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Foreign Office, January 3, 1877.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Georges Groux as Consul at Bombay for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Richard Hitchens as Consul for Jamaica, to reside at Kingston, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Francisco Antonio Paul as Consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad, for the United States of Venezuela.

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*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,
January 4, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Tehran reporting that in consequence of an apprehended scarcity the exportation of grain from Bushire and the ports in the Persian Gulf has been for the present prohibited.

Admiralty, 3rd January, 1877.

Navigating Lieutenant John James Covey has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander 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—

Navigating Lieutenant Charles William McConachy has been placed on the Retired List from this date.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
5th January, 1877.*

85th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Arnold Charles Errington to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General George Campbell, C.B., deceased. Dated 23rd December, 1876.

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

George Renatus Le Pays, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1877.

*Civil Service Commission,
January 4, 1877.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Examination held in pursuance of the Regulations, dated the 24th of May, 1876, and published in the Gazette of October 20, 1876, and of a further notice published in the London Gazette of November 10, 1876, for one situation as Assistant to the Surveyor of Works for Scotland, and one situation as Second Assistant to one of the Surveyors of Works in England, in the Office of Her Majesty's Works, &c., the first two places were obtained by the following Candidates:—

1. Henry, Robert
2. Hawks, Henry Nicholas

*Civil Service Commission,
January 4, 1877.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Fifty-five Boy Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on Tuesday, the 20th of February, and following days, under the Regulations, dated 22nd May, 1876, and published in the London Gazette of the 30th May, 1876.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 12th of February, an "application" on a prescribed form, which may be obtained at once from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

*Civil Service Commission,
January 4, 1877.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant Curator in the Geological Museum of the Royal School of Mines under the Department of Science and Art.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration.

I. The limits of age for this situation are 20 and 35, and Candidates must be of the prescribed

age on the first day of the Competitive Examination.

II. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

Preliminary.

1. Handwriting and Orthography.
2. Transcribing.
3. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).
4. English Composition.

No Candidate will be eligible who does not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners in all the above subjects.

Competitive.

1. Latin.
2. French.
3. German.
4. Chemistry.
5. Geology.
6. Mineralogy.
7. Metallurgy.

III. Application for permission to attend a Preliminary Examination must be made in the writing of the Candidate, at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

IV. A fee of 10s. will be required from every Candidate attending the Preliminary Examination, and a further fee of £1 from every Candidate attending the Competitive Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competition for one situation of Assistant Curator in the Geological Museum of the Royal School of Mines under the Department of Science and Art, will be held in London, under the above Regulations, on Tuesday, the 27th of February, 1877, and following days.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on Tuesday, the 13th of February, 1877.

No person will be admitted to the Preliminary Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 3rd of February, an "application" on a prescribed form. This form may be obtained at once from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 160.)—NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN.

Bank off the Coast of Portugal.

INFORMATION has been received that Commander Gorringe, of the United States' steam sloop "Gettysburg," has reported the existence of a bank of soundings bearing N. 85° W., distant 180 miles from Cape St. Vincent :—

During a recent voyage of the "Gettysburg" across the Atlantic, when about 150 miles from the Strait of Gibraltar; the soundings decreased from 2,700 fathoms to 1,600 fathoms in the distance of a few miles; subsequent soundings 5 miles apart gave 900, 500, 400, and 100 fathoms; eventually a depth of 32 fathoms was obtained, and the vessel was anchored.

The ground on which the "Gettysburg" anchored was found to consist of live pink coral, of which several specimens were obtained.

Position of 32 fathoms (Gettysburg Bank) lat. 36° 29' N., long. 11° 33' W.

[The bearing is magnetic. Variation 20° Westerly in 1876.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
14th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :— North Atlantic Ocean (General), No. 2059; North Atlantic Ocean, Eastern Part, No. 2060 a; Gibraltar Strait to Gambia River, No. 1226; and British Islands to Mediterranean Sea, No. 1: Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, page 272.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 161.)—FRANCE—NORTH COAST.

Lights at Honfleur.

THE French Government has given notice, that from the 25th December, 1876, two new lights will be exhibited at the entrance to Honfleur Harbour, viz., a fixed red light, and a tidal light.

(1.) The fixed red light will be exhibited throughout the night, from an iron tower painted white, 39 feet within the extremity of the West Pier; the light will be elevated 27 feet above the ground, and 33 feet above the level of high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of about 6 miles.

(2.) The tidal light will be a fixed white light, varied by a series of coloured flashes which will indicate the depth of water in the channel, and will be exhibited from a brick tower at the end of the East Pier, in the same position as the light now showing the height of the tide; this light will be elevated 35 feet above the ground, and 39 feet above the level of high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 9 miles.

NOTE.—The fixed white light will only be exhibited when there are at least 6½ feet water in the channel; each red flash will indicate 3 additional feet, and each green flash ¾ of a foot more. Thus, the white light varied by red flashes, followed by one green flash, signifies that the depth in the channel is 14 feet. Should the white light be varied by one red flash followed by three green flashes, the depth in the channel will be 12½ feet.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :— English Channel, Nos. 1598 and 2675 a; Havre Roadstead, No. 2680; and Trouville to Dieppe, No. 2612. Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the North and West Coasts of France, &c., 1876, Nos. 98 and 99; and Channel Pilot, Part II, 3rd Edition, page 70.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 162.)—MEDITERRANEAN—GULF OF TARANTO.

Alteration in Harbour Light at Gallipoli.

THE Italian Government has given notice, that the red harbour light at Gallipoli is discontinued, and that in place thereof a light is now exhibited on the mole head.

This new light is a *fixed* white light, exhibited from a cylindrical tower 16 feet high, elevated 36 feet above the level of the sea, and should be visible from seaward in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles.

Position, lat. $40^{\circ} 3' 25''$ N., long. $17^{\circ} 58' 50''$ E.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mediterranean Sea, Nos. 2153 and 2718 *b*; Adriatic Sea, No. 1440; Cape Vaticano to Monopoli, 198; Ragusia Vecchia to Palermo, No. 205; and Gallipoli Harbour, No. 204. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, &c., 1876, No. 318.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 163.)—NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN.—AZORES
—ST. MICHAEL (SAN MIGUEL).

Fixed and Flashing Light on Arnel Point.

THE Portuguese Government has given notice, that a light is now exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Arnel Point, north-east coast of St. Michael Island.

The light is a *fixed* white light, varied by a flash every *two* minutes, elevated 222 feet above the mean level of the sea, and in clear weather should be visible from seaward, through an arc of 240° , from a distance of 18 miles. The flashes should be visible 25 miles.

The tower (on the east side of the square building which serves as the keeper's dwelling) is octagonal, and its base is 183 feet above the mean level of the sea.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric on by lenses, of the second order.

Position, lat. $37^{\circ} 49' 20''$ N., long. $25^{\circ} 8' 30''$ W.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
19th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Atlantic Ocean, Eastern Part, No. 2060 *a*, and San Miguel Island, Azores, No. 1854; also Admiralty List of Lights on the North and West Coasts of France, &c., 1876, No. 353 *b*; and African Pilot, Part I, 2nd Edition, page 31.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 164.)—BAL TIC ENTRANCE—THE SOUND.
DROGDEN CHANNEL.

(1.) *Fixed Lights on North Rose Shoal.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 93, dated 19th July, 1876, the Danish Government has given further notice, that two lights are now exhibited from the scaffolding of the lighthouse in course of construction on North Rose Shoal; and that the boats, from which a *fixed* white light was shown, have been withdrawn.

The lights, placed vertically, are *fixed* white lights. The upper light is elevated 28 feet, and the lower 21 feet above the level of the sea.

NORTH SEA—SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN.

(2.) *Intended Lights at Munkmarsch Harbour, Sylt Island.*

The German Government has given notice of the intended establishment of two leading lights

at Munkmarsch Harbour, on the east side of Sylt Island.

The lights will be *fixed* white harbour lights, exhibited from wooden structures on the south side of the landing pier, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of about 6 miles, through an arc of 90° , between Lister Ley and Wester Ley.

NOTE.—The two lights in line will lead to Munkmarsch Harbour through the new channel, now being formed, between the sand banks.

The northern light will be exhibited towards the end of the present year; but the southern light not till next year, on the completion of the channel.

Position of northern light, lat. $54^{\circ} 55' 10''$ N., long. $8^{\circ} 21' 50''$ E.

(3.) *Intended Leading Lights at Hoyer.*

Also, of the intended exhibition in the present year of two leading lights at Hoyer, Schleswig.

The lights will be *fixed* white lights, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of about 6 to 8 miles.

The northern light will be exhibited from a wooden post at Hoyer Water-gate, and will be visible through an arc of 90° .

The southern light will be exhibited from an iron structure at Friedrichen Koog, 1,094 yards from the northern light, and will be visible through an arc of 120° .

NOTE.—These lights will be visible from between Kohlby Ley and Naesodde, and kept in line will lead through the channel from Hoyer Deep to Hoyer Water-gate.

Position of northern light, lat. $54^{\circ} 57' 30''$ N., long. $8^{\circ} 41' 10''$ E.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
19th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) North Sea, No. 2339; Baltic Sea, No. 2812*a*; Kattegat, No. 2114; and Sound, Copenhagen, &c., No. 2115: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., 1876, page 30; and Danish Pilot, 1853, page 166.

(2.) and (3.) North Sea, No. 2182*a*; and Eider River to Blaavand Point, No. 1887: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, 1876, page 22; and North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 2nd Edition, pages 210 and 215.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 165.)—JAPAN—NIPON ISLAND.

(1.) *Fixed Light on Siritza Saki, Tsugar Strait.*

THE Japanese Government has given notice, that a light is now exhibited from a lighthouse erected on Siritza Saki, the north-east point of Nipon Island.

The light is a *fixed* white light, visible from seaward through an arc of 311° or between the bearings of N. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. through west and south to N.E. by E.; the light is elevated 150 feet above the level of the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 18 miles.

The tower, 94 feet high, is circular, constructed of brick and painted white.

The illuminating apparatus is of the second order.

Position, lat $41^{\circ} 26' 10''$ N., long. $141^{\circ} 29' 25''$ E.

NOTE.—Rattler Rock (awash at low water) bears N. 61° E., distant about $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles from Siritza Saki Lighthouse.

(2.) *Fixed Light on Kinghasan Island, Sendai Bay.*

Also, that a light is now exhibited from a light-house erected on the east side of Kinghasan (Kingwasan) Island, at the east point of Sendai Bay.

The light is a *fixed* white light, visible from seaward through an arc of 216°, or between the bearings of S. by W. through west and north to N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E.; the light is elevated 178 feet above the level of the sea, and should be visible in clear weather for a distance of 19 miles.

The tower, built of granite, is 28 feet high and circular.

The illuminating apparatus is of the first order.

Position, lat. 38° 19' N., long. 141° 36' E.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation $3\frac{1}{4}$ ° Westerly, in 1876.]

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

19th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Pacific, sheet 1, No. 2459; Kuril Islands, No. 2405; Nipon Island, No. 2347; and Tsugar Strait, No. 2441: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, &c., 1876, page 32; and China Sea Directory, Vol. IV, 1873, page 199.

(2.) Pacific, sheet 1, No. 2459; Nipon Island, No. 2347: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, &c., 1876, page 32; and China Sea Directory, Vol. IV, 1873, page 198.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 166).—ENGLAND.—EAST COAST—FARN ISLANDS.

(1.) *Fog Signal at Longstone Lighthouse.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 107, dated August 21st, 1876, on the intended establishment of fog signals on the Coast of England:—

The Trinity House, London, has given notice, that a fog signal has been established at Longstone Lighthouse, Farn Islands.

Two blasts in quick succession are sounded every two minutes.

SOUTH COAST.

(2.) *Fog Signal at Start Point Lighthouse.*

Also, that a fog signal has been established at Start Point Lighthouse, and giving one blast every three minutes.

WEST COAST.

(3.) *Fog Signal at Skerries Lighthouse, Holyhead.*

Also, that a fog signal has been established at Skerries Lighthouse, Holyhead, and giving one blast every three minutes.

Intended Establishment of Fog Signals.

Also, that fog signals will be established at the undermentioned stations on the Coast of England, namely:—

WEST COAST.

(4.) St. Anne Lighthouse, Milford Haven.—One blast every three minutes, in January, 1877.

(5.) Bardsey Island.—One blast every five minutes in March, 1877.

WEST COAST.

(6.) *Exhibition of Light on Lelant Jetty, Hayle Harbour.*

Also, that sanction has been given for the exhibition of a fixed *red* light on the jetty of the Lelant Quay, Hayle Harbour.

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

19th December, 1876.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Farn Islands to Berwick, No. 111; St. Abb's Head to Thames River, No. 2902 *b*: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1876, No. 175; and North Sea Pilot, Part III, 3rd Edition, page 17.

(2.) English Channel, General, No. 1598; English Channel, sheet 2, No. 2675 *b*; Dodman to Start, No. 25; Start Point to Portland, No. 2620: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1876, No. 14; and Channel Pilot, Part I, 4th Edition, page 104.

(3.) Bardsey to Lynus Point, No. 1412; Holyhead to Liverpool, No. 1170 *a*; Holyhead Bay, No. 1413: Also, Admiralty Lists of Lights in the British Islands, 1876, No. 367; and Sailing Directions for the West Coast of England, 2nd Edition, page 88.

(4.) English Channel, General, No. 1598; English Channel, sheet 2, No. 2675 *b*; Irish Channel, No. 1825 *b*; Ireland, General, No. 1824 *a*; Bristol Channel, sheet 3, No. 1179; Bristol Channel to New Quay, No. 1410; Milford Haven, No. 2393: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1876, No. 380; and Sailing Directions for the Bristol Channel, 1872, page 52.

(5.) Irish Channel, No. 1825 *b*; Ireland, General, No. 1824 *a*; New Quay to Bardsey, No. 1411; Bardsey to Lynus Point, No. 1412: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1876, No. 375; and Sailing Directions for the West Coast of England, 2nd Edition, page 66.

(6.) Dodman Point to Trevoze Head, No. 2565; St. Ives Bay, No. 1987: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1876, page 54; and Sailing Directions for the Bristol Channel, 1872, page 8.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 167).—COAST OF PORTUGAL.—RIVER TAGUS ENTRANCE.

Sunken Wreck in South Channel.

INFORMATION has been received from Rear-Admiral F. Beauchamp P. Seymour, C.B., commanding the Channel Squadron, of the British screw steam vessel "Woodham" having foundered in the South Channel of the entrance of River Tagus.

The wreck is reported to lie on the northern edge of South Cachopo Shoal, on the following bearings, namely:—

At night: Cape Roca within Cascaes; and Belem Light in line with Bugio Light.

By day: Cape Roca between Almagneira and Santo Antonio; and the Adjuda Palace in line with Fort Bugio.

The wreck, the masts of which have been washed away, will be buoyed by the local authorities as soon as the weather moderates.

CAUTION.—The position of the wreck, as given, must be considered approximate, the vessel having

been washed eastward by the gales since she foundered.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
 Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
 29th December, 1876.

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Entrance of the River Tagus, with the Harbour of Lisbon, No. 89; West Coast of Spain and Portugal, Cape Finisterre to Cape St. Vincent, No. 87; also, Sailing Directions for the West Coast of France, Spain, and Portugal, 2nd Edition, page 260.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Reigate, in the county of Surrey, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the office of the Clerk to the Commissioners, in Bell-street, Reigate, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Reigate aforesaid.

Alfred Montgomery.
Chas. Keith-Falconer.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
 London, January 3, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at North-street, in the parish of Pewsey, in the county of Wilts, in the district of Pewsey, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 20th day of December, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of December, 1876.

S. B. Dixon, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Sandon Chapel, situate at Roe Green, in Sandon, in the parish of Sandon, in the county of Hartford, in the district of Royston, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 21st day of December, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 28th day of December, 1876.

Thomas Shell, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Clifton Bethesda, situate at Alma-road, in the parish of Clifton, in the county of Gloucester, in the district of Clifton, being a building certified according to law as a

place of religious worship, was, on the 2nd day of January, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 3rd day of January, 1877.

Robert Mercer, Superintendent Registrar.

PRESIDENCY OF DOMINICA.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Commissioners for carrying into execution the Act of Parliament 2 and 3 William the 4th, cap. 125, and the Acts amending the same (commonly called the West India Islands Relief Commissioners), who have from time to time made loans on security of the estates in the said Presidency, mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and in respect of which loans the whole of the principal sums, with arrears of interest, are now owing, are prepared, in concert with the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, to treat with the several persons entitled to such estates, for compounding upon moderate terms the debts under such securities, and thereupon for fully releasing the estates from all claims in respect thereof. And notice is hereby further given, that the Commissioners intend, after the 31st of May, 1877, to exercise their powers of sale of the said estates, in respect of which no agreement for composition shall then have been entered into. And notice is hereby also given, that all persons dealing with the said estates, without regard to the claims under the above-mentioned securities, will do so at their own risk.

Inquiries and communications on the above subject to be addressed to the Secretary of the West India Islands Relief Commissioners, 3, Bank-buildings, London, or to William Henry Porter, Esq., Secretary to the Commissioners in Aid, Government Office, Dominica.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

The Schedule above referred to.

Name of Estate.	Parish where situated.
Aberdeen	St. Luke
Amelia and Bona Vista	St. Paul
Bois Côtellette... ..	St. Mark
Belle Vue	St. George
Bagatelle	St. Luke
Belle Vue	St. Andrew
Cumberland Valley and Mount Prosper	St. George
Château	St. George
Farm	St. George and St. Luke
Félicité... ..	St. Peter
Grange... ..	St. Peter
Great Capuchin (that portion unsold by the Crown)	St. John
Gomier... ..	St. George
La Jalouse	St. Luke
Morne Vrai	St. George
Mount Joy	St. Paul
Roche D'Or	St. Joseph
Rosie	St. Peter
South Chiltern	St. Luke and St. Mark

W. W. Willink, Secretary,
 West India Islands Relief Commissioners.

SOLDIERS' BALANCES UNCLAIMED.

IN pursuance of the "Regimental Debts Act, 1863," notice is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the War Department has available, for distribution amongst the Next of Kin or others entitled, the sum of money set opposite to the name of each of the deceased soldiers named in the list which is published with this notice in the London Gazette, and the "Army List," and is also to be seen at the Quarters of the several Staff Officers for the Recruiting and Pension Service throughout the United Kingdom.

Applications from persons supposing themselves entitled as Next of Kin should be addressed by letter to "The Under-Secretary of State, War Office, London, S.W.," and marked outside "Soldier's Effects."

No application can be attended to which does not state the date and place of the soldier's birth, enlistment, and death, and the name of his regiment; his regimental number should also be stated if known.

Should these particulars furnished by the applicant not agree with the facts recorded on the War Office documents relating to the deceased soldier, the applicant will be so informed; but should they agree therewith, then within three calendar months the Secretary of State will furnish the applicant with the usual requirements needed for the proof of the alleged relationship.

The application must be authenticated by the signature of the applicant, and his name should be affixed in the presence of the clergyman, or one of the churchwardens of the parish, or a Justice of the Peace; the applicant's address, with the name of the post town, must also be clearly stated. No personal application can receive attention.

Further lists will from time to time be published, and therefore it will facilitate the applicant's inquiries to give the number and date of the notice in which the deceased soldier's name appeared.—EFFECTS, 1876-7.

By order of the said Principal Secretary,
J. C. W. VIVIAN.

NOTE.—A copy of this Notice is to be seen at the Quarters of the several Staff Officers for the Recruiting and Pension Service throughout the United Kingdom.

LIST XCIII of the Names of Soldiers deceased since 1865, whose Personal Estate is held by the Secretary of State for War for distribution amongst the Next of Kin or others entitled.

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.	
			£	s. d.
Adams, Benjamin	Private	2nd Battalion, 7th Regiment ...	18	10 7
Avery, George	Gunner	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	11 6
Bacon, Charles	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment ...	1	14 6
Baillie, Alexander	Gunner	18th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	5	1 10
Baldock, Samuel	Driver	1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	1	12 8
Barrett, Patrick	Colour-Serjeant	102nd Regiment	2	14 6
Belfall, William	Private	44th Regiment	13	6 5
Berry, Thomas	Private	109th Regiment... ..	10	3 5
Bloomfield, Charles	Private	44th Regiment	9	0 7
Boulton, James	Private	7th Dragoon Guards	1	5 7
Boyle, David	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	1	16 0
Chapman, Edgar	Private	1st Battalion, 9th Regiment ...	0	9 9
Cleggett, C.	Bombardier	1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	3 10
Conlon, James	Gunner	10th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	1	8 7
Cook, William	Gunner	Coast Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	5	0 0
Dale, Thomas	Private	102nd Regiment	0	11 10
Damant, Alfred	Corporal	1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	3	2 6
Davis, George	Private	1st Battalion, 23rd Regiment ...	1	6 10
Dwann, Thomas	Private	5th Lancers	10	4 7
Farrand, Samuel... ..	Private	101st Regiment	0	18 1
Fendke, Joseph... ..	Private	44th Regiment	8	11 8
Fisher, Alexander	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment ...	8	8 4
Frappell, Edward	Shoeing Smith	6th Dragoons	3	12 10
Fraser, Thomas	Private	78th Regiment	0	12 6
Gatey, Thomas	Gunner	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	2	1 9
Gilbert, Samuel	Gunner	23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	3	6 10
Gilligan, Patrick... ..	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	19	2 0
Gillon, Michael	Private	101st Regiment	0	1 9
Harrison, John	Private	75th Regiment	2	10 0
Harvey, Thomas... ..	Private	105th Regiment... ..	0	3 4
Hayes, Henry	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	5	11 3
Herman, J.	Serjeant	Royal Engineers	219	6 7

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.		
			£	s.	d.
Holland, Hugh	Private	44th Regiment	4	6	1
Holland, Samuel	Sapper	Royal Engineers	3	0	0
Holmes, Miles	Private	90th Regiment	2	6	0
Kelly, Martin	Lance-Corporal	2nd Battalion, 4th Regiment	0	6	10
Kent, George	Serjeant	2nd Dragoon Guards	4	16	10
Kidd, James	Corporal	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery	1	16	0
King, G.	Serjeant	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery	0	3	8
King, Henry	Private	1st Dragoons	0	9	0
Knight, Michael	Shoeing Smith	6th Dragoons	0	12	0
Langham, James... ..	Private	17th Lancers	2	1	9
Le Masurier, Frank P.	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery	4	8	5
Logue, John	Private	88th Regiment	0	2	10
Maloney, Patrick	Private	95th Regiment	5	0	5
Maltby, Charles	Gunner	16th Brigade, Royal Artillery	4	1	9
Marks, John	Private	89th Regiment	9	17	11
Marriott, John	Gunner	12th Brigade, Royal Artillery	2	15	3
Mist, Henry	Private	2nd Battalion, 7th Regiment	7	8	7
Morgan, John	Private	1st Battalion, 19th Regiment	2	4	5
Morris, Richard	Private	2nd Dragoon Guards	0	1	11
Murdock, William	Corporal	1st Battalion, 16th Regiment	2	10	8
Murphy, Edward	Gunner	12th Brigade, Royal Artillery	1	9	6
Murphy, James	Private	107th Regiment... ..	5	5	10
Murphy, Henry	Corporal	1st Rifle Brigade	6	17	10
Murray, F.	Sapper	Royal Engineers	3	9	4
McArdle, M.	Private	2nd Dragoons	1	9	2
McArthur, Thomas	Private	2nd Dragoons	2	9	1
McGuire, R.	Gunner	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery	3	1	3
McGregor, Donald	Private	2nd Dragoons	10	2	8
McKenna, John	Driver	24th Brigade, Royal Artillery	5	0	8
O'Keeffe, Samuel	Lance-Corporal	21st Hussars	3	1	0
Pratt, John	Serjeant	102nd Regiment	0	15	7
Ready, Patrick	Private	107th Regiment... ..	2	13	8
Reddington, Michael	Private	84th Regiment	2	0	0
Bedford, Patrick... ..	Drummer	1st Battalion, 19th Regiment	4	6	8
Reid, James	Private	92nd Regiment	7	2	10
Robertson, John	Gunner	23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	5	2	10
Rutledge, Robert... ..	Bombardier	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery	5	2	10
Salter, William	Private	98th Regiment	4	15	9
Scrivens, William Henry	Shoeing Smith	18th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7	12	11
Sharfield, James	Private	37th Regiment	2	2	6
Shaw, Martin	Collar Maker	17th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7	14	1
Smith, Charles	Private	2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment	4	15	6
Smith, John	Private	1st Battalion, 25th Regiment	10	17	0
Smith, Arthur	Private	1st Battalion, 85th Regiment	0	12	3
Street, Thomas	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	10	6	2
Thaxter, Joseph	Private	1st Dragoons	1	14	11
Thompson, James	Private	7th Hussars	0	1	7
Tunstall, W.	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	5	19	0
Vickers, Joseph	Bombardier	7th Brigade, Royal Artillery	2	4	7
Vogt, John	Private	84th Regiment	0	1	4
Walking, George W.	Gunner	12th Brigade, Royal Artillery	1	1	9
Westaway, William I.	Driver	Royal Engineers	1	12	2
Wilmott, James	Driver	14th Brigade, Royal Artillery	3	7	2
McGee, R. B., 4/23009	Gunner	5th Brigade, Royal Artillery	22	3	3
Grundy, Edmund, 4/23017	Gunner	21st Brigade, Royal Artillery	1	14	7
Farrell, Henry, 4/23021... ..	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	1	18	9
Shakes, F., 5/25570	Private	32nd Regiment	3	2	2

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			£	s.	d.
Allen, James	Private	65th Regiment	2	0	10
Ashbury, Joseph... ..	Private	91st Regiment	8	9	5
Baker, Henry	Gunner	1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	6	6	5
Baxter, William	Private	68th Regiment	2	19	7
Baxter, George	Private	1st Battalion, 6th Regiment ...	8	11	9
Beck, William H.	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	3	8	7
Best, Archibald	Gunner	E Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery	3	17	6
Browne, William... ..	Bombardier	12th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	7	14	1
Cahill, Thomas	Private	85th Regiment	12	14	9
Carr, James	Gunner	10th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	1	12	10
Clapham, Thomas	Corporal	2nd Battalion, 13th Regiment... ..	2	5	2
Coates, R.	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	19	0
Connors, M.	Gunner	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	1	0	3
Dalton, John	Gunner	25th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	2	11
Dodds, Matthew	Private	26th Regiment	34	14	5
Donohoe, Patrick	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	4	16	1
Doran, Martin	Serjeant	108th Regiment... ..	11	2	3
Douglas, Marcus... ..	Private	65th Regiment	5	16	4
Douglas, W.	Gunner	18th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	6	5
Downing, David	Private	97th Regiment	5	0	8
Driver, William	Private	73rd Regiment	5	1	10
Duckworth, Wright	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	4	0	8
Eccles, William	Private	51st Regiment	2	2	2
Faloon, Henry	Driver	18th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	19	3
Fleming, John	Gunner	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	7	5	1
Flynn, Patrick	Private	51st Regiment	8	12	7
Harwood, Henry... ..	Private	51st Regiment	5	10	3
Hillier, John	Private	68th Regiment	2	19	2
Jackson, Robert	Private	1st Battalion, 14th Regiment ...	20	13	10
Kellett, John	Private	1st Battalion, 9th Regiment ...	0	17	3
Kempt, William	Private	29th Regiment	2	18	5
Lennon, Thomas... ..	Private	68th Regiment	33	0	8
Leslie, Robert	Corporal	33rd Regiment	0	7	8
Lewis, Randle	Corporal	21st Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	5	9	3
Lewis, George	Private	87th Regiment	2	7	5
Macmahon, Boswell	Corporal	68th Regiment	2	0	5
Marcroft, Joseph	Private	91st Regiment	1	10	0
Martins, Janquard	Private	109th Regiment... ..	4	14	4
Mellor, Henry	Gunner	12th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	7	16	4
Merchant, Martin	Private	1st Battalion, 18th Regiment ...	16	5	6
Meyers, A. R.	Sapper	Royal Engineers	2	2	11
Mole, William	Driver	D Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery	0	3	4
Montin, Charles	Private	96th Regiment	0	13	11
Morgan, John	Private	82nd Regiment	0	6	4
Morgan, Thomas... ..	Private	65th Regiment	3	18	5
Murphy, Edward	Private	55th Regiment	9	7	0
Murphy, John	Private	81st Regiment	2	8	1
McDonnell, Henry	Gunner	1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	4	2	10
McHugh, Patrick	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	3	16	9
McKenzie, Peter... ..	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	22	14	8
Nash, Henry	Bombardier	17th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	12	19	0
Nutley, A.	Driver	24th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0	8	11
Paddy, I. H.	Gunner	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	6	4	1
Parker, Thomas	Private	63rd Regiment	17	19	2

Name.	Rank.	Regiment	Amount.
			£ s. d.
Parrott, John	Gunner	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	0 4 5
Preston, John	Private	81st Regiment	1 13 2
Shilling, Edward... ..	Private	107th Regiment	6 8 11
Surie, John	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	0 9 5
Swain, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 60th Regiment ...	2 14 1
Thompson, Charles	Private	65th Regiment	3 18 10
Walls, Samuel	Private	54th Regiment	5 11 2
Watt, William I.	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	3 8 5
Williams, John	Private	63rd Regiment	1 17 5
Williams, Charles	Drummer	1st Battalion, 19th Regiment ...	1 15 0
Wright, John	Serjeant	32nd Regiment	83 17 8
Zeally, Edwin A.	Paymaster-Serjeant	95th Regiment	1 17 2

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Bower, Walter	Private	2nd Battalion, 7th Regiment ...	2 5 3
Bower, Joseph	Private	83rd Regiment	4 18 9
Brooks, James	Private	55th Regiment	9 11 6
Brown, George	Private	76th Regiment	4 8 10
Calcutt, William... ..	Private	2nd Battalion, 25th Regiment ...	3 5 4
Call, Thomas	Private	1st Battalion, 14th Regiment ...	2 15 9
Carroll, Patrick	Private	2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment ...	9 9 9
Chopping, George	Private	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment ...	8 15 4
Collins, John	Private	1st Battalion, 17th Regiment ...	5 14 7
Grane, Samuel	Serjeant-Major	2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment ...	18 14 0
Daley, James	Private	2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment ...	3 12 1
Danton, Thomas	Private	85th Regiment	5 2 11
Drury, James	Private	51st Regiment	3 10 4
Dyer, George	Private	36th Regiment	4 1 0
Fitch, George	Private	2nd Battalion, 19th Regiment ...	13 13 9
Fitzpatrick, Denis	Private	2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment ...	3 14 7
Flannery, James... ..	Private	63rd Regiment	13 18 0
Foley, James	Private	1st Battalion, 2nd Regiment ...	2 10 6
Gallagher, Peter... ..	Private	1st Battalion, 3rd Regiment ...	24 7 6
Galloway, John	Private	72nd Regiment	13 9 2
Heather, George	Private	107th Regiment... ..	2 0 0
Hewitt, George	Private	1st Battalion, 3rd Regiment ...	5 13 7
Hides, Samuel	Private	2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment ...	8 14 10
Howard, Richard	Private	2nd Battalion, 60th Regiment ...	5 11 6
Jackson, Henry	Corporal	108th Regiment... ..	4 13 5
Jolly, Henry	Private	109th Regiment... ..	8 2 5
Johnson, William	Private	83rd Regiment	7 5 0
Jones, Richard	Private	109th Regiment... ..	3 12 2
Judkins, William	Private	62nd Regiment	6 0 4
Kelly, Michael	Corporal	108th Regiment... ..	23 5 9
Lambert, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment ..	5 18 3
Lee, Thomas	Private	89th Regiment	4 1 3
Lynch, Patrick	Private	1st Battalion, 3rd Regiment ..	21 12 1

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
McGorey, Philip...	Private	63rd Regiment	£ 7 1 3.
Meehan, John ...	Private	36th Regiment	7 15 5.
Moore, James ...	Private	2nd Battalion, 22nd Regiment	2 7 6
Mortimer, William ...	Private	2nd Battalion, 22nd Regiment	4 6 2
Morton, Richard...	Private	1st Battalion, 5th Regiment	5 15 10
Murphy, Hugh ...	Private	55th Regiment	3 2 2.
Newberry, Thomas ...	Private	2nd Battalion, 22nd Regiment	1 13 3.
Pierce, John ...	Private	51st Regiment	9 3 8
Pointer, Frank ...	Private	67th Regiment	2 3 11
Priest, Edwin ...	Private	109th Regiment	4 18 2.
Quinn, Hugh ...	Private	26th Regiment	9 13 0.
Rackham, James...	Serjeant Unat. List	2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment	4 14 1
Randall, Robert ...	Private	72nd Regiment	3 1 0
Rebbing, Frederick ...	Private	109th Regiment	2 13 5
Rogerson, William ...	Private	40th Regiment	6 15 8.
Rolfe, Harry ...	Private	67th Regiment	3 3 0
Rowe, Robert ...	Private	2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment	31 19 3.
Salmond, John ...	Corporal	1st Battalion, 2nd Regiment	52 7 5.
Shaw, William ...	Private	107th Regiment	2 8 4
Shearman, Thomas ...	Private	83rd Regiment	2 4 2
Smith, James ...	Private	40th Regiment	9 0 10.
Smith, John ...	Private	68th Regiment	3 1 9.
Smith, James ...	Private	1st Battalion, 6th Regiment	9 2 2
Speiss, Jacob ...	Private	109th Regiment	5 7 5
Walker, William...	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment	2 6 4.
Welby, William ...	Private	1st Battalion, 3rd Regiment	6 8 10.
Whieldon, John ...	Private	1st Battalion, 5th Regiment	6 2 1.
Wilson, James ...	Private	1st Battalion, 5th Regiment	2 11 6.
Wilson, John ...	Private	109th Regiment	0 11 3
Worthington, Thomas ...	Private	26th Regiment	4 17 2.
Wysner, Stuart ...	Private	40th Regiment	4 5 7

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Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
Ball, Charles ...	Private	2nd Battalion, 5th Regiment	£ 0 2 9.
Benham, Philip ...	Private	97th Regiment	0 10 4
Blaver, Emery ...	Private	4th Battalion, Rifle Brigade	0 5 8
Bourton, William ...	Private	1st Battalion, 1st Regiment	0 4 2
Butcher, Golden ...	Private	27th Regiment	1 6 10
Cook, James ...	Private	91st Regiment	12 14 9
Corcoran, Patrick ...	Private	1st Battalion, 23rd Regiment	2 3 11.
Cosgrove, John ...	Corporal	2nd Battalion, 20th Regiment	2 15 3.
Daley, Patrick ...	Private	107th Regiment	0 11 8.
Donogen, John ...	Private	90th Regiment	0 4 +
Edigton, William ...	Pensioner	91st Regiment	1 8 7
Fleury, Thomas ...	Private	100th Regiment	3 10 9.
Foden, Charles ...	Serjeant	8th Hussars	0 11 0
Goodall, Daniel ...	Gunner	Coast Brigade, Royal Artillery	3 12 11
Graham, Peter ...	Private	2nd Battalion, 5th Regiment	0 3 9
Harris, Charles ...	Serjeant	Coast Brigade, Royal Artillery	0 5 11.
Heath, Thomas ...	Private	29th Regiment	1 0 7

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
Kightley, Alfred ...	Private ...	3rd Battalion, 60th Regiment ...	11 9 7
Knowlton, William ...	Corporal ...	14th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	4 2 4
Larkin, John ...	Private ...	55th Regiment ...	17 4 3
Lennox, Peter ...	Private ...	27th Regiment ...	0 19 5
Martin, Joseph ...	Private ...	1st Battalion, 8th Regiment ...	3 18 5
Mills, Walter ...	Private ...	21st Hussars ...	5 6 10
McGee, Henry ...	Private ...	57th Regiment ...	0 3 11
McNeill, Charles ...	Private ...	1st Battalion, Rifle Brigade ...	0 15 10
Newill, Patrick ...	Private ...	87th Regiment ...	4 0 10
Norvill, James ...	Sapper ...	28th Company, Royal Engineers	1 9 6
Phillips, George ...	Private ...	4th Battalion, Rifle Brigade ...	0 4 6
Porter, James ...	Private ...	2nd Battalion, 22nd Regiment...	0 9 8
Ramsey, James ...	Gunner ...	3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	2 5 4
Reeves, Thomas ...	Serjeant ...	7th Dragoon Guards ...	0 2 3
Royle, Samuel ...	Private ...	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment ...	3 0 3
Scott, William ...	Private ...	1st Battalion, 17th Regiment ...	3 16 3
Scott, John W. H. ...	Orderly Room Serj.	30th Regiment ...	1 5 10
Sims, Samuel ...	Private ...	3rd Battalion, Rifle Brigade ...	0 8 4
Smithson, Henry ...	Private ...	105th Regiment... ..	3 0 6
Taggart, John ...	Serjeant ...	1st Battalion, 1st Regiment ...	6 2 3
Terry, E. Crosby ...	Private ...	87th Regiment ...	2 0 1
Tucker, William ...	Private ...	30th Regiment ...	0 6 1
Wheeler, Edward ...	Gunner ...	Coast Brigade, Royal Artillery...	3 6 5
Bigilty, William, 4/23036 ...	Private ...	26th Regiment ...	57 8 9
Graham, Joseph, 4/23148 ...	Private ...	66th Regiment ...	11 5 11

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Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
Allen, Alfred ...	Gunner ...	16th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	2 2 4
Andrews, George ...	Corporal ...	76th Regiment ...	1 8 2
Batstone, Charles ...	Private ...	73rd Regiment ...	7 18 0
Boyd, Joseph ...	Gunner ...	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	8 13 10
Brown, John ...	Gunner ...	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	1 9 2
Brown, Alexander ...	Private ...	1st Battalion, 10th Regiment ...	5 5 2
Byrne, James ...	Private ...	107th Regiment... ..	15 6 7
Crowe, Francis ...	Private ...	48th Regiment ...	1 10 4
Dodds, James ...	Private ...	3rd Hussars ...	6 1 8
Doyle, James ...	Private ...	3rd Battalion, 60th Regiment ...	13 11 7
Floyer, George ...	Private ...	109th Regiment... ..	15 10 1
Flynn, Patrick ...	Driver ...	9th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	3 5 7
Haverty, W. J. ...	Serjeant ...	1st Battalion, 17th Regiment ...	24 3 1
Howley, J. ...	Private ...	76th Regiment ...	6 15 0
Keefe, Patrick ...	Private ...	49th Regiment ...	4 17 0
Kilbride, John ...	Private ...	2nd Battalion, 10th Regiment ...	3 1 5

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
Macken, James	Private	1st Battalion, 5th Regiment	6 7 2
Masterton, Henry	Private	21st Hussars	6 18 2
Mills, Frederick	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment	3 13 1
Moran, James	Private	2nd Battalion, 19th Regiment	11 8 3
Mullen, James	Private	104th Regiment... ..	2 2 0
Murphy, Hugh	Private	2nd Battalion, 10th Regiment	1 17 10
McAvey, William	Gunner	8th Brigade, Royal Artillery	4 15 5
McCulloch, William	Corporal	1st Battalion, 14th Regiment	4 5 0
McIlroy, John ... ..	... ..	F Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery	22 5 5
McKernon, Henry	Corporal	37th Regiment	4 19 2
McNay, Ralph	Private	2nd Battalion, 19th Regiment	11 16 10
Neil, Dennis	Serjeant	1st Battalion, 10th Regiment	5 8 7
Prosser, Thomas... ..	Private	1st Battalion, 8th Regiment	1 12 7
Rawstron, Henry	Gunner	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery... ..	6 11 0
Redmond, Edmund	Gunner	16th Brigade, Royal Artillery	1 17 5
Rose, John	Private	10th Hussars	2 18 4
Rylance, John	Private	66th Regiment	7 17 7
Sheehan, Patrick... ..	Private	105th Regiment... ..	7 4 5
Sheldon, Henry, 3/18369	Private	2nd Battalion, 24th Regiment	1 18 9
Watson, William... ..	Driver	20th Brigade, Royal Artillery	3 19 5
Ward, Joseph	Private	8th Hussars	15 17 9
Williams, George	Private	70th Regiment	61 1 0
Woods, George	Private	109th Regiment... ..	72 3 6

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Ashton, William... ..	Private	2nd Battalion, 10th Regiment	8 18 5
Baier, Andrew	Private	109th Regiment... ..	7 13 8
Barron, Henry	Private	1st West India Regiment	2 2 4
Breaker, Samuel... ..	Gunner	9th Brigade, Royal Artillery	3 17 11
Bryan, Thomas	Gunner	16th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7 0 9
Buttock, George... ..	Gunner	9th Brigade, Royal Artillery	6 4 3
Cassidy, Patrick	Private	2nd Battalion, 10th Regiment	3 1 10
Clinton, James	Private	49th Regiment	6 1 8
Corner, George	Private	83rd Regiment	1 5 2
Costello, Patrick... ..	Private	2nd Battalion, 22nd Regiment... ..	13 3 0
Coyne, William	Private	18th Hussars	7 3 8
Dillon, William	Private	69th Regiment	4 8 6
Doney, Thomas	Private	76th Regiment	2 4 8
Eagan, Patrick	Gunner	11th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7 11 2
Ellson, Henry	Wheeler	9th Brigade, Royal Artillery	2 14 11
Farland, William	Gunner	5th Brigade, Royal Artillery	4 17 7
Foley, Michael	Gunner	22nd Brigade, Royal Artillery... ..	5 5 7
Fowler, William... ..	Private	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment	3 16 11
Gibson, Thomas	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment	4 14 4
Gibson, Jos.	Serjeant	26th Regiment	2 2 11
Gleeson, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 24th Regiment	3 15 10
Hall, Francis	Private	27th Regiment	2 17 11
Hannah, James	Private	37th Regiment	2 7 10
Hayes, Cornelius... ..	Private	1st Battalion, 19th Regiment	20 16 4

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
Henry, Thomas ...	Private ...	1st West India Regiment ...	£ s. d. 1 12 2
Holt, Henry ...	Private ...	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment ...	4 4 11
Hullaghan, Robert ...	Private ...	108th Regiment... ..	5 18 6
Hunter, William... ..	Magazine-Serjeant	Late 37th Regiment	7 3 2
James, John	Gunner	15th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	6 15 1
Kiernan, Michael	Private	49th Regiment	3 3 10
Lake, Samuel	Private	49th Regiment	3 5 3
Law, William	Corporal	2nd Battalion, 19th Regiment ...	1 0 2
Leach, Charles	Gunner	20th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	2 1 1
Leeson, Michael	Private	1st Battalion, 2nd Regiment ...	22 18 2
Linfoot, George	Private	39th Regiment	3 3 8
McCracken, Henry	Private	20th Hussars	5 2 9
McInerney, Martin	Private	38th Regiment	1 5 1
McLaughlin, Thomas	Gunner	16th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	5 14 0
McNamara, James	Private	1st Battalion, 20th Regiment ...	1 18 2
Matthews, John	Private	77th Regiment	3 15 10
Mitchell, William	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment ...	2 6 0
Mitchell, Thomas... ..	Private	93rd Regiment	1 2 6
Murphy, Cornelius	Private	104th Regiment... ..	19 17 1
Murphy, Thomas	Private	108th Regiment... ..	4 7 1
Murray, Michael	Wheeler	C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery	10 18 0
Ogden, Edward	Private	107th Regiment	6 1 7
Palmer, Charles	Private	2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment ...	5 2 9
Peachey, Thomas	Drummer	25th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	8 15 3
Pryke, William J.	Bombardier	24th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	6 2 0
Reynolds, John	Serjeant	105th Regiment	13 13 4
Roach, Martin	Private	1st Battalion, 17th Regiment ...	1 13 3
Rooney, Patrick	Private	45th Regiment	2 8 11
Russell, Joseph	Private	1st Battalion, 5th Regiment ...	2 18 7
Ryan, John	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment ...	5 6 4
Sheen, Thomas	Serjeant	2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment ...	13 7 8
Sheridan, James	Private	41st Regiment	3 10 1
Smith, John	Private	58th Regiment	3 13 4
Steen, William	Private	1st Battalion, 17th Regiment ...	3 2 5
Stephens, William	Private	105th Regiment... ..	1 9 4
Stephenson, George	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment ...	10 14 2
Sugden, James	Sapper	12th Company, Royal Engineers	2 16 6
Thomas, John	Private	89th Regiment	1 0 0
Thompson, William	Corporal	25th Brigade, Royal Artillery ...	25 14 3
Wallace, Richard	Trumpeter	3rd Hussars	14 14 11
Wallace, Michael... ..	Drummer	47th Regiment	1 13 7
Walsh, Edmund	Private	21st Hussars	1 14 10
Walsh, Andrew	Private	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment ...	3 14 7
Wright, J.	Corporal	79th Regiment	6 3 6

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Andrew, Henry	Private	2nd Battalion, 7th Regiment ...	£ s. d. 1 18 4
Armstrong, Thomas	Private	18th Hussars	3 5 0

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
Baker, Henry	Private	58th Regiment	1 19 0
Baxter, James	Private	58th Regiment	0 19 4
Boyce, Bartle	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	2 19 5
Brennan, John	Corporal	58th Regiment	2 8 3
Burton, John	Private	58th Regiment	2 10 7
Cahill, John	Private	58th Regiment	63 14 4
Cole, Thomas H.	Private	58th Regiment	1 12 4
Dalton, William	Private	58th Regiment	17 14 9
Davidson, Thomas	Gunner	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	1 1 5
Deakin, George	Private	53rd Regiment	2 4 8
Donnelly, Thomas	Private	58th Regiment	3 8 8
Doyle, Michael	Private	58th Regiment	4 12 9
Drew, Henry	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	2 2 7
Early, Hugh J.	Private	58th Regiment	3 8 5
Fitzpatrick, H.	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	4 7 4
Ford, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 10th Regiment	2 5 10
Henderson, John	Gunner	3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	1 18 6
Hill, J.	Gunner	5th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7 13 4
Hogg, Thomas	Colour-Serjeant	101st Regiment	26 18 2
Hopkins, Robert	Driver	Depôt Brigade, Royal Artillery	6 15 9
Hopkins, Walter	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	2 0 1
Innes, William	Private	92nd Regiment	6 19 0
Jones, John	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	5 7 11
Kelly, James	Private	41st Regiment	4 10 11
Knight, Michael	Private	1st Battalion, 6th Regiment	8 1 2
Littlepage, George	Private	58th Regiment	19 13 5
Lowrie, James	Private	55th Regiment	15 6 6
McCabe, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 10th Regiment	7 17 1
Maguire, George	Private	41st Regiment	30 15 10
Mann, Alexander	Gunner	6th Brigade, Royal Artillery	3 2 0
Murphy, John	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment	1 19 8
O'Gorman, William	Private	58th Regiment	4 7 4
Phillips, James	Private	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment	3 4 0
Pollard, Isaac	Private	58th Regiment	4 15 9
Potts, Thomas	Corporal	2nd Battalion, 24th Regiment	2 6 2
Potts, George	Private	58th Regiment	1 5 7
Reed, James	Private	55th Regiment	6 6 10
Reilly, John	Private	49th Regiment	3 0 7
Roberts, William	Private	2nd Battalion, 21st Regiment	10 3 2
Romrice, Richard	Private	58th Regiment	3 16 3
Ryan, Patrick	Private	53rd Regiment	2 3 2
Seaton, William	Gunner	5th Brigade, Royal Artillery	5 17 3
Smallwood, Thomas	Private	55th Regiment	9 7 9
Starkie, Alfred	Serjeant	1st Battalion, 15th Regiment	153 8 8
Suttle, Robert	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	5 6 11
Tutty, William	Private	36th Regiment	2 13 4
Watson, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 21st Regiment	6 14 6
Watson, Michael	Private	58th Regiment	3 1 11
Whiting, Harry	Private	7th Hussars	17 0 1
Wilkinson, Thomas	Private	1st Battalion, 21st Regiment	1 4 9
Williams, Morris	Corporal	1st West India Regiment	1 3 2
Wilson, James	Private	1st Battalion, 6th Regiment	7 5 8
Woods, Cornelius	Private	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment	2 6 2

5TH RE-PUBLICATION, under the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, of List XXIII, of the Names of Soldiers whose Personal Estate is held by the Secretary of State for War for distribution amongst the Next of Kin or others entitled.

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
Armitage, Richard	Private	77th Regiment	3 14 4
Barnes, Alexander	Private	4th West India Regiment	2 5 10
Battiste, John	Private	4th West India Regiment	3 11 2
Biggs, Thomas	Serjeant	E Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery	14 5 9
Blakey, James	Private	1st Battalion, 7th Regiment	6 4 8
Bourchier, Patrick	Private	10th Hussars	1 0 9
Bowen, Stephen	Private	55th Regiment	2 2 5
Brady, Patrick	Private	50th Regiment	4 1 4
Brammer, James	Schoolmaster	2nd West India Regiment	2 0 6
Byrne, Thomas	Gunner	2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery	2 5 9
Callaghan, Matthew	Private	43rd Regiment	2 0 6
Carris, John	Private	107th Regiment	2 18 8
Clarke, Frederick	Private	2nd Battalion, 60th Regiment	3 0 4
Connolly, Matthias	Private	108th Regiment	11 14 11
Coventry, Harvey	Private	76th Regiment	6 7 6
Dalton, Thomas	Serjeant-Major	105th Regiment	19 14 6
Davies, William	Gunner	16th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7 14 3
Doolan, Patrick	Private	27th Regiment	36 6 7
Dooley, Denis	Private	41st Regiment	9 8 1
Dwyer, John	Private	1st Battalion, 19th Regiment	90 8 9
Fields, John	Private	3rd Battalion, 60th Regiment	7 5 6
Fife, John	Private	1st West India Regiment	3 18 0
Glennon, Robert	Private	95th Regiment	4 13 11
Goggins, Michael	Private	105th Regiment	1 4 6
Goodridge, James W.	Private	1st West India Regiment	1 0 6
Gunning, Arthur	Private	91st Regiment	6 10 6
Hardes, Samuel	Private	1st Battalion, 6th Regiment	4 12 7
Harrison, Joseph	Private	31st Regiment	0 19 9
Hayes, John	Private	55th Regiment	11 2 11
Higgins, William	Private	4th West India Regiment	2 15 8
Holbrook, Joseph	Drummer	108th Regiment	5 11 3
Irving, Johnstone	Private	96th Regiment	4 1 6
Irwin, Henry	Gunner	20th Brigade, Royal Artillery	6 3 9
Jones, Charles	Private	16th Lancers	2 7 6
Keane, Robert	Private	105th Regiment	11 19 0
Kennedy, David	Private	1st Battalion, 11th Regiment	3 7 3
Lawson, Charles	Serjeant	17th Brigade, Royal Artillery	1 8 0
Matthiesen, George	Private	105th Regiment	8 4 3
Murphy, Thomas	Private	96th Regiment	3 18 6
McGurk, Christopher	Shoeing Smith	F Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery	16 2 8
McInnerney, Bernard	Gunner	19th Brigade, Royal Artillery	7 8 7
Navin, Andrew	Private	82nd Regiment	8 4 3
Oaks, Thomas	Private	61st Regiment	1 11 2
Patrick, Alexander	Serjeant	1st West India Regiment	3 15 8
Paul, Thomas	Private	2nd Battalion, 7th Regiment	0 5 2
Perrin, John	Gunner	25th Brigade, Royal Artillery	2 12 8
Phelan, James	Pensioner from	2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment	2 5 2
Quinn, James	Private	27th Regiment	5 9 6
Regan, Denis	Private	108th Regiment	4 0 0
Rice, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 21st Regiment	4 4 10
Rice, William	Serjeant	106th Regiment	8 3 5

Name.	Rank.	Regiment.	Amount.
Seaton, David	Private	102nd Regiment	£ s. d. 2 3 1
Slater, Thomas	Private	108th Regiment... ..	7 11 4
Smith, Peter	Private	93rd Regiment	3 12 8
Sullivan, John	Private	1st Battalion, 19th Regiment	4 11. 0
Thompson, Henry	Private	2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment	4 3 3
Thorne, Henry	Private	3rd Battalion, 60th Regiment	5 2 3
Ward, John	Private	2nd Battalion, 60th Regiment	3 1 7
Ward or Ware, Maurice	Gunner	8th Brigade, Royal Artillery	3 7 3
Williams, John D.	Private	76th Regiment	5 5 5
Wilson, John	Private	86th Regiment	1 12 9

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the General Machinery Purchase-Hire 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, was, on the 3rd day of January, 1877, presented to the High Court of Justice by William Adamson, of 47, Nelson-street, St. Peter-street, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, and Charles Hinds, of 21, Beer-lane, in the city of London, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins,

on the 19th day of January, 1877; 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.

Edmund Kimber, 22, Queen-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the Petitioners.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 3rd day of January, 1877.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

£		£	
Notes issued	42,533,430	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	3,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	27,533,430
		Silver Bullion	—
	<u>£42,533,430</u>		<u>£42,533,430</u>

Dated the 4th day of January, 1877.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

£		£	
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	15,969,162
Rest	3,121,027	Other Securities	19,582,320
Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	6,203,440	Notes	13,910,655
Other Deposits	25,936,786	Gold and Silver Coin	680,735
Seven Day and other Bills... ..	328,619		
	<u>£50,142,872</u>		<u>£50,142,872</u>

Dated the 4th day of January, 1877.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four Weeks ending Saturday, the 23rd day of December, 1876.

No. 21401.

THE LONDON GAZETTE, JANUARY 5, 1877.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
			£						
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	343418	250292	500841	751133	455782	61527	517309
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	278750	509944	788694	608572	73014	681587
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	193578	408576	602155	202659	39364	242023
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	270557	601094	871652	583710	40353	624063
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	209756	453270	663026	418948	35135	454084
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	291712	564152	855864	486166	77893	563560
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen	70133	115510	138202	253712	204069	16530	220599
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	201775	202600	404375	276574	12391	288965
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	214672	364200	578872	339155	58320	397476
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank	Glasgow	72921	251516	438455	689971	650076	28710	678787
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	54563	100733	155297	102909	4356	107266

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate (with the exception of _____), have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 4th day of January, 1877.

W. H. COUSINS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

SUPPLEMENT TO

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 23rd day of December, 1876.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 2nd day of January, 1877.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Guildford Bank	...	...	...	10,974
Uxbridge Old Bank	...	...	...	5,016
Gloucestershire Banking Company	...	...	...	126,501
Huddersfield Banking Company	...	...	...	35,942
Worcester City and County Banking Company & Limited	...	...	...	1,500

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, January 4, 1877.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 3rd January, 1877.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	...	...	...	...	694,031	694,031
France	821	475	1,296	40,800	...	40,800
Egypt	92	574	666	44,737	4,543	49,280
British Possessions in S. Africa	563	...	563	45,000	...	45,000
British India	...	3,059	3,059	...	...	...
Australia	26,519	27,785	54,304	2,406	...	2,406
South America (except Brazil)	2,022	6,913	8,935	152,170	505,978	658,148
United States	75	...	75	86,680	123,039	209,719
Other Countries	2,941	1,130	4,071	21,667	4,216	25,883
...
...
...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week	33,033	39,936	72,969	393,460	1,331,807	1,725,267
Declared Value of the said Importations	£ 132,104	£ 159,746	£ 291,850	£ 92,798	£ 309,705	£ 402,503

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	...	...	99,303	99,303	...	...	...
France	...	3,933	38,433	42,366	...	8,098	17,181	25,279
British India	1,710	11	2,360	4,081	...	114,340	329,864	444,204
China and Hong Kong	...	...	...	...	...	155,051	...	155,051
United States of America	...	13,000	...	13,000	...	...	...
Other Countries	1,786	296	...	2,082	7,280	6,196	...	13,476
...	
...	
...	
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week	3,496	17,240	140,096	160,832	7,280	283,685	347,045	638,010
Declared Value of the said Exportations	£ 13,605	£ 65,885	£ 555,930	£ 635,390	£ 2,000	£ 67,229	£ 87,500	£ 156,729

India Office, December 29, 1876.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Bombay Gazette containing the following Notice that the undermentioned Insolvents filed their Petitions in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act XI Vict., cap. 21 :—

Petitions filed praying for relief.

Date of Gazette containing Notice, November 23, 1876.

Names.	Profession or Occupation.	Denomination.	Place of Residence in Bombay.	Dates of Petitions filed.
Thakar Rupji Sundarji	A Money Collector in the service of Hema Valji	Hindoo ...	In Withalwadi, without the Fort	1876. 7th Nov.
Waman Ganesh Mandway and Narayen Ganesh Mandway	Lately Dealers in Grass	Ditto ...	At Khetwadi, without the Fort	Ditto
Aba Jairam	Labourer	Ditto ...	At Tank Bunder, without the Fort	Ditto
Sha Narsi Parshotam...	Dealer in Piece Goods	Ditto ...	In Jamshedji - street, near Mombadavi, without the Fort	Ditto
Joseph Fernandes ...	Unemployed ...	Portuguese ...	At Kandawadi, without the Fort	9th Nov.
Padamsi Lakhamsi and Manek Hansraz	Trading together in partnership with Manek Ladha, alias Chapsi, under the name, style, and firm of Liladhar Lakhamsi and Company, as General Merchants	Hindoo ...	Lately at Mandvi Bunder, without the Fort (at present in the Bombay Gaol)	Ditto
Manek Ladha, alias Chapsi	Formerly trading in partnership with Padamsi Lakhamsi and Manek Hansraz, under the name, style, and firm of Liladhar Lakhamsi and Company, as a General Merchant, and now a Gujarati Writer in the Prince of Wales Spinning and Weaving Company	Ditto ...	At Mandvi Bunder, without the Fort	Ditto
Visram Shiva Sutwala	Lately a Dealer in Hay	Ditto ...	In Kumbarwada Third-lane, without the Fort	Ditto
Ramji Punja and Kar-san Punja	Dealers in Bricks ...	Ditto ...	At Máhim, without the Fort	Ditto
Moti Sharif and Alana Sharif	Dealers in Cutlery...	Mahomedan ...	In Rangari Molla, without the Fort	Ditto
Joao Baptista Pereira...	Shoemaker	Portuguese ...	At Dhobitalao, without the Fort	10th Nov.
Ramchand Haribhai Rajbara	A Weaver in the United Spinning and Weaving Company	Hindoo ...	In Kumbarwada Third-lane, without the Fort	11th Nov.
Bartholomeo Pereira ...	A Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway Company	Portuguese ...	At Máhim Agar, without the Fort	Ditto
Madhavji Dhanji, Harji Madhavji, and Dayal Madhavji	Carrying on business as Cloth Merchants, under the name, style, and firm of Madhavji Dhanji	Hindoo ...	At Bhuleshwar, without the Fort	14th Nov.

Names.	Profession or Occupation.	Denomination.	Place of Residence in Bombay.	Dates of Petitions filed.
Esmail Hasanji ...	A Dealer in Milk ...	Mahomedan ...	In New Memonwada, without the Fort	1876. 15th Nov.
Haji Tyeb Esak and Abdul Rahiman Haji Tyeb	The first-named Insolvent was formerly a Dealer in Timber Wood, and the second a Servant in the employ of Mahomed Haji Ali	Ditto ...	In Memon Mola, without the Fort	Ditto
Mohona Zuta Sarjisutar and his wife, Lakmi	The first-named Insolvent is a Contractor, and the second unemployed	Hindoo ...	In Kumberwada Third lane, without the Fort	Ditto
Krastnaji Ramchander Sirnaik	A Merchant ...	Ditto ...	At Wadchigadi, without the Fort	Ditto
Bezanji Jamshedji Katruk	Priest ...	Parsee ...	At Dhobitalao, without the Fort	Ditto
Haji Ali Mahomed Rahimtula	Who lately traded in partnership with Haji Mahomed Rahimtula, Haji Abdul Latif Rahimtula, Haji Junas Rahimtula, and Haji Abu Bakar Rahimtula, under the name and firm of Rahimtula Ebrahim and Company, at Bombay, and at Bengal and Madras under the name and firm of Haji Mahomed Rahimtula and Company, as a General Merchant and a Commission Agent	Mahomedan ...	In Memon Mola, without the Fort	Ditto

Orders in the matters of the above-named Insolvents' Petitions, that the real and personal Estates and Effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court under Section VII of the said Act, have been duly made.

India Office, December 29, 1876.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Calcutta Gazette, containing the following notices that the undermentioned Insolvents filed their Petitions in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Vict., cap. 21:—

Petitions filed praying for relief.

In the Matter of Bhoobunmohun Bonnerjee and Benudbehary Bonnerjee, at present carrying on business at 77, Clive-street, in the town of Calcutta, in copartnership as Coal and Lime Merchants, under the name, style, and firm of Bhoobunmohun Bonnerjee and Co., and also carrying on business at Mullick's Ghaut, in Calcutta aforesaid, as Coal Merchant, in copartnership with Ramdhone Bonnerjee and Beepinbehary Chatterjee, under the name, style, and firm of Bhoobunmohun Bonnerjee and Co., Insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvents, seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap.

21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 18th day of November instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.—C. F. Pittar, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1876.

In the Matter of Munnoolall Rora, of Monohur Dass's Choke, in Bura Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, carrying on business as a Dealer of Cloth, under the name and style of Munnoolall Rora, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 23rd day of November instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—Kallynauth Mitter, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1876.

India Office, December 29, 1876.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Calcutta Gazette, containing the following Notices of Orders made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the Matter of C. Christophoridi, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 21st day of November instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.—A. St. John Carruthers, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1876.

In the Matter of Bindabun Chunder Neoghy and Nundo Lall Neoghy, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 21st day of November instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,451-7-9 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvents, as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 12-8-0 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvents, and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts, and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule, when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.—A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1876.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I WILLIAM HENRY SUNLEY, of 23, Leadenhall-street, hereby give notice, that in consequence of the present name being inconvenient, and not appropriate to the trade in which the vessel is engaged, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under Section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Diego Maria de Bolivar," of London, official number 73,741, of register tonnage 437.45 tons, heretofore owned by Diego Maria de Bolivar, of Corunna, for permission to change her name to "Rockhampton," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of London, as owned by William Henry Sunley.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at 23, Leadenhall-street, E.C., this 28th day of December, 1876.

W. H. Sunley.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 5011. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of George Beesley, of Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the application of steam or other motive power in locomotive and marine engines," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners

on the 28th day of December, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 5069. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Thomas Clay, of Coventry, in the county of Warwick, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of December, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed—

3703. To John Morgan Richards, of Great Russell-street-buildings, Great Russell-st. (Bloomsbury), London, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of pills, and in the machinery or apparatus to be employed in such manufacture."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of September, 1876.

3934. To Edward Hely, of Dublin, Ireland, Envelope Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machines for printing, stamping, or embossing."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of October, 1876.

3944. To John Henry Cooper, of Shoay Gyeen, in British Burma, but at present of Calcutta, in the East Indies, for the invention of "improvements in Snider rifles."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of October, 1876.

4301. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in refining or purifying saccharine and other liquids, and in the apparatus employed therein."

—A communication to him from abroad by Hector Legru the younger and Gaston Sencier, both of Paris, in the Republic of France.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of November, 1876.

4360. To Henry Conrad Sanders, of 15, Victoria-gardens, Ladbroke-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in stoppers for bottles, jars, and other vessels."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of November, 1876.

4394. To Gerard Wenzeslaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of "J. Brandt and G. W. v. Nawrocki," of Berlin, Prussia, Engineers and Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for the preparation of flax, hemp, jute, and other similar materials."—A communication from Mr. Maximilian Drossbach, a person resident at Altstadt, near Trautenau, in the Empire of Austria.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of November, 1876.

4404. To John Smith, of No. 8, Hardees-street, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in railway fog signal apparatus."
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of November, 1876.
4424. To Samuel Stevens Hellyer, of the firm of Beard, Dent, and Hellyer, of Newcastle-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in receptacles for house sewage or waste and in the means for trapping the same."
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of November, 1876.
4460. To William Thornton Reddell, of No. 149, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in receptacles for containing spirituous liquors."
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of November, 1876.
4493. To Anthon Steenberg, Patent Agent, of Copenhagen, Denmark, for the invention of "an improved method for the discovery of leakage in the hulls of ships both at sea and on shore."—A communication to him by Johannes Brevig, Shipbuilder, a person resident at Frederikshald, Norway.
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 20th day of November, 1876.
4495. To Alexander Browne, of the firm of Browne and Company, Patent Agents, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements relating to the manufacture of metallic alloys of iron, tungsten, manganese, and chrome."—A communication to him from abroad by Alexandre Jullien, Manager of the Foundries and Forges Company, of Terre Noire La Voulte and Bessèges, in the French Republic.
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of November, 1876.
4578. To William Harrison and Lancelot Smith of 15, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "the manufacture of a new or improved combination of a cordon souffli interwoven with pillow lace."
On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of November, 1876.
4590. To Edouard Buisson, of Boulevard Saint Denis, 1, at Paris, Captain of Marine Foot, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire-arms, and in appliances or apparatus connected therewith."
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of November, 1876.
4649. To James Robert Nicholls, of Brompton-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved receptacle for the overflow or 'workings' of beer in 'fining.'"
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of November, 1876.
4662. To James Yates, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus for embroidering finished hosiery or other tubular fabrics or materials."
4665. To William Henry Bliss, of Lewisham, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for raising sunken ships or vessels."
4666. And to Paul Bedford Elwell, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Manager for the Patent Tip and Horse Shoe Company, of Wolverhampton aforesaid, for the invention of "improvements in cut-nail and cut-tack machinery."
On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of December, 1876.
4691. To James Judge, Engineer, of Number fifty-seven, Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, for the invention of "improved apparatus for the conveyance of signals to the drivers of locomotive engines."
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of December, 1876.
4706. To Thomas Perkins, of Hitchin, in the county of Herts, and Henry Brown, Engineer, of the city of Peterborough, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for cultivating or tilling land."
On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of December, 1876.
4726. To Lewis William Day, of North Tawton, in the county of Devon, England, for the invention of "a new or improved stopper for bottles and other vessels, and in appliances relating thereto."
4732. To Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "a certain new and useful improvement in frying pans."—A communication from James Edgar and Alfred Bardell, two persons resident at New York, United States of America, Manufacturers.
4733. To James Milne and William Rattray, both of the city and county of Aberdeen, for the invention of "an improved method for making up rolls of tobacco, and in machinery therefor."
4734. To Jethro Anstice Cossins, of Balsall Heath, King's Norton, in the county of Worcester, Architect, for the invention of "improvements in treating ores of nickel for the purpose of obtaining nickel and alloys, and compounds of nickel therefrom."—A communication to him from abroad by George Horwood Cossins, of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria.
4736. To Joseph Hinks, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in lamps for burning paraffin oil and other volatile hydro-carbons."
4737. To Richard Bennett the younger, of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Foreman of Works, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in needles."
4738. To Thomas Green, William Turton, and John Walker, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in stopping and starting gear for tramway cars and other vehicles."
4740. To Henry Jubber, of 7, Eastbourne-terrace, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in raising sunken ships and other submerged bodies."

4742. To Henry Turnill, of Sawtry, in the county of Huntingdon; Agricultural Machine Owner, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with steam ploughs, to facilitate their mechanically turning at the headlands."
4744. To Felix Alexander Nicolaus Thanisch, Apothecary, in Hamburg; for the invention of "improvement in apparatus for asserting or dividing coins."
4746. And to Alexander Wilson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of armour plates."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of December, 1876.
4750. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for testing the resistance of materials to tension, compression, and flexion."—A communication to him from abroad by Messieurs Thomasset and Driot, of Paris, France.
4752. To Francis Thomas Bond, of Gloucester, in the county of Gloucester, Doctor of Medicine, for the invention of "improvements in the ventilation and heating of buildings, and in the appliances therefor."
4754. To Edwin Firth and Thomas Wolstencroft, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of springs and rollers used in wringing and mangling machines, which improvements are also applicable for other purposes where springs or rollers are used."
4755. And to Thaddeus Hyatt, of 66, Gloucester-gardens, Hyde Park, London, county of Middlesex, Inventor, for the invention of "improvements in adhesive plasters, and in the means, modes, and processes for manufacturing the same."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of December, 1876.
4756. To Robert Wilson, of the Bridgewater Foundry, Patricroft, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved mode of finishing cotton fabrics."
4758. To Duncan McKechnie, of Saint Helens, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the treatment of oxides of iron so as to render them more suitable for the production of iron."
4760. To David Forbes, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "a new or improved mode of and apparatus for shunting or moving railway carriages and other rolling stock."
4762. And to Franz Windhausen, of 1, Roonstrasse, Berlin, Prussia, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for producing cold and warm air."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of December, 1876.
4764. To Samuel Coker, of Tuxford, Nottinghamshire, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the method of straightening iron, steel, and other wire, and in coating such wire with metals or liquids, and in the arrangement of the machinery for these purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by William Henry Paine, of the city of Brooklyn, State of New York, United States of America, Civil Engineer.
4765. To William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 1, Rue Laffitte, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in electric telephony (transmitting or causing sounds for telegraphing messages) and telephonic apparatus."—A communication to him from abroad by Alexander Graham Bell, of the University of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America, Professor of Vocal Physiology.
4770. To Robert Middleton, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in stocks employed in the manufacture of leather, yarns and woollen or other woven or felted fabrics."
4772. To Walter Lord, of the firm of Lord Brothers, of Todmorden, in the county of York; Machine Makers, Cotton Spinners, and Manufacturers, and George Jackson, of the same place, Manager, for the invention of "certain improvements in looms for weaving."
4774. And to George Bartlett, of Dulwich-road, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in filters for filtering water."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of December, 1876.
4776. To Benjamin Hallatt, Foreman Fitter, and Edward Mason, Draughtsman, both employed by the firm of Benjamin Walker and Company, of Old Lenton, in the county of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in machinery, and apparatus applicable to twist lace machines."
4778. To George Sinclair, of Leith, in the county of Mid Lothian, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in boiler and other furnaces, and in mechanical stoking apparatus therefor."
4780. To Frederick Siemens, of Dresden, in the German Empire, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of glass and apparatus therefor."
4782. To William Wallace Auld, of No. 33, Lutten-place, in the city of Edinburgh, in the county of Midlothian, for the invention of "improvements in the preparation and combination of animal substances for use as food."—A communication to him from abroad by John Lawson Johnston, of the city of Sherbrooke, in the Province of Quebec, in the Dominion of Canada, Manufacturer.
4784. To John Cameron, of the Oldfield-road Iron Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of steam pumps."
4786. To William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved machine or apparatus for washing coal, ores, and other matters."—A communication to him from abroad by Arsène Rivière, of Rochelle d'Allais (Gard) France, Engineer.
4790. To Thomas Gannett, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for threading screws."
4792. To Benjamin Joseph Barnard Mills, of the firm of Harris and Mills, of 23, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for making tuyeres and bricks of various forms for Bessemer converter bottoms, blast furnace blocks, and other purposes, and in the construction of bottoms for Bessemer steel

converters."—A communication to him from abroad by Andrew Jackson Haws, of Johnstown, in the county of Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, United States of America.

4794. To John Duck, of the city of London, and David Hancock, of Stratford, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "improvements in ball, bib, and other valves."

4796. And to August Büsche, of Schwelm, in the Kingdom of Prussia, but at present of 14, Monkwell-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improved apparatus for winding braid, ribbon, lace, and other similar articles."

—A communication to him from abroad by Claude François Bouterin, of Paris, France.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 11th day of December, 1876.

4800. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improved apparatus for loading waggons with hay or other like materials."—A communication to him from abroad by James W. Foust and Charles Stratton, both of Meadville, Pennsylvania, United States of America.

4804. To George Kent, of 199, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of machines for cutting or mincing meat, vegetables, and other like substances, which improvements are also applicable to the manufacture of other machines."

4806. And to James William Bantock, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved method of manufacturing nitro-celluloses for use in war, mining, and general purposes."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of December, 1876.

4807. To Charles Ritchie, of Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in or applicable to apparatus for utilizing heat, for lighting, heating, and ventilating."

4812. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for checking and registering cab and other vehicle fares, and the distance run whether by course, time, or mileage."

—A communication to him from abroad by Henri Faure, of Paris, France.

4814. To William Muir, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the shedding mechanism of looms."

4824. To William Foulis, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in drawing retorts, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."

4826. And to Farnham Maxwell-Lyte, of 14, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the production of ammonia anhydride."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of December, 1876.

4828. To George Lowry, of Cross-street Iron Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in carriages and arrangements for distributing sand or other materials upon streets and road ways, and which may be used as well for agri-

cultural purposes, and also in arranging such and other carriages and vehicles upon springs."

4830. To Urias Bromley, George Crowe, and William James, all of Chester, in the county of Chester, for the invention of "improvements in and relating to motive power engines and pumps, applicable also in part to water meters."

4832. To Edward John Walford, of 19, York-terrace, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "the immediate conveying and placing of plates, lengths of metal, or other material by means of rails, grooves, or sashes, so as to cover any part of the sides, bottoms, or hull of sailing vessels, steamers, or ships of war while at sea or elsewhere, and thus protect the same from injuries about to be or already received."

4834. To John Frederick Spencer, of No. 28, Great George-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in steam vessels."

4836. To Joaquim Antonio de Macedo, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "a new or improved eggboiler."

4838. To James Gee, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of 'toothed gearing.'"

4840. To Peter Smith, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, and William Walker, of the same place, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in steam-engines."

4842. To Samuel Johnson, of Wood Green, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in gas meters."

4844. To Frederick Phillip Preston, John Theodore Prestige, and Edwin James Preston, trading under the firm of Josiah Stone & Co., of High-street, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating and controlling the flow of water and other liquids, and preventing waste of same."

4846. And to Alexander Charles Pirie, one of the Partners of the firm of Alexr. Pirie & Sons, Envelope Manufacturers, Union Works, in the city of Aberdeen, and Robert Groundwater, Employé of the said firm, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for laying out envelopes and paper, to prepare them for black bordering."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of December, 1876.

4848. To George Rydill, of Pontefract Villa, Highgate, London, for the invention of "improvements in treating sewage, extracting, filtration, preparing disinfectants and manure."

4849. To Sværrer Hakon Lundh, of Christiania, Norway, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved method of and apparatus for preventing the escape of sparks from locomotive, portable engine, and other chimneys."

4850. To Henry Brunell, of Chadwell Heath, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "new or improved means and apparatus for lasting and otherwise preparing boots and shoes for sewing."

4852. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces or fire-places."—A communication to him from abroad by La Société de Commission de Consignation et de Transports, of Paris, in the Republic of France.

4854. To John Clayton Mewburn, of 169, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent and Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in ozone machines, and in the manufacture of ozone."—A communication to him from abroad by Hannah Milsom, of Buffalo, New York, in the United States of America.
4856. To Thomas Goodwin Knight, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in milling stocks for felting hat bodies and other such like purposes."
4858. To Henry John Cubitt Keymer, of Norwich, in the county of Norfolk, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of paper boxes and similar articles, and in apparatus for the same."
4862. And to Thomas Kilvington Hattersley, of Leeds, in the county of York, Spindle Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improved mode of producing a 'lock top' for roving flyers and spindles."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of December, 1876.
4864. To James Shaw, of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, for the invention of "improvements in velocipedes."
4865. To Joseph Ettlinger, of Lawrence-lane, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of easels."
4866. To Joseph Armstrong, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of railway wheels."
4867. To Robert Bramwell, of Buxton, in the county of Derby, Sewing Machine Dealer, for the invention of "improvements in oil cans."
4868. To Jacob Brown, of the city of Manchester, for the invention of "improvements in or applicable to skates, for more effectually securing the same to the feet of the wearer, such improvements being also partly applicable as a fastener for other purposes."
4869. To Francis Weldon, of Windsor, in the county of Berks, Major in the Madras Staff Corps, for the invention of "improved means of and apparatus for measuring or ascertaining distances."
4870. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of bobbin net lace, and in the apparatus employed therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Etienne Molin, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
4871. To Thomas Broadbent, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of fire proof and other buildings."
4872. To John Kay, of Rothesay, in the Island of Bute, North Britain, for the invention of "a new or improved construction of drawing-board."
4873. To Gustaf Hagelin, of Stockholm, in the Kingdom of Sweden, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "a new steam engine for small power."
4874. And to William Smalley, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of December, 1876.
4875. To Charles Denton Abel, of Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for preventing incrustation in and removing deposits from pans for evaporating, crytallising, and such like processes."—A communication to him from abroad by Johann Thelen, of Aix-la-Chapelle, in the German Empire.
4876. To Sir William Thomson, Knight, of Glasgow College, Doctor of Laws and Professor of Natural Philosophy in the University and College of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the mariners compass, and in appliances for ascertaining and correcting its errors."
4877. To Robert Bridges, of North Berwick, in the county of Haddington, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved method of collecting and conveying away the chaff, dust, or other residue from thrashing, hay-cutting, and similar machines."
4878. To Samuel William Shore, of 16, Hacken's Hey, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in modes of and apparatus for drawing corks from bottles."
4879. To Abram Seward, of Market-street, Lancaster, in the county of Lancashire, Hot Water Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of tube boilers for heating conservatories and other buildings."
4880. To William Illingworth, of Batley, in the county of York, Flock Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of flocks, and in the apparatus employed therein."
4881. To Ernest de Pass, of Fleet-chambers, 68, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial stone."—A communication to him from abroad by Llewellyn Levi Leathers, of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, State of California, United States of America, Manufacturer of Artificial Stone.
4882. To John Macdonald Moody, William Bertram Mitford Slade, and Thomas Henry Haynes, all of Paul's Wharf, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of spring mattresses."—A communication to them from abroad by the Howe Spring-Bed Company (Incorporated), of New York, in the United States of America.
4883. To Henry Houldsworth Grierson, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces."
4884. To Amos Joseph Acaster, of the Princess Works, Sheffield, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in rail-joints for railways."
4885. To John Gebbie, of Townhead, Hurlford, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for dressing and cleaning grain."
4887. To John Shaw, of Ovenden, near Halifax, in the county of York, Contractors Agent, and William Tyndal Clark, of Queensbury, near Halifax aforesaid, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "new or improved methods of and apparatus for operating the valves of air compressors."
4888. To Henry Bamford, of Pontonville, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of slide valves for steam engines."
4889. To Auguste Louis Bernard Dextot, of Central-buildings, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in roller

- skates."—A communication to him from abroad by Napoleon Rebour, of Paris, France.
4890. And to Carl Pieper, of Dresden, Saxony, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—A communication from Gustav Herman Thiele, a person resident at St. Petersburg, Russia.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of December, 1876.
4892. To Digby Frederick Shillington, of 5, Eland-terrace, Wandsworth-road, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improved combined case and desk for holding musical and other books or sheets, pictures, and the like."
4894. To John Byrom, of Delph, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of hosiery."
4895. To Richard Redfern, Joseph Ashworth, and James Greenwood, all of Todmorden, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of 'swells' used in looms for weaving."
4896. To Thomas Henry Baker, of No. 5, Pennyfields, West India-road, Poplar, Engineer, and William Francis, of No. 1, Dora-street, Rhodeswell-road, Limehouse, Merchant, both in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for use in cleaning, dressing, or removing extraneous matters from cotton and other seeds and grain."
4899. To Edward George Rivers, of Cologne-road, Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of tubular boilers for heating buildings for horticultural and other purposes."
4900. To James Joseph Hicks, of Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in thermometers."
4901. To James Alexander Walker, of 33, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in shears and scissors."
4904. To James Storer, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in jars or analogous vessels for containing acids, spirits, and other liquids."
4907. To John Townsend Bucknill, of Bridge House, Rochester, in the county of Kent, Lieutenant Royal Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in weighing-machines."
4908. To Herbert Edwin Willis, of 260, Euston-road, London, for the invention of "improvements in lamps."
4909. And to Henry Graham Harris, of 37, Great George-street, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in steam pumps."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of December, 1876.
4910. To Robert Paterson Houston, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in and relating to crank shafts."
4911. To Robert Healey, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for supplying fuel to furnaces."
4912. To William Virgo Wilson, of 7, Cottage-grove, Bow, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturing Chemist, and Hemington Cant, of 8, Coborn-street, Bow aforesaid, Analytical Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of aniline dyes."
4913. To William Lockwood, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel and Iron Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of springs for railway carriages and other similar purposes."
4914. To Francis Hobson and Henry Hall Dyson, of Don Rolling Mills, Saville, Sheffield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the method of rolling a certain section of rails down to spring steels and to bars for other purposes."
4915. To James Lyon, Thomas Lyon, and Elias Lyon, all of Prescot, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of stoppers for bottles."
4916. To William Henry Dugard, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Rolled Metal Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in fans for blowing, which improvements are also applicable to fans for exhausting and to centrifugal pumps."
4917. To Joshua Gill, of Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop, Manager of Gas Works, for the invention of "a new or improved gas stove."
4918. To Andrew Charles Guy Thompson, of Cambridge-road, Chiswick, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in machinery and tools employed in turning."
4919. To Musgrave Watson, of No. 7, Notting Hill-terrace, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron, or iron of a steely quality, or steel."
4921. To James Robert Dry, of 25, Oriental-street, East India-road, in the county of Middlesex, and Sebastian Anderson, of Crutched Friars, in the city of London, for the invention of "improved means of or process for treating flax and other like straws and fibrous bodies, and in apparatus for separating or opening the fibres of the straws so treated, and for operating upon fibrous straws (retted) generally."
4922. To Vitale Domenico de Michele, of 5, Westminster-chambers, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with kiln flues for drying cement, slip, or slurry."
4924. To Peter Jensen, of Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in means for attaching sheets of paper together to form books, pamphlets, and other similar articles."—A communication to him from abroad by Orianna Slote Smyth, of East Northwood, in the State of New Hampshire, United States of America.
4925. And to John Bell, of Pinlicko, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of improved means or apparatus for heating and cooking."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of December, 1876.
4929. To Robert Hopwood Hutchinson, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, and Thomas Tetlow, of Blackburn aforesaid, Weaving Manager, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."
4931. To Michael Tomkinson and William Adam, both of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Carpet and Rug Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in looms to be employed in the manufacture of carpets, rugs, and similar fabrics."
4933. To John Place, of 13, Bull-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Optical Instrument Maker, for the invention of "certain improvements in magic lantern slides."

4935. To George Jennings, of Palace Wharf, Stangate, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in water closets and latrines, and in valves for regulating the supply and discharge of water and preventing percussion in water pipes."
4937. To Sir Joseph Whitworth, Baronet, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of steel crank axles."
4941. To Marc Runkel, late of New York, in United States of America, at present residing at No. 98, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "a new and improved lock, and key for the same."
4943. And to Henry Waterson, of Aston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manager of Cut Nail Works, for the invention of "improvements in ratchet braces."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of December, 1876.
4949. To Samuel Marsh, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Colliery Agent, for the invention of "improvements in getting, breaking, and blasting coal and other materials, by means of the bursting and expanding of cartridges, by the application of air and other substances, also in the machinery and apparatus employed for same and for other purposes."
4953. To Francesco Leoni and Philip Matthews De-la-Tastes, both of Saint Heliers, in the Island of Jersey, for the invention of "improvements in ships or vessels, or in apparatus or means employed in connection therewith, for preserving life and property at sea."
4955. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved telescope."—A communication to him from abroad by Carl Fritsch and Joseph Forster, both of Vienna, Austria.
4957. To William Henry Hook, of the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for laying out or gauging the distances between the edges of sheets of paper, cards, or envelopes for 'bordering.'"
4959. To Arthur Wallis and Charles James Steevens, both of Basingstoke, in the county of Hants, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for elevating and loading corn, hay, straw, and other cut crops."
4961. To James Frederick Hoyne, of Kingston, in the county of Dublin, Ireland, for the invention of "improvements in the mode of drying manures and other substances, and in apparatus employed therefor."
4963. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for dressing and moulding stone."—A communication to him from abroad by Edouard Berten Nolf Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of December, 1876.
4965. To Gerard Wenzelaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of "J. Brandt & G. W. v. Nawrocki," Engineers and Patent Agents, of Berlin, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "a new or improved bevil tenon cutting machine."—A communication from Friedrich Heinemann, a person resident at Baumeister, near Madgeburg, in Saxony.
4967. To John Storer and Charles Henry Pugh, both of Stafford, in the county of Stafford, for

- the invention of "improvements in retort lid fastenings."
4969. To John Alexander, of Gartsherrie Iron Works, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in air-compressing engines."
4975. To William Smith, of Over Darwen, in the county of Lancaster, Operative Cotton Spinner, for the invention of "improvements in mules for spinning."
4979. To Thomas Shaw and William Blackburn, both of Marsh, Huddersfield, in the county of York, for the invention of "a new or improved method of and apparatus for measuring and drawing off any given quantity of liquid from a vat, cask, cistern, or other vessel containing it in bulk."
4981. To Gerard Wenzelaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of J. Brandt and G. von Nawrocki, of Berlin, in the German Empire, Engineers and Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in scales for testing coins by weight."—A communication to him from Alex. Bernstein, of Berlin aforesaid.
4983. To George Ben Goodfellow, of Hyde, in the county of Chester, Engineer, and Samuel Hallam, of Stockport, in the same county, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam pumps, and in actuating the valves of steam engines."
4985. To John Sidney Crowley, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of buckles and keepers, and in the mode of connecting buckles and keepers generally to leather straps or other articles, also in the construction of travellers' belts, and in the mode of uniting leather and other materials."
4987. To Richard Hallelwell, of the firm of Messrs. Hallelwell, Bentley, and Company, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in gas motor engines."
4989. To Charles Lee, of Brook-road, Upper Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in horse-shoes and attachments therefor."
4991. To Urbano Monteiro, of 10, Gray's-inn-place, Warwick-court, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improved means of lighting cigars and cigarettes."
4993. And to Ezedor Bennett, of the city of Manchester, Artist, for the invention of "new or improved apparatus or dress applicable to the human body for receiving the discharge therefrom."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of December, 1876.
5003. To George Roper, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus to be applied to carding engines for dividing the fleeca."
5005. And to Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for collecting and removing sediment in steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas Jefferson Strong, of Brooklyn, King's County, State of New York, United States of America.
- On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of December, 1876.

PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

- A** LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 30th day of December, 1876.
4229. François Alphonse Jacquet, of Boulevard Magenta, 89, at Paris, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in portable gas-cooking apparatus."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4230. François Alphonse Jacquet, of Boulevard Magenta, 89, at Paris, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in gas-heating apparatus."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4231. James Barr Mitchell, of 14, Thistle-grove, South Kensington, in the county of Middlesex; Doctor of Medicine, for an invention of "an improved anodyne compound."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4232. Edward Griffith Brewer, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—Communicated to him from abroad by Charles James Appleton, of Hamilton, Canada.—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4233. Matthew Mirfield, of Holme-lane, near Bradford, in the county of York, Worsted Top Maker, and John Scott, of Holme-lane aforesaid, Manager, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for combing wool and other fibres."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4234. William Birch, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, for an invention of "improved arrangements and apparatus applicable to machinery for opening, smoothing, spreading, and guiding calico, cloth, and other fabrics for the use of bleachers, dyers, calico printers, and others."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4235. Nathaniel Lloyd, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in the mode or method of obtaining heat for heating steam boilers and for other purposes, and in the apparatus used therefor."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4236. John Addy Hopkinson and Joseph Hopkinson, both of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers, and in apparatus to be used therewith."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4237. Michael Henry, of Fleet-chambers, 68, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of boxes, cases, or receptacles, especially applicable for holding edible substances, and in apparatus employed in such manufacture."—From abroad by "La Société E. Peltier et A. Paillard," of 17, Boulevard Saint Martin, Paris, France.—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4239. James Stead Crosland, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in arrangements for economizing fuel and consuming smoke in steam boiler and other furnaces."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4241. Thaddeus Hyatt, of Gloucester-gardens, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of asbestos and in its application to various useful purposes in the arts and manufactures."—Dated 24th December, 1873.
4245. Edward Kaulbach, of 21, Gower-street, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "a new and improved system of permanent way."—Dated 26th December, 1873.
4246. John Thompson, of the firm of Messieurs Curtis, Sons, and Company, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, and William Henry Rhodes, and John Wain, of the same place, Foremen, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing, spinning, and doubling cotton and other fibrous substances."—Dated 26th December, 1873.
4247. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in generating steam or vapour and in apparatus therefor."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Benjamin Douglass, of Montrose, in the county of Essex, and State of New Jersey, United States of America.—Dated 26th December, 1873.
4248. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved instrument or 'tonologue' to be used in teaching music."—From abroad by Ferdinand Bellour and Matthieu Carbonel, both of Marseilles, Bouches du Rhône, France.—Dated 26th December, 1873.
4250. Alfred Hollingworth, of Quarry Mill, in the city and county of Perth, North Britain, Potato Merchant, for an invention of "improvements in the modes and means of dressing potatoes and in the apparatus employed therefor."—Dated 27th December, 1873.
4255. Jean Charles Gaveau, of the Rue de Bercy, 93, at Paris, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in aeronautical apparatus."—Dated 27th December, 1873.
4257. Benjamin Harrison, of Kingsland, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in traversing lifting jacks."—Dated 27th December, 1873.
4260. Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Office, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "a new and improved apparatus for preserving the lives of mariners and others in case of shipwreck."—The said invention is a communication from Joseph Auguste André Fontaine, a person resident at Paris, France, 19, Rue des Mathurine, Gentleman.—Dated 29th December, 1873.
4261. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in clasps for stocking-supporters."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Stephen Kendall Ellis, of Waltham, Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 29th December, 1873.
4263. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for rolling iron and other metals and in apparatus connected therewith."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by the Rhode Island Horsehoe Company (Incorporated,) of Rhode Island, United States of America.—Dated 29th December, 1873.
4265. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "improvements in horseshoe machines."—Communicated to him from abroad by Edwin Sax'on Wheeler,

- of the city of New Haven, in the county of New Haven, in the State of Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 29th December, 1873.
4267. Charles Sheppard, of Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan, Engineer, for the invention of "improved apparatus for washing and purifying coal."—Dated 29th December, 1873.
4270. Benjamin Joseph Barnard Mills, of the firm of Harris and Mills, of 23, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machines called teazles for raising the nap or pile of textile fabrics."—From abroad by Pierre Fauchamps-Nicolaï, of Hodimont, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 30th December, 1873.
4274. Ernest Bazin, Civil Engineer, and Chevalier of the National Order of the Legion of Honour, of No. 16, Place Vendome, Paris, France, for an invention of "improvements in life-buoys."—Dated 30th December, 1873.
4275. George Alonzo Everett, of the city, county, and State of New York, in the United States of America, but at present of 23, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in means for coupling and uncoupling railway rolling stock."—Dated 30th December, 1873.
4277. Henry Highton, of Putney, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in electric telegraphs."—Dated 30th December, 1873.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100 before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 30th day of December, 1876.

3733. William Henry Baxter, of Brixton Hill, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for weighing or measuring corn and other substances."—Dated 24th December, 1869.
3736. William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of metal tubing."—Communicated to him from abroad by Stephen Paschall Morris Tasker, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.—Dated 24th December, 1869.
3737. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improved apparatus for and method of heating water, and purifying the same for use in steam boilers, and for other purposes for which pure water may be required."—Communicated to him from abroad by Edwin Ruthven Stilwell, of Dayton, in the State of Ohio, United States of America.—Dated 24th December, 1869.
3741. Samuel Walker and Edward Holt, both of Radcliffe, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in steam pumping engines."—Dated 24th December, 1869.
3749. Philip Pierce, of Wexford, Ireland, Agricultural Implement Maker, for an invention of "improvements in horse or other gearing."—Dated 27th December, 1869.
3754. William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in sectional steam boilers."—

Communicated to him from abroad by William Philip Abendroth, John Griffith, George William Wandram, and Teile Henry Muller, all of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America, Manufacturers.—Dated 28th December, 1869.

3760. Thomas Edwards, of Ladywood, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in condensing steam engines."—Dated 29th December, 1869.
3761. Bernhardt Gustav Herrmann, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Manager of Silver Works, for an invention of "improvements in the separation of metals."—Dated 29th December, 1869.
3769. William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "an improved apparatus for roasting iron-pyrites."—Communicated to him from abroad by William Helbig, Director of Chemical Works, Heinrichshalle, and Robert Hasenclever, Director of Chemical Works, Holberg, both in the Kingdom of Prussia.—Dated 30th December, 1869.

In the Matter of the Commercial Bank Limited, and 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 Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 8th day of December, 1876, presented to the Master of the Rolls by Elizabeth Ash Malcolm, of Ardenmohr Kvin, in the county of Argyle, Widow, and Samuel Smythe Malcolm, of No. 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Merchant, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 13th day of January, 1877; 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.

C. C. Ellis and Co., of 19, Saint Swithin's-lane, London, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

SUET.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, December 30, 1876.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock,
on Thursday, the 11th January, 1877, for

40,000 lbs. of SUET,
for delivery at Deptford.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this Office, on written or personal application.

West Flanders Railways.

10, Moorgate-Street, London, E.C.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors in this Undertaking will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 10, Moorgate-street, London, on Thursday, the 11th day of January, 1877, at one

o'clock precisely, and at the Siège of the Company, Marché du Vendredi, D. No. 11, Bruges, on Monday, the 29th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock precisely, to consider, and, if approved, to confirm an agreement to work the West Flanders lines in conjunction with other lines for a period of four months from 1st January, 1877, and to give power to the Board of Directors to prolong the said agreement for a period not exceeding in the whole one year should they deem it desirable for the interests of the Company.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

R. Temple Frere, *President.*

F. Smith, *Secretary.*

By Article 40 of the Statutes every Proprietor of shares "to bearer" is required to deposit them with the Secretary of the Company ten days at least before the Meeting to enable him to take part in it.

F. Smith, *Secretary.*

Marine Society's Office.

54½, Bishopsgate-Street Within,
London, E.C., January, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Marine Society will be held in their offices, in Bishopsgate-street, London, on Monday, the 22nd day of January, 1877, at half-past one o'clock.

By order,

S. W. Sadler, R.N., *Secretary.*

East and West India Dock Company.

East and West India Dock House,
Billiter-Square, E.C., January 2, 1877.

THE Court of Directors of the East and West India Dock Company hereby give notice, that a Half-yearly Court or General Meeting of the said Company will be held, pursuant to the directions of the Act 1st and 2nd William 4th, cap. 52, at the Dock House, No. 8, Billiter-square, on Friday, the 12th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock precisely, at which meeting a Dividend will be declared on the Capital Stock of the Company for the half-year ending the 31st December, 1876.

By order of the Court,

J. L. du Plat Taylor, *Secretary.*

Ludlow and Leominster Herald General Printing and Publishing Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the registered offices of the Company, New-buildings, Ludlow, in the county of Salop, on the 25th day of November, 1876, the following Special Resolution was 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, on the 12th day of December, 1876, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Ludlow and Leominster Herald General Printing and Publishing Company Limited be wound up voluntarily."

V. T. T. Orgill, *Chairman.*

The Thermostatic Cooker and Heat Retention Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at 272, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 28th day of November, 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, on the 12th day of December, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. William Oscar-Tibbetts, the Company's Auditor, be appointed Liquidator.

Dated the 28th day of December, 1876.

Thos. Rudkin, *Chairman.*

The Hackney and District Conservative Newspaper and General Publishing Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened and held at 13, Amherst-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, on the 27th day of November, 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 13, Amherst-road aforesaid, on the 18th day of December, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily.

"That Mr. Freegard be appointed Liquidator."

Thos. Brooks, *Chairman.*

The Companies Act, 1862.

The Darlaston Galvanizing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Special General Meeting of Members of the Darlaston Galvanizing Company Limited, duly convened and held at the Company's Works, The Green, Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, on the 1st day of December, 1876, and at a subsequent Special General Meeting of Members, also duly convened and held at the Company's Works aforesaid, on the 19th day of December, 1876, the following Resolutions were duly passed and confirmed:—

1. "That the Darlaston Galvanizing Company Limited be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That John Lewis, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator."

Josh. Smith, *Chairman.*

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Anglo-Peruvian Bank Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Anglo-Peruvian Bank Limited, having duly passed Special Resolutions, dated the 2nd day of October and the 23rd October, 1876, for the voluntary liquidation of that Company, the creditors of the said Bank are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims, to Jacques Errera Oppenheim, Milbourne Clark, and Francis Fesser, Esquires, at No. 4, Bank-buildings, in the city of London, the Liquidators duly appointed by the aforesaid Special Resolutions of the said Bank, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, to supply evidence in support of their debts or claims. Creditors failing to comply with the terms of this notice will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution of assets made before such debts or claims have been notified to the Liquidators.—

Dated 1st January, 1877.

Milbourne Clark, } Liquidators.
F. Fesser, }

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Joseph Crawford, William Crawford, and Benjamin Crawford, carrying on business at Red Hill, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, as Fender Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Ann Crawford, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the partnership will be received and paid by the said William Crawford and Benjamin Crawford, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1876.

*Joseph Crawford.
Benjamin Crawford.
William Crawford.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Farquhar Huggins and Henry Montagu Eyre, Stockbrokers, carrying on business at 1, Threadneedle-street, London, under the style of Huggins and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated January 1, 1877.

*W. F. Huggins.
H. Montagu Eyre.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Theodore Blum and William Hoffmann, hitherto carrying on business as Yarn Merchants, at 4, Shepherd's-court, Deansgate, Manchester, under the firm of Blum, Hoffmann, and Co., has terminated by effluxion of time. All debts owing to or by the said firm will be received or paid by the said William Hoffmann.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

*W. Hoffmann.
Theodore Blum.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, George Pouncey and Thomas Hargrave Pouncey, as Tailors and Drapers, at the city of Ripon, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Pouncey and Son, was, on this 1st day of January, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

*George Pouncey.
Thomas Hargrave Pouncey.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time been carried on by us the undersigned, James Edward Harrison and John Smith, under the firm of Harrison and Smith, at Eagle Works, Alma-street, Aston-juxta-Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in the trade or business of Weavers' Mail and Button Manufacturers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 12th day of December, 1876.—As witness our hands the 30th day of December, 1876.

*James E. Harrison.
John Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Walter Walker Watson and Joseph Watson, carrying on business as Builders, under the style or firm of Watson Brothers, at Nos. 5 and 6, Charlotte-street, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

*Walter Walker Watson.
Joseph Watson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Joseph Binöpfel and George Thomas Press Pointer, under the firm of Binöpfel and Pointer, at 80, Goswell-road and 58, Great Sutton-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Bonnet Shape and Skirt Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 1st day of December, 1876.

*Joseph Binöpfel.
George Thomas Press Pointer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Hubbard and William Hawthorn, carrying on business at No. 5, Union-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, as Wholesale Haberdashers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

*James Hubbard.
William Hawthorn.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Edward Jeffery and Robert Luke, carrying on business at Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, as Agricultural Implement Makers, under the style or firm of Ashby, Jeffery, and Luke, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

*George E. Jeffery.
Robert Luke.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Alexander Campbell and Colin Campbell, carrying on business as Drapers, at No. 2, Bartholomew-yard, in the city of Exeter, was dissolved on the 31st day of December, 1876.—Dated the 1st day of January, 1877.

*Alexander Campbell.
Colin Campbell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Thomas Corbett and Richard Chipchase, in the trade or business of Dealers in Agricultural Implements, at Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, under the firm of Corbett and Chipchase, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, and in future the business will be carried on by the said Richard Chipchase on his separate account.—As witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

*Thomas Corbett.
Richard Chipchase.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, Richard William Fry and Joseph Nevins, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Tea Merchants and Tea Brokers, under the firm of William Fry and Sons, was, on the 31st day of December, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent. The liabilities of the firm will be paid, and all debts due to the firm will be received, by the undersigned Richard William Fry.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

*R. W. Fry.
Jos. Nevins.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Robert Healey and Robert Healey, as Accountants and Stock and Share Brokers, at 16, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Saml. R. and R. Healey, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

*Saml. R. Healey.
Robt. Healey.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Jules Christian Bergmann, of 32, Rue de Bondy, Paris, in the Republic of France, and Charles Adolphe Richard, of 162, Larkhall-lane, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, under the style and firm of Richard and Co., 24, Cannon-street, in the city of London, carrying on the business of Wholesale Importers and Manufacturers of Clocks, Bronzes, &c., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All liabilities will be discharged by the said Charles Adolphe Richard, by whom alone the business will henceforth be carried on under the same style and firm, the same business premises being retained.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1876.

*Jules C. Bergmann.
C. A. Richard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James Gibson and Peter Gibson, in the trades or businesses of Ironmongers and Agricultural Implement Agents, carried on by us at Frodsham, in the county of Chester, under the style or firm of James and Peter Gibson, was, on the 27th day of December instant, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

*James Gibson.
Peter Gibson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John William De Caux and William Henry Canham, in the trade or business of Fish Salesmen, at Billingsgate, London, under the firm of De Caux and Canham, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that in future the business will be carried on by the said William Henry Canham, on his separate account.—Witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

*John William De Caux.
William Henry Canham.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Elizabeth Aickman, Widow; George Herriot Fordyce Aickman, and Thomas Spurr, carrying on the trade or business of Ironfounders, at King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, under the firm of William Aickman and Company, is this day mutually dissolved, as from the 1st day of January next, so far as concerns the said Elizabeth Aickman; and that the said trade or business will, from the said 1st day of January, be carried on by the said George Herriot Fordyce Aickman and Thomas Spurr, who will pay and receive all debts owing by and to the said firm.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

*Elizabeth Aickman.
G. H. F. Aickman.
Thomas Spurr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between Thomas Jervoise Huddleston (in his individual capacity, and as the sole acting executor of the late Peter Huddleston), and Edward Greene, and Frederic Machell Smith, in the business of Bankers, under the firm of Huddleston, Greene, and Co., at Bury St. Edmunds and Mildenhall, Suffolk, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that the said Banking business is intended to be henceforward carried on by the said Thomas Jervoise Huddleston and Edward Purefoy Huddleston, at the same places, under the firm of Huddleston and Co.—As witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

*Thomas Jervoise Huddleston.
Edward Greene.
Frederic Machell Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between Thomas Jervoise Huddleston (in his individual capacity, and as the sole acting executor of the late Peter Huddleston), and Edward Greene, and Frederic Machell Smith, in the business of Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the firm of Huddleston, Greene, and Co., at Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that the said Wine and Spirit business is intended to be henceforward carried on by the said Frederic Machell Smith alone, under the firm of Machell Smith and Co.—As witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

*Thomas Jervoise Huddleston.
Edward Greene.
Frederic Machell Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ezekiel Allen and Mark Allen, as Soda Water, Lemonade, and Ginger Beer Manufacturers, and carried on by us at Dudley, in the county of Worcester, under the style or firm of Allen Brothers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Ezekiel Allen.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1876.

*Ezekiel Allen.
Mark Allen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between Francis Eaden and Alfred Eaden, carrying on business under the style or firm of Eaden and Son, at No. 21, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in the business of Accountants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due to or owing by the said partnership firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Alfred Eaden, who will carry on the said business under the name of Alfred Eaden.—As witness our hands the 1st day of January, 1877.

*Francis Eaden.
Alfred Eaden.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, James Sands and Charles Henry Coe, in the trade or business of Oil and Italian Warehousemen, at No. 29, St. James's-place, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, and elsewhere, under the firm of Sands and Coe, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and, in future, the business will be carried on by the said James Sands on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said copartnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 2nd day of January, 1877.

*James Sands.
C. H. Coe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Adolph Tesdorpf, Johann Heinrich Hermann Fortlage, and Robert Eduard Julius Mestern, carrying on business as Merchants, at Hamburg, in the Empire of Germany, and No. 4, Cullum-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of A. Ferdorpf and Co., has been dissolved, as and from the 31st day of December, 1876, so far only as the said Adolph Tesdorpf is concerned. All debts and liabilities will be paid and received by the said Johann Heinrich Hermann Fortlage and Robert Eduard Julius Mestern.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

*A. Tesdorpf.
J. H. H. Fortlage.
Rob. Mestern.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Montefiore and Ernest George Mocatta, carrying on business as Stock and Share Brokers, at No. 18, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Montefiore and Mocatta, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

*B. Montefiore.
Ernest G. Mocatta.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Whitehouse, Richard Whitehouse, and Thomas William Whitehouse, as Iron Merchants, at Trent-street and Aston-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Whitehouse Brothers, was, on the 1st day of January instant, dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Whitehouse and Thomas William Whitehouse, by whom the Aston-street branch of the said business will in future be carried on, under the name of Whitehouse Brothers, the said John Whitehouse alone carrying on the Trent-street branch thereof.—Witness our hands this 2nd day of January, 1877.

*John Whitehouse.
Richard Whitehouse.
Thomas William Whitehouse.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Huthwaite and William Frederick Lill, of the town of Nottingham, Surgeons, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said late copartnership will be received and paid by the said Charles Huthwaite.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

*Charles Huthwaite.
William F. Lill.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Edward Carlile, John Pittman the younger, Sidney Stamper Thomas, and James Billings, in the business of a Warehouseman, carried on by them at Nos. 11, 12, and 13, Bow-lane and Salter's-court and 27, Watling-street, all in the city of London, under the style or firm of Carliles, Pittman and Co., determined, on the 25th day of December, 1876, by effluxion of time. All debts due and owing to and from the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Carlile, Sidney Stamper Thomas, and James Billings.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

*Edward Carlile.
John Pittman, jun.
Sidney Stamper Thomas.
James Billings.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Parfitt and Edwin Hilton Naish, as House and Estate Agents and Auctioneers, at the city of Bristol, under the firm of Parfitt and Company, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

*Geo. Parfitt.
E. H. Naish.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership in the business of Factors, hitherto carried on by Ashby Bate and Gilbert Browne, at 23, Great-Charles-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style of Ashