett, Wheeler, and Cobbett, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, on

the 18th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

COBBETT, WHEELER, and COBBETT, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Simon Davidson.

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 Blease, of No. 219, Broad-street, Pendleton, in the county of Lancaster, 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 offices of Mr. John Dawson, Solicitor, 14, Ridgefield, Manchester, on the 6th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

JOHN DAWSON, 14, Ridgefield, Manchester, Solicitor 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 William Taggart, of 84, Renshaw-street, and 3, Pownall-street, Hulme, Manchester, 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 offices of Mr. James Gardner, Solicitor, 52, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

JAMES GARDNER, 52, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 John Meehan, of No. 24, Ellesmere-street, Hindley, in the county of Lancaster, Collier.

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. W. T. Kenyon, No. 24, Rodney-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

ORTON and BRYAN, 14, Ridgefield, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Philip Henry Keay, of Great Sutton, in the county of Chester, Agent.

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. Joseph Best, Solicitor, 64, Lower King-street, Manchester, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1876.

J. BEST, 64, Lower King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Philip Henry Keay.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Connah, of No. 34, Faulkner-street, Bishopfield, Hoole, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision 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 office of Mr. Francis Wood Massey, No. 3, White Friars, in the city of Chester, on the 18th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

F. W. MASSEY, Solicitor for the said William Connah.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Job Henry Smethurst, of Wellington-road South, and the Steam Laundry, Shaw Heath, Stockport, in the county of Chester, Laundryman.

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. Reddish and Lake, Solicitors, 15, Bridge-street, Stockport, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock, in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

CHAS. EDWD. LAKE, 15, Bridge-street, Stockport, Solicitor 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 George Herbert Staitte, now of Parkgate, but late of Wilmslow-road, Cheadle, both in the county of Chester, Clerk in Holy Orders.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Hotel, Cheadle aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

E. HEATH and SONS, 41, Swan-street, Manchester, Solicitors 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 William Walker, of Oakfield House, Conway-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, late of 200, Price-street, in the same borough, Agent, and formerly trading in copartnership with Robert Plush, under the style of the Climax Boiler Composition Company and Thomas Walker and Co., Leather Dealers, &c., at 109, Victoria-street, Birkenhead aforesaid.

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. R. B. Moore, 11, Duncan-street, Birkenhead, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

R. B. MOORE, 11, Duncan-street, Birkenhead, Solicitor for the said William Walker.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Tippler, of Roxwell, in the county of Essex, Farmer, Maltster, Brickmaker, 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 Corn Exchange, Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, on the 21st day of April, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

DUFFIELD and BRUTY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 John Cowl, of Ivybridge, in the county of Devon, Butcher.

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. Charles Rodda, Solicitor, No. 9, Westwell-street, Plymouth, on the 1st day of April, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

CHARLES RODDA, of No. 9, Westwell-street, Plymouth Solicitor for the said John Cowl.

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 John Stanbury, of Yealm Bridge, Werrington, in the county of Devon, Miller.

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. C. V. Bridgman, No. 12, Princess-square, Plymouth, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

CHRISTR. V. BRIDGMAN, of Plymouth and Tavistock, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Nankivell, of Rolle-street, Exmouth, in the county of Devon, General 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 offices of Mr. Robert T. Campion, Solicitor, No. 8, Bedford-circus, in the city of Exeter, on the 13th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

ROBT. T. CAMPION, Solicitor for the said William Nankivell.

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 Thomas Robson Thompson, of 34, Church Bank, in Bradford, in the county of York, Carriage 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 Midland Hotel, in Derby, in the county of Derby, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

ARTHUR SINGLETON, 1, New Booth-street, Bradford, Solicitor for the said Thomas Robson Thompson.

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 Dawson Metcalf, of 50, White Abbey-road, in Bradford, in the county of York, Diaper, trading under the style of Metcalf and Co.

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, 35, Kirkgate, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

ALEXR. NEILL, 35, Kirkgate, Bradford, Yorks., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 William Hodgson Holdsworth, of Portland-street Mills, Manchester-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Staff Manufacturer, trading under the style of Edward Holdsworth and Son.

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. J. W. Berry and Samuel Robinson, of No. 5, Charles-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

J. W. BERRY and SAML. ROBINSON, Solicitors 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 William Neal, of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Tailor.

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. Charles Walker, in Wakefield-road, in Dew-bury, in the county of York, Solicitor, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

CHAS. WALKER, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Herbert Harvey Walker, of No. 40, Strickland-street, and also of No. 146, Porter-street, both in the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, General 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 Golden Cross Hotel, Osborne-street, Hull, on the 5th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

JAS. F. CLARKE, 2, Aulaby-road, Hull, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Stocks, of Nag's Head-lane, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, 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 offices of Messrs. Stead and Sibree, Solicitors, No. 13, Bishop-lane, Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

STEAD and SIBREE, 13, Bishop-lane, Hull, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Vasey, of No. 1, Victoria-road, Victoria-street, Scarborough, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and also carrying on business as a Grocer and Provision Dealer at 32, William-street, Scarborough aforesaid, and lately carrying on the said business of a Grocer and Provision Dealer at No. 4, Marine-buildings, in Scarborough aforesaid.

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 Edward Williamson, 58, Newborough-street, Scarborough aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 19th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

EDWARD WILLIAMSON, 58, Newborough-street, Scarborough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 John Dean Swift, of Hunslet, near Leeds, in the county of York, late Innkeeper, but now out of business.

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 Commercial Hotel, Albion-street, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

EDWARD LODGE, 3, Park-row, Leeds, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 William Cooke Bland, of 5, Fountain-street and 20, Hyde Park-road, Leeds, in the county of York, Joiner 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. Thomas Turner, Solicitor, No. 28, East-parade, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

THOMAS TURNER, 28, East-parade, Leeds, Solicitor for the said William Cooke Bland.

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 Nunwick, of Henshaw Yeadon, near Leeds, in the county of York, Plumber and Glazier.

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. John Cooper Malcolm, Solicitor, No. 20, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

JNO. C. MALCOLM, 20, Park-row, Leeds, Solicitor for the said Thomas Nunwick.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles John Browne, of Portway Kingswinford, in the parish of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision 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 offices of Mr. Charles William Collis, Solicitor, 4, Market-street, Stourbridge aforesaid, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

CHARLES W. COLLIS, Stourbridge, Solicitor for the said Charles John Browne.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Williams, of Lowesmoor Wharf, in the city of Worcester, Coal-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 office of Mr. James Tree, Solicitor, the Avenue, Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 6th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

JAS. TREE, Solicitor for the Debtor.

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The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry John Williams, of Pierpoint-street, in the city of Worcester, Temperance Hotel 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. Richard Joseph Williams Pitt, Solicitor, the Avenue, Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

R. J. W. PITT, the Avenue, Cross, Worcester, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Henry Baldwin, late of Cradley Hall Farm, in the parishes of Cradley and Evesbath, in the county of Hereford, Farmer, but now residing at the Gas Tavern, Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester.

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. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, on the 15th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

F. and H. CORBETT, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 Isaac Vaughan, of Witton-lane, Westbromwich, in the county of Stafford, Chartermaster.

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. W. T. Travis, Church-lane, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Solicitor, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

W. T. TRAVIS, Church-lane, Tipton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Thomas Hunt, of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler.

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 Pipe Hall Hotel, Bilston aforesaid, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

WM. BOWEN, Bilston, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Howell, in lodgings at Herrick-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Builder and Contractor.

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. Charles Barrow, Solicitor, No. 48, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, on the 15th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

CHA. BARROW, 48, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Cross, of Nos. 8 and 39, High-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Butcher.

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. Stratton and Rudland, Solicitors, 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, on the 4th day of April, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

STRATTON and RUDLAND, 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors for the said John Cross.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bates, of No. 82, Poultry-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Shopkeeper and Warehouseman.

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. A. E. Greenway, Solicitor, 15, King-street, Wolverhampton, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

ALBT. E. GREENWAY, 15, King-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Thomas Bates.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Statham, of Penkull, in the county of Stafford, Brickmaker, and lately carrying on the business of a Publican, at Penkull aforesaid.

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. William Bagnall, No. 5, Glebe-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

WILL. BAGNALL, 5, Glebe-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Charles Frederick Stead, of Ironmarket, Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Chemists' Assistant and Tobacconist.

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. Joseph Griffith, Lad-lane, Newcastle-under-Lyme, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1876.

JOSEPH GRIFFITH, Lad-lane, Newcastle, Staffordshire, Solicitor for the said Charles Frederick Stead.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Wells.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Rawlings, of West Lydford, in the county of Somerset, Machine Proprietor.

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. Samuel Hobbs, situate at No. 1, Chamberlain-street, in Wells aforesaid, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

S. HOBBS, Jun., Solicitor for the said Thomas Rawlings.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Webb, of No. 3, Clare-cottages, Bath-road, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, 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 offices of Mr. J. M. Clark, Solicitor, 98, High-street, Cheltenham, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

JAMES M. CLARK, 98, High-street, Cheltenham, Solicitor for the said Edwin Webb.

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 Obed Peachey, of 1, West Mall, and 3, Prince-place, Clifton, in the city of Bristol, Lodging-house Keeper and Provision 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 offices of Mr. Philip Triggs, Accountant, 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

BENSON and THOMAS, 39, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 Christopher Albert Hayes, of No. 10, Nelson-parade, Bedminster Bridge, in the city and county of Bristol, Builder and Carpenter.

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. Ward and Lane, Solicitors, Albion-chambers, Bristol, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

WARD and LANE, Albion-chambers, Bristol, Solicitors 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 Charles Shaw, of No. 24, Upper Parliament-street, in the town of Nottingham, Glass and China 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 offices of Messrs. J. and A. Bright, in Town Club-chambers, Wheeler-gate, in the town of Nottingham, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

J. and A. BRIGHT, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Richards, otherwise William Stephen Richards, of Treorkey, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer 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 offices of Messrs. Barnard, Thomas, Clarke, and Company, 4, Crockerbtown, Cardiff, Public Accountant, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

D. WALTER DAVIS, 11, St. John-street, Cardiff, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Curtis, of Treorkey, in the county of Glamorgan, 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. James Collins, Jun., 39, Broad-street, in the city and county of Bristol, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mary Williams, of 21, Cardiff-street, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, Clothier and Outfitter.

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. David Rosser, 17, Canon-street, Aberdare, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

DAVID ROSSE, 17, Canon-street, Aberdare, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lucas, of 68, Milton-street, Roath, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, 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 offices, 18, High-street, Cardiff aforesaid, on the 13th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

M. MORGAN, 18, High-street, Cardiff, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Mason, of Llanharran, near Llantrissant, in the county of Glamorgan, 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 offices of Messrs. Griffith and Corbett, Quay-street, Cardiff, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

GRIFFITH and CORBETT, Quay-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Stock the elder, of No. 9, Mansel-street, and of Northampton-mews, in the town of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Livery-stable Keeper and Cab Proprietor.

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, in Swansea aforesaid, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

SMITH, LEWIS, and JONES, No. 1, Somerset-place, Swansea, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Davies, of No. 39, Lower Goat-street, Swansea, and of No. 38, George-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Fruiterer and Coal 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. Harvey and Molison, of No. 3, Lower Goat-street, Swansea, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

J. HARTLEY JOHN, 3, Mount-street, Swansea, Solicitor for the 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 John Hughes, of No. 21, High-street, Bethesda, in the county of Carnarvon, 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 Albion Hotel, Bangor, in the county of Carnarvon, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

WILLM. JONES, of Menai Bridge, Anglesey, Solicitor for the 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 David Roberts, of Penybont, in the parish of Llangwnadl, in the county of Carnarvon, Farmer, Coal Merchant, and Artificial Manure 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 offices of Messrs. Breeze, Jones, and Casson, Solicitors, in Penlan-street, Pwllheli, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

BREESE, JONES, and CASSON, Penlan-street, Pwllheli, Solicitors 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 Thomas Lucas Newman, in lodgings at Rose-place, Gower-street, Lozells, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business, late of No. 7, Great-King-street, Hockley, Birmingham aforesaid, Brassfounder, and previously carrying on business at No. 22, Great Hampton-row, Birmingham aforesaid, in partnership with Henry Rooke, as Brassfounder.

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. Alfred Baldwin East, Solicitor, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 6th day of April, 1876, at a

quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

ALFRED BALDWIN EAST, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Bradley, of Cambridge Cottage, Newbold-street, in the borough of Royal Leamington Spa, in the county of Warwick, Doctor of Medicine.

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. Henry Consett Passman, of Lower Bedford-street, in the borough of Royal Leamington Spa, Solicitor, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

H. C. PASSMAN, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Glasson Corin, of Camborne, in the county of Cornwall, Grocer.

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. John Rule Daniell, No. 1, Chapel-street, in Camborne aforesaid, on the 1st day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

JOHN R. DANIELL, Camborne, Solicitor for the said Charles Glasson Corin.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Williams Pooley, of the parish of Camborne, in the county of Cornwall, Butcher.

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. John Rule Daniell, No. 1, Chapel-street, in Camborne aforesaid, on the 1st day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

JOHN R. DANIELL, Camborne, Solicitor for the said Thomas Williams Pooley.

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 Joseph Benbow, of Ruyton of the Eleven Towns, in the county of Salop, 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 Lion Hotel, Shrewsbury, on the 4th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

J. HAWLEY EDWARDS, Jun., Solicitor for the said Joseph Benbow.

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 Richard Evans, of the Woolpack Inn, in the town of Oswestry, in the county of Salop, 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 Wynnstay Arms Hotel, in the town of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

EVAN JAMES, of Corwen, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Greene, of Newport and Risca, both in the county of Monmouth, Colliery Proprietor and Brick 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 offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Public Accountants, No. 30, High-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 19th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

FARR and WADE, 4, Dock-street, Newport, Monmouth, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Jenkins, of No. 40, Graham-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Builder and Contractor.

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. W. J. and H. G. Lloyd, Solicitors, Bank-chambers, Newport, Monmouthshire, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

W. J. and H. G. LLOYD, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Robins, late of Abersychan, but now of No. 60, Commercial-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Boot and Shoe 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 offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Accountants, 30, High-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

WILLIAMS and CO., 16, Dock-street, Newport, Monmouth, Solicitors for the said James Robins.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Winkles, of Highfield House, Upper Kent-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Builder and Contractor.

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. Hiram Abiff Owston, Solicitor, situate at No. 23, Friar-lane, in Leicester aforesaid, on the 30th day of March, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

H. A. OWSTON, 23, Friar-lane, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Munton, of 95, Upper Conduit-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Boot 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 offices of Mr. James Thomas Wright, Solicitor, 29, Gallowtree-gate, Leicester aforesaid, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

JAMES THOS. WRIGHT, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Andrews, of Somerby, in the county of Leicester, Grocer, formerly carrying on business in copartnership with Benjamin Andrews, deceased, under the style or firm of Andrews and Nephew.

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. Hiram Abiff Owston, Solicitor, situate at No. 23, Friar-lane, Leicester, in the county of Chester, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

H. A. OWSTON, 23, Friar-lane, Leicester, Solicitor 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 Edwin King, of Dullingham and Stetchworth, in the county of Cambridge, Farmer and Miller.

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 Hotel, in Newmarket, in the county of Suffolk, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

JAMES NEAL YORK, Newmarket Solicitor for the said Debtor,

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles James Wainwright, of the Queen's Hotel, East Holborn, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Inn-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. Henry Summers Sewell, Solicitor, 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

HENRY S. SEWELL, 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Walter Morley, late of No. 129, Lower Bedford-street, and now of No. 3, Washington-terrace, both in North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Boot and Shoe 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 offices of Messrs. Keenlyside and Forster, Saint John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

THOMAS FORSTER, St. John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said William Walter Morley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Bailey, of No. 1, Clayton-street, and 4, Somerset-place, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Draper and Hosiery.

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 Robert Scott Hopper, 18, Grainger-street, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

ROB. SCOTT HOPPER, 18, Grainger-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Horace Abraham Campling, of Ivy House, Southtown, in the county of Suffolk, of no occupation.

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. Lovewell Blake, Public Accountant, Hall Quay-chambers, Great Yarmouth, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

FRED. J. DOWSETT, Hall Quay-chambers, Great Yarmouth, Solicitor for the said Horace Abraham Campling.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Ward, of No. 15, Railway-road, King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Machinist.

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. Edward Millinger Beloe, of New Conduit-street, King's Lynn, Solicitor, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

EDWARD M. BELOE, King's Lynn, Norfolk, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Edmond O'Connor, of Thetford, in the county of Norfolk, Coal 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 Guildhall, in Bury St. Edmunds, in the county of Suffolk, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

SALMON and SON, Bury St. Edmunds, Solicitors for the said Edmond O'Connor.

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 George Betts-Gooch, of Thetford, in the county of Norfolk, General-shop Keeper and Dealer in London, Birmingham, and Sheffield Goods.

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 Carsey Chittock, at Bank-street, in the city of Norwich, Solicitor, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

J. C. CHITTOCK, Bank-street, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Oliver, of Church-lane, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Greengrocer.

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. W. T. Travis, Church-lane, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Solicitor, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

W. T. TRAVIS, Church-lane, Tipton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Lay Higgs, of Davey Hand, Metherton, in the county of Worcester, Commission Agent.

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 Wall, in Union-chambers, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, on the 4th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1876.

THOMAS WALL, Union-chambers, Stourbridge, Solicitor for the said Edward Lay Higgs.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Florence Long, of West-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, 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 13, Friar-street, Reading, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

JOHN T. DODD, 13, Friar-street, Reading, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Anthony Crouch, of the Market-place, Henley-upon-Thames, in the county of Oxford, Grocer.

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 Upper Ship Hotel, in Reading aforesaid, on the 31st day of March, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

JOHN COOPER, Henley-upon-Thames, Solicitor 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 Catt, of Bodicote, in the county of Oxford, Baker 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 office of Mr. George Crosby, Solicitor, No. 1, Fish-street, Banbury, on the 15th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

GEORGE CROSBY, No. 1, Fish-street, Banbury, Solicitor for the said George Catt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Hockley, of Leake, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer and Draper, and Wine and Spirit Merchant, and Dealer in Ale and Porter.

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 Inns of Court Hotel,

Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

W. H. BAILES, Solicitor for the said Joseph Hockley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Newburn, of Wildsworth, in the parish of Loughton, in the county of Lincoln, 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 Hotel, in Gainsborough, in the county of Lincoln, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

GODFREY HEATHCOTE, No. 12, French-gate, Doncaster, county of York, Solicitor for the said William Newburn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Madley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Hemus, of Oakengates, in the county of Salop, Furniture Dealer.

UPON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 4th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, is hereby directed to be held at the office of Mr. W. E. Simmons, Solicitor, 40, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, upon the day and at the hour above named, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Hertz Leon, of No. 1, Claverton-street, Bath, in the county of Somerset, Jeweller and Importer of Foreign Cigars and General Commission Agent.

UPON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 5th day of April, 1876, is hereby directed to be held at 27, Colmore-row, Birmingham, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

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 John Hall, of South Newington, in the county of Oxford, Miller, Corn Dealer, and Farmer.

UPON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 31st day of March, 1876, is hereby directed to be held at the offices of Messrs. Kilby, Son, and Mace, Solicitors, in Banbury, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Goddard, of Lyon-mews, Maida Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Livery Stable Keeper and Cab Proprietor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Mr. Frederick Lucas, 20, Great Marlborough-street, London, W., Public Accountant, on Wednesday, the 5th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for considering:—1. The remuneration of the Trustee. 2. The declaration of a Dividend. 3. The closing of the liquidation; and 4. The release of the Trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

FRED. LUCAS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Currey, of Comiston House, Uxbridge, in the county of Middlesex, Railway Clerk.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor is hereby summoned to be held at 182, High-street, Uxbridge, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 4th

day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the following purposes:—1. To fix a day for the close of this liquidation. 2. To release the Trustee.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

CHRISSE. HERON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Barber and Thomas Jackson, of the Albert Foundry, Henderson-street, Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Ironfounders.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtors is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Trustee, William Edward Cross, Accountant, of 17, Duke-street, Macclesfield aforesaid, on Thursday, the 6th day of April, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes following, that is to say:—1st. To receive the Trustee's report on the affairs of the debtors. 2nd. To vote the remuneration, and grant the release of the Trustee. 3rd. To pass the Trustee's accounts. 4th. To declare a Final Dividend. 5th. To fix the close of the liquidation and to take into consideration such matters, and to pass such resolutions thereon as may be incidental to the above mentioned matters, or any of them.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM EDWARD CROSS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick George Stott, of Wrekenton, in the borough of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Innkeeper and Saddler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of William Lockey Harle, Solicitor, 2, Akenside-hill, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Wednesday, the 29th day of March instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering:—1. An offer from the debtor to pay a composition of one shilling and sixpence in the pound in discharge of all claims against him. 2. To discharge and release the Trustee under the liquidation.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

THOMAS TUCKER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Yapp, of 14, Lowesmoor, in the city of Worcester, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Yapp will be held in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, section 125, clause 9, at the office of Mr. George Wheeler Bentley, Solicitor, Foregate-street, Worcester, on the 8th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—To audit the Trustee's accounts; to fix the Trustee's remuneration; to declare a First and Final Dividend; to consider the grant of the debtor's discharge; to release the Trustee; to close the liquidation.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

ADAM P. TROW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Gough, of the parish of Great and Little Hampton, in the county of Worcester, lately carrying on business as a Coal Merchant, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, section 125, clause 9, at the offices of Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing resolutions, fixing and allowing the Trustee's remuneration for services rendered by him on behalf of the estate, and also allowing certain legal and other charges incurred by him as Trustee:—Auditing the accounts of the Trustee; declaring a First and Final Dividend; releasing the Trustee; discharging the debtor; and closing the liquidation.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

COURTENAY CONNELL FRANCE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Gustavus Andreas Witt and Edward Bohlen, trading under the style or firm of G. A. Witt and Co., at No. 7, Fen-court, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, and at No. 37, Knowsley-buildings, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants.

THE creditors of the above-named Gustavus Andreas Witt and Edward Bohlen who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph Shubrook, of No. 9, Gracechurch-street, London, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

J. SHUBROOK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Holton, of 88, Queen-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Hosiery.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick Holton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, John Groome Howes and James Cundy, the Trustees under the liquidation, addressed to us at the office of our Solicitor, Mr. John Nicholas Mason, 7, Gresham-street, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

J. G. HOWES,
JAMES CUNDY, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John George Treadgold, of 4 and 5, Dorrington-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Tea Urn Manufacturer, surviving Partner of the late firm of Ralph Austin Pyrke and John George Treadgold, trading under the style or firm of J. S. Pyrke and Sons.

THE creditors of the above-named John George Treadgold who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ralph Chantry Pyrke, of 9, Thornhill-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, 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 16th day of March, 1876.

R. C. PYRKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Knight, of 100, London-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Cattle Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Knight who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Carpenter Taylor, of No. 4, Ship-street, Brighton aforesaid, Accountant, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

GEORGE CARPENTER TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Pratt and George Pratt, both of 13 and 14, Market-street, in the city of York, Grocers and Provision Dealers, trading under the style or firm of J. and G. Pratt.

THE creditors of the above-named John Pratt and George Pratt who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Wilkinson, the Trustee under the liquidation (addressed to me at the offices of Mr. George Crumie, Solicitor, 46, Stonegate, in the said city of York), or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

EDWARD WILKINSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax, In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Drake, of King Cross-street, Halifax, in the county of York, Ale and Porter Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named James Drake who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Christopher Tate Rhodes, of Ward's End, Southgate, Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, Agent, and Valuer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

C. T. RHODES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Haley Wolfenden, of No. 85, Northgate, Halifax, in the county of York, Linen Draper and Milliner.

THE creditors of the above-named Haley Wolfenden who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Roberts, of the firm of Foster, Roberts, and Co., Public Accountants, 31, Silver-street, 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, Trustee.

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 John Thackray Aspin, of St. Thomas Works, Paradise-street, in Bradford, in the county of York, Currier.

THE creditors of the above-named John Thackray Aspin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Murray Burgess, of 49, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Accountant, 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

ROBT. M. BURGESS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Isaac Rouse, of Charles-street and Temple-street, formerly of John-street, all in Huddersfield, in the county of York, Wholesale Clothier.

THE creditors of the above-named Isaac Rouse who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Payne, of No. 23, John William-street, Huddersfield, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

CHAS. PAYNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Spencer, of Trinity-street, Huddersfield, in the county of York, Tailor, Draper, Auctioneer, and Smallware Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Spencer who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Payne, of 23, John William-street, Huddersfield, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

CHAS. PAYNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Ashworth, of 12, Butterworth-street, in the borough of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, General Agent.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Ashworth who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their

debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Taylor, of the Butts, Rochdale aforesaid; Accountant, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

J. TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, by transfer from the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Hampson, of 77, Market-street, Stalybridge, in the county of Lancaster, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Hampson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, George Whitt, of No. 8, King-street, Manchester, Public Accountant, and Samuel Hunt, of No. 52, Portland-street, Manchester, Public Accountant, 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 25th day of March, 1876.

G. WHITT,
SAML. HUNT, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Hutton, of Woburn Sands, in the parish of Wavendon, in the county of Buckingham, Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick Hutton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Odell, of Newport Pagnell, in the county of Buckingham, Ironmonger, 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

JOHN ODELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Henry Robinson, of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, trading under the style or firm of Robinson Brothers and Company, Colliery and Mineral Agent, Coal Merchant, Wine and Spirit Merchant, and Ironmaster's Clerk.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Henry Robinson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, William Lewin and John George Ham, at our office, No. 3, Cambridge-street, Wellingborough aforesaid, 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

WM. LEWIN,
JNO. GEO. HAM, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Peter Perrin, of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Shoe and Upper Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Peter Perrin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Pendered, of Wellingborough aforesaid, Auctioneer, 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

THOMAS PENDERED, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Owen, of Deeping Saint Nicholas, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Grazier.

THE creditors of the above-named Richard Owen who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 3rd day of April, 1876, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, undersigned, Joseph Laming, of Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, Auctioneer, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

J. LAMING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Walker, of Hunslet, Leeds, in the county of York, Maltster, and of King Edward-street, Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Brewer and Wine and Spirit Merchant, trading at Macclesfield, as Walker and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Walker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Stead, of 11, Bank-street, Boar-lane, Leeds, in the county of York, Accountant, 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM STEAD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Robinson Atkinson, of Stone-street, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Robinson Atkinson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of March, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Lomas Harrison, of 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, 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 20th day of March, 1876.

WM. LOMAS HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Squires, of Lowesmoor, in the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler and Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Squires who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, David Shaw, of Pierpoint-street, in the city of Worcester, Public Accountant, 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

DAVID SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Allison and Thomas Edward Wilson, carrying on business at Cullercoats, in the county of Northumberland, as Cement Manufacturers, under the style or firm of James Allison, the said James Allison residing at No. 9, Denham-terrace, Wallsend, in the said county of Northumberland, and the said Thomas Edward Wilson, at the Whitehouse, Wallsend aforesaid.

THE creditors of the separate estate of the above-named James Allison who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Martin Winter, of No. 56, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, the Trustee under liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

JOHN M. WINTER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Smellie Meikle, of No. 16, Blenheim-street, and No. 9, Ridley-place, both in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Woolen Draper and Clothier.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Smellie Meikle who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of April, 1876, to send

their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Hannah, of No. 65, Clayton-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

ROBERT HANNAH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Shields, of Woodbine-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Builder and Contractor.

THE creditors of the above-named John Shields who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Lawrence Hall, of King-street, South Shields, 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 25th day of March, 1876.

JOHN L. HALL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Fawcett, of New Sleaford, in the county of Lincoln, Printer, Bookseller, Stationer, and Newspaper Proprietor.

THE creditors of the above-named William Fawcett who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Sharp, of 20, Gresham-street, in the city of London, 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 21st day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM SHARP, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Day, of Sutton Courtney, in the county of Berks, Wheelwright and Blacksmith.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Day who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Thomas Dean and Job Coxeter, the Trustees under the liquidation, addressed to us at the office of Mr. E. H. Bartlett, Solicitor, Abingdon, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

THOS. DEAN,
JOB COXETER, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Cooksley, of 37, Moor-street, Chepstow, in the county of Monmouth, Tailor.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Cooksley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick Henry Pearce, of 3, Church-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Auctioneer, 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 25th day of March, 1876.

F. H. PEARCE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Cotterell, of Quorn-street, in the borough of Derby, Timber Merchant, trading as E. Cotterell and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Cotterell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of March, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Herbert William Harrison, of No. 18, Wardwick, Derby, Accountant, 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 25th day of March, 1876.

H. W. HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Braund, of Gunnislake, in the parish of Colstock, in the county of Cornwall, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Braund who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edwin Wilkes, of No. 22, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Public Accountant, 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 24th day of March, 1876.

EDWIN WILKES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bell, of Underwood, the Braddons, Torquay, in the county of Devon, and George Bell, of Charlton, in the county of Kent, trading in copartnership at the Old Manor Office, Torquay aforesaid, under the style or firm of J. and G. Bell, Contractors.

THE creditors of the above-named John Bell and George Bell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of March, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Samuel Brazier Parsons, of Athenæum-chambers, Nicholas-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Public Accountant, or to James Collins, Jun., of 37, Broad-street, Bristol aforesaid, 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

SAMUEL BRAZIER PARSONS,
JAMES COLLINS, Jun., Trustees.

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 Edwin Creswell, of No. 54, Raleigh-street, in the town of Nottingham, and of Hardy and Farmer's Factory, Thoroton-street, in the same town, Lace Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Edwin Creswell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned Thomas Leman, of Nottingham, Accountant, 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 25th day of March, 1876.

THOS. LEMAN, Trustee.

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 Edmund Phillip Truman, of Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Fishmonger, Poulterer, and Fruiterer.

THE creditors of the above-named Edmund Phillip Truman who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of March, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Parsons, of Athenæum-chambers, Nicholas-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Public Accountant, 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

JNO. PARSONS, Trustee.

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 Thomas Richard James, of Waterloo-street, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Builder and Undertaker.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Richard James who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of March, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Parsons, of Athenæum-chambers, Nicholas-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Public Accountant, 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

JNO. PARSONS, Trustee.

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 Walter Webber Babb, of 22, Milk-street, and 12, Newfoundland-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Chemist and Druggist.

THE creditors of the above-named Walter Webber Babb who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of March, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Parsons, of Athenæum-chambers, Nicholas-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Public Accountant, 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

JNO. PARSONS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Phelps, of Green Farm, Highleadon, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Phelps who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Knowles, of King-street, Gloucester, Surveyor, 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 21st day of March, 1876.

WILLIAM KNOWLES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Blackman and William Poole Joyce, late of No. 33, Lime-street, and No. 10, Brown's-buildings, 81, Mary Axe, in the city of London, trading in copartnership under the name, style, or firm of Blackman, Joyce, and Co., Printers and Stationers, the said Walter Blackman residing at No. 20, Sewardstone-road, Victoria Park, in the county of Middlesex, and the said William Poole Joyce residing at No. 19, Downs-road, Clapton, in the said county of Middlesex.

FRANCIS NICHOLLS, of No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors 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 13th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andreas Alexander Vale, of 30, Great Saint Helens, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the style of Vale and Co.

JOHAN MACDONALD HENDERSON, of 2, Moor-street-buildings, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 16th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Fullicks, of 116, E Avenue, Metropolitan Meat Market, in the city of London, Meat Salesman and Butcher, residing at 36, Arbour-square, Stepney, Middlesex.

CORNELIUS VILLIERS GEORGE, of the Wool Exchange, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 21st day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Washington Rawley, of 53, Walworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Oil and Colour Man.

FREDERICK CAPE, of No. 61, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ponsford Lendon and Robert Cramp, of the Fort-road Brewery, Margate, in the county of Kent, trading under the style or firm of Lendon and Company.

EDWARD HART, of 57, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors 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 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ponsford Lendon, of the Fort-road Brewery, Margate, in the county of Kent, Brewer, as to his separate estate.

EDWARD HART, of 57, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Ponsford Lendon and Robert Cramp, of the Fort-road Brewery, Margate, in the county of Kent, Brewer, trading under the style or firm of Lendon and Company.

EDWARD HART, of No. 57, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of the debtor Robert Cramp. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 25th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Downey, of Steeple, in the county of Essex, Farmer and Dairyman.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, of Nos. 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, Public Accountant, and George Attenborough, of Steeple, in the county of Essex, Farmer, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor 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 20th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Howson Auderton, carrying on business at No. 2, New Market-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Draper, and residing in Alexandra-road, within Blackburn aforesaid.

JOSHUA CROWTHER, of Bath-chambers, York-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Ernest Augustus Moll, of 2, Essex-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county Lancaster, Commission Agent and Merchant.

CHARLES ROBINSON TREVOR, of Clarence-buildings, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph John Ballingall and Richard Hargreaves Bell, of 43, Dantzic-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants and Commission Agents, trading together in copartnership under the style or firm of Ballingall and Bell.

WILLIAM BUTCHER, of 73, Princess-street, Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors 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 17th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lee, of Forshaw-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Leather Merchant.

JOHN BLAKEY, of Leeds, in the county of York, Boot Manufacturer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Rose Willacy, of St. Helen's Mills, College-lane, St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Miller.

JOHN SUTHERLAND BANNER, of 24, North John-street, Liverpool, in the said county, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Nye, of 45, Market-street and 41, Meeting House-lane, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Furniture Dealer.

FREDERICK GEORGE CLARK, of 7, Union-street, Ship-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Accountant, and Ernest Foreman, of 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Stapleton, of Blackburn-road, Haslingden, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper.

JOSHUA CROWTHER, of Bath-chambers, York-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Anthony Parker, of No. 64, Stockbrook-street, Derby, in the county of Derby, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and Silk Spinner.

WILLIAM SAUNDERS, of the Wardwick, Derby aforesaid, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Insley, of Wolvey, in the county of Warwick, Farmer and Grazier

HENRY MERRICK, of the city of Coventry, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Webley, of High-street, Bromsgrove, in the county of Worcester, Clothier.

CHARLES MARRIS, of 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

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 George Lamb, of the town of Nottingham, Nurseryman and Seedsman.

JOSEPH PRESS, of the town of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 24th day of March, 1876.

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 Joseph Bird, of Sneinton, in the county of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer.

JOSEPH PRESS, of the town of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William John Treharue, commonly known as John Treharue, of the Castle Shop, Llantrissant, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer, Draper, and Ironmonger.

WILLIAM COURTENAY CLARK, of Cardiff, Accountant, and James Collins, Jun., of Bristol, Public Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor 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 15th day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Robert Rossiter, of Treherbert, in the parish of Ystradfydwg, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Draper.

JAMES COLLINS, of 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Tearsley, of No. 21, Worcester-street, and Market-parade, in the city of Gloucester, Coach Builder.

JOHN FITTLEK HUGHES, of Beaufort House, College-green, in the city of Gloucester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 25th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Peter Gill and William Gill, both of Tollerton, in the county of York, Millers and Corn Factors, trading under the name or style of Peter Gill and Son.

HENRY BURTON, of Newton-on-Ouse, in the county of York, Gentleman, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors 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 25th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Bilton Smith, of Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, Solicitor.

ROBERT ION DANDY, of Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, Grocer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 25th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard James, of Bishops Castle, in the county of Salop, Innkeeper and Farmer.

THOMAS GRIFFITHS, of Bishops Castle, in the county of Salop, Solicitor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Griffith, of Ditton-street, Ilminster, in the county of Somerset, Draper and General Shopkeeper.

ARTHUR BARRON, of No. 10, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Spooner and John Young, carrying on business in copartnership as Grocers and General Provision Dealers, under the style of Spooner and Young, at Jarrow Boldon Colliery, and Bloom Park, all in the county of Durham, the said John Spooner residing at Whitburn, in the said county, and the said John Young residing at Jarrow aforesaid.

JOHN GEORGE BENSON, of Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of John Young. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Haggie Eadie, of No. 146, Barras Bridge, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Grocer and Wine Merchant.

THOMAS BOWDEN, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick George Stott, of Wrekenton, in the borough of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Innkeeper and Saddler.

THOMAS TUCKER, of High-street, Gateshead, Brewer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 20th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Watson, of No. 6, Neville's Cross-avenue, in the city of Durham, Solicitor.

RANDAL STEVENSON, of the city of Durham, Draper, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Anne Moon, of Dale House, near Staithes, in the county of York, Widow.

FRANCIS JOHN HEXT BELLRINGER, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 18th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John George Moon, of Dale House, near Staithes, in the county of York, Miller.

FRANCIS JOHN HEXT BELLRINGER, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and

all debts due to the debtor 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 18th day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

A MEETING of the Creditors of John Smith, of the Foley Arms Inn, in the parish of Tarrington, in the county of Hereford, Sheep and Cattle Salesman, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 30th day of June, 1874, will be held at the office of Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 7th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the assent by the Trustee to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Sherwood, of Bolton House, 141, Church-street, Queen's Elm, Chelsea, and of 12, Grafton-street, Piccadilly, Hotel and Club House Keeper, and Wine Merchant, a Bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Sherwood will be held at the offices of Mr. James Davis, Solicitor, No. 51A, Conduit-street, Bond-street, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering a scheme of settlement whereby the debtor agrees to pay the Trustee's and Solicitor's agreed costs and charges, and to pay to the creditors a composition of one shilling in the pound on the amount of their debts due from the said William Sherwood and the Junior Oxford and Cambridge Club, within fourteen days from the confirmation of the resolution by the Court, and the adjudication of the 27th day of July, 1874, to be annulled.—Dated this 17th day of March, 1876.

J. SEYMOUR SALAMAN, 12, King-street, Cheapside, E.C., Solicitor for John Bath, the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

A MEETING of the Creditors of William Henry Gee, of Pilcher-gate, in the town of Nottingham, Elastic Web Manufacturer, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 30th day of December, 1875, will be held at Britannia-chambers, Pelham-street, in the said town of Nottingham, on Monday, the 10th day of April next, at one o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition of 3s. in the pound offered by the bankrupt, and for the annulling of the order of adjudication against the bankrupt, and releasing the Trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

THOS. LEMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

In the Matter of John Shackleton, formerly of Brinton-terrace, Halifax, in the county of York, but now of Haley Hill, Halifax aforesaid, Wool Dealer and Manufacturer, carrying on business at Cow Green, Halifax aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Shackleton and Son, adjudicated Bankrupt on the 14th day of December, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above-named John Shackleton will be held at the offices of Messrs. Holroyde and Smith, Solicitors, 13, Ward's-end, Halifax aforesaid, on Friday, the 7th day of April, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of passing a resolution on the Trustee's accounts, considering an application to be made by him to the Court on Thursday, the 20th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for an order releasing him from his office as Trustee, sanctioning the discharge of the bankrupt or otherwise, and for any other purpose that may be duly brought before the meeting.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

CHRISTR. TATE RHODES, of Ward's-end, Southgate, Halifax, Accountant, &c., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.

A MEETING of the Creditors of Walter Wright, of Fairstead, near Witham, in the county of Essex, Butcher, Dealer, and Licensed Victualler, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of October, 1873, will be held at No. 10, John-street, Bedford-row, London, on the

5th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning and passing a special resolution to the effect that the bankruptcy or the failure to pay ten shillings in the pound has, in the opinion of the Creditors, arisen from circumstances for which the bankrupt cannot justly be held responsible, and that they desire that an order of discharge should be granted to him and to testify their assent to the bankrupt applying to the Court for such order discharge accordingly, although the bankruptcy has not been closed.

WILLIAM PHILIPS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of John Motta, of Houghton-le Spring, in the county of Durham, Ironmonger, Jeweller and General Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of September, 1875, and will be paid by me, at No. 1, John-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, on and after the 3rd day of April, 1876.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

THOMAS SHERWOOD, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Green and Henry Green, trading as Green and Son, at Argyle-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Auctioneers, Appraisers, and Furniture Dealers, adjudicated bankrupts on the 7th day of September, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my office, 1, Pilgrim-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, on and after the 28th day of March, 1876.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

GEORGE STRONGITHARM, Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 2nd June 1869, against Joseph Needham, of 26, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Gunsmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 6d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 27, 1876.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 31st December, 1869, against Henry Holloway, of Dacre-road, Upton Manor, West Ham, late of East Ham, both in the county of Essex, Cowkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 4½d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 27, 1876.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 4th November, 1857, against Frederick George Earle, of 9, Salisbury-street, Middlesex, and late of Princes-square, Kennington, Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 0½d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 27, 1876.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 12th October, 1869, against George Morris, of Sheephoe Farm, East Acton, in the parish of Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 10½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those

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legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 27, 1876.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Archibald Gunning Barton, of No. 444, King's-road, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Archibald Gunning Barton, an order of adjudication was made on the 16th day of February, 1876. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 23rd day of March, 1876.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

In the Matter of Joseph Fall, of Wool, in the county of Dorset, Surgeon, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Joseph Fall, an order of adjudication was made on the 17th day of January, 1876. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 20th day of March, 1876.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Merthyr Tydfil.

In the Matter of Jesse Phillips, of No. 53, Glebsland-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Clothier, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Jesse Phillips, an order of adjudication was made on the 2nd day of October, 1874. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 24th day of March, 1876.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Bolleslas Henry d'Avigdor, of No. 98, Harley-street, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire.

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 Bolleslas Henry d'Avigdor having been given, it is ordered that the said Bolleslas Henry d'Avigdor be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

P. H. Pepys, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Bolleslas Henry d'Avigdor is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of April, 1876, 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 Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 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 Michel Kaspar, of No. 12, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Merchant's Clerk.

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 Michel Kaspar having been given, it is ordered that the said Michel Kaspar be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

P. H. Pepys, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Michel Kaspar is hereby summoned to be held at the

London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon, 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 Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 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 Joseph Moakes, of No. 6, Water-lane, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, and No. 59, Downs Park-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Ship Owner.

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 of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Joseph Moakes having been given, it is ordered that the said Joseph Moakes be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

James R. Brougham, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Joseph Moakes is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon, 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 in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Edward Treleaven, of Truro, in the county of Cornwall, Solicitor's Clerk.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debts of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Edward Treleaven having been given, it is ordered that the said Edward Treleaven be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 22nd day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

J. G. Chilcott, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Edward Treleaven is hereby summoned to be held at No. 15, St. Mary-street, Truro, on the 8th day of April, 1876, 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 the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Martin Francis Donegan, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Pig Dealer and Salesman.

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 of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Martin Francis Donegan having been given, it is ordered that the said Martin Francis Donegan be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

James F. Watson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Martin Francis Donegan is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, on the 10th day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, 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 Staffordshire, holden at

Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Manttan, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Jannner and Ironmonger.

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 John Manttan having been given, it is ordered that the said John Manttan be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

Fras. Sanders, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Manttan is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 10th day of April, 1876, 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 Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Branker Hamilton, of Brownroyd, Bradford, in the county of York, Grease and Oil Manufacturer, trading under the style of W. B. Hamilton 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 trading, and of the act of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Branker Hamilton having been given, it is ordered that the said William Branker Hamilton be, and he is hereby, adjudicated bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

Geo. Robinson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Branker Hamilton is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at nine 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 the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James Story, of Crowle Moor, near Crowle, in the county of York, Turf and Hemp Merchant.

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 of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said James Story having been given, it is ordered that the said James Story be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of March, 1876.

By the Court,

Thos. W. Rodgers, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James Story is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the Court, on the 11th day of April, 1876, at half-past ten 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 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 Stephen White, of 174, Lynton-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Edward Brooks, of 85, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Public 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, in the

county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 1876, 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 22nd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Adolph Heinrich Georg Von Halm Gallo, of 2, Lombard-court, in the city of London, Financial Agent, a Bankrupt.

William Henry Unwin, of 123, Hill-street, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Contractor, 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 27th day of April, 1876, 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 21st day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of William Starr Parkes, formerly of No. 114, Saint Owen-street, in the city of Hereford, Baker and Provision Dealer, but now of the Vine Inn, Blue School-street, in the said city of Hereford, out of business, Bankrupt.

Charles Pember, of the city of Hereford, 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 County Court Office, Hereford, on the 22nd day of April, 1876, 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 25th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of John Lewis, of Treorky, in the parish of Ystradfydwg, in the county of Glamorgan, Builder and Grocer and Provision Dealer, a Bankrupt.

John Daniel Thomas, of Swansea, in the said county of Glamorgan, High 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 Office of this Court on the 11th day of April, 1876, 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 18th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of William Springthorpe, of 16, Commercial-buildings, Cross-street, Manchester, trading under the firm of the Normanton Boring Company, a Bankrupt.

William Butcher, of 73, Princess-street, Manchester, Public 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 Court, on the 13th day of April, 1876, at half-past nine 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Ebenezer Richardson, of Nether Edge-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Engineer, a Bankrupt.

William Wake and Thomas William Rogers, the Registrars of the Court, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court-hall, Bank-street, Sheffield, on the 20th day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon. 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 23rd day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

On the 28th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Samuel Moore, of Regent-street, Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol, Ironmonger, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of October, 1870, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

On the 18th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Adam Robinson, of Crookrise, near Skipton, in the county of York, Farmer and Grazier, Horse and Cattle Dealer, Wool Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of July, 1875, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

On the 11th day of April, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, John Firth, of No. 13, Bedford-street, Gibbet-lane, Halifax, in the county of York, Slater and Plasterer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of July, 1876, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

On the 21st day of April, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, William Lording, of the British Oak Public House, Shooter's Hill, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of April, 1875, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor.

On the 20th day of April, 1876, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, Moses Parry, of Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, Tanner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of September, 1872, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edward Frederic Agnew, of Barnard Castle, in the county of Durham, Gentleman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of November, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 6th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

Surtess Wilkinson, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Second Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William James Prosser, of 20, Mark-lane, and 36 and 37, Mincing-lane, both in the city of London, formerly carrying on business in partnership with John Prosser, at the same place, under the style or firm of Prosser Brothers, Wine Merchant, and residing at 84, Angell-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of January, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

Fredk. B. Smart, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Charles Page, of 17, Omega-place, Alpha-road, Regent's Park, and also of 6, 10, and 11, William's-place, Little Grove-street, Marylebone, and also of 30, Little Church-street, Marylebone, and also of Newcastle-place, Paddington, all in the county of Middlesex, Cab Proprietor and Coach Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of May, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1876.

W. L. Clifton Browne, Trustee.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Joseph Hicks, of No. 6, Union-street and Newport-street, both in the parish of East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, Coal Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of January, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 8th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

Edwin Wilkes, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancaster, holden at Salford, by transfer from the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of George Barlow, of High-street, Haslingden, in the county

of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of January, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 3rd day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1876.

Thos. W. Handley, Trustee.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of James Drake, of Fyfield, in the county of Essex, Coal Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of April, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 8th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

Alfred Darby, Trustee.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Henry Edmonds, of Milford, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of August, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 4th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

J. H. W. Wyatt, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Banks, of Selby, in the county of York, Solicitor and Scrivener, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of February, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 1st day of June, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

Alexander Atkinson, one of the Trustees.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Alexander Hutchison, of 14, Prichard-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Bookseller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of January, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 8th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

W. C. Harvey, Trustee.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Samuel Hallett, formerly of Court Lodge Farm, Ashburnham, in the county of Sussex, and afterwards of 15, Terminus-road, Brighton, in the said county, Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of February, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of April, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1876.

J. Plumer Chapman, Trustee.

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, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, before William Powell Murray, Esq., a Registrar:

Henry Walter Durnford Green, formerly of 6, Denmark-terrace, Cold Harbour-lane, Camberwell, Surrey, then of 6, Claremont-place, Edinburgh, North Britain, and now of 46, Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury, Middlesex, Clerk in Her Majesty's Royal Engineer Department, at Edinburgh aforesaid, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of December, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 10th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Benjamin Higgs, of Broome-lane, Teddington, in the county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of May, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 10th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Kent, holden at the County Court Office, Cecil-square, Margate, before Egerton Isaacson, Esq., Registrar:

Calmer White, of Broadstairs, in the Isle of Thanet, in the county of Kent, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of May, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 6th day of April next, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

At the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Loughborough, before G. H. Woolley, Esq., Registrar:

William Adkin, of Mountsorrel, in the county of Leicestershire, Licensed Victualler and Labourer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of November, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 11th day of April next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Devonshire, holden at the Castle of Exeter, before R. E. M. Daw, Esq., Registrar:

George Braginton, of Great Torrington, in the county of Devon, Banker, carrying on business under the styles or firms of Braginton, Rimmington, and Company, and the Agricultural and Commercial Bank, Torrington, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of May, 1865, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at the Castle of Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 4th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupts' estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts. 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.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Solomon Solomon, of No. 101, Piccadilly, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was granted to Solomon Solomon, of No. 101, Piccadilly, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of July, 1872.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Richard Johnson and William Henry Johnson, of Camps-lane, Sheffield, in the county of York, Watchmakers and Pawnbrokers and Copartners, trading under the firm of Johnson and Son, Bankrupts.

An Order of Discharge was granted to Richard Johnson and William Henry Johnson, of Camps-lane, Sheffield, in the county of York, Watchmakers and Pawnbrokers and Copartners, trading under the firm of Johnson and Son, who were adjudicated bankrupts on the 10th day of November, 1873.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1875.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of William Evans, of Caerleon ultra Pontem' in the parish of Christchurch, in the county of Monmouth' Maltster and Farmer, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was granted to William Evans, of Caerleon ultra Pontem, in the parish of Christchurch, in the county of Monmouth, Maltster and Farmer, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of June, 1875.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton. In the Matter of Thomas Clark, of Richmond, Currier, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 2nd day of March, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and dividends amounting to four shillings and two pence farthing in the pound had been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Thomas Clark has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 18th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of John Shackleton, formerly of Brinton-terrace, Halifax, in the county of York, but now of Haley Hill, Halifax aforesaid, Wool Dealer and Manufacturer, carrying on business at Cow Green, Halifax aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Shackleton and Son, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of December, 1874.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 15th day of March, 1876, that to

the best of his knowledge and belief the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of one shilling and eight pence in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement filed at the Court, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has, to the best of the knowledge and belief of the Trustee, been realized, and a dividend to the amount of one shilling and eight pence in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Shackleton has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 16th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of John Watson, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Draper, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 24th day of December, 1875, reporting that sufficient of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors to pay to his creditors the amount of twenty shillings in the pound, which has been paid, as shown by the statement hereunto annexed, the creditors having foregone their claim for interest on their respective claims, the Court being satisfied that the property has been realized and that such dividend has been paid as aforesaid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Watson has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of December, 1875.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Michael Pattinson Thompson, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Accountant, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 10th day of March, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of two shillings in the pound has been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of two shillings has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Michael Pattinson Thompson has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 14th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Martin Thomas the younger, of Watling-street, in the city of Manchester, Wholesale Stationer, trading under the style of Hatton and Thomas, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt dated the 18th day of March, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and that three several dividends amounting in the whole to the sum of six shillings and seven pence and eleven-sixteenths of a penny in the pound have been paid as shown by the statement annexed to such report, the Court being satisfied that the whole of such property has been so realized, and that such dividends have been duly paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Martin Thomas the younger has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of John Batchelor Tirbutt, of Bromsgrove, in the county of Worcester, Professor of Music, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 16th day of March, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the said bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a

dividend to the amount of two shillings and five pence in the pound had been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that a dividend to the amount of two shillings and five pence in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Batchelor Tirbutt has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of John Powell, of Chatteris, in the county of Cambridge, Shoemaker and Dealer in Shoes, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 9th day of March, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of six shillings and eleven pence halfpenny in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of six shillings and eleven pence halfpenny in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Powell has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 25th day of March, 1876.

THE estates of George Smith Heatley, Veterinary Surgeon, Pathhead, Ford, were sequestrated on the 22nd day of March, 1876, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated the 22nd day of March, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, P.M., on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1876, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, 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 22nd day of July, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for the election of Trustee.

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

THOMAS DOWIE, S.S.C.,
49, Constitution-street, Leith, Agent.

THE estates of Robert Boyle Watson, sometime Glass Merchant, in Glasgow, now residing at Clynder, Roseneath, Dumbartonshire, as an Individual, and as a Partner of the firm of Watson and Holmes, Bottle Glass Manufacturers, Musselburgh, were sequestrated on the 22nd day of March, 1876, by the Sheriff of Stirling and Dumbarton.

The first deliverance is dated the 22nd day of March, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on the 1st day of April, 1876, at twelve o'clock, noon, within the Elephant Hotel, Dumbarton.

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 22nd day of July, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt as an Individual and as a Partner aforesaid, till the meeting for the election of a Trustee.

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

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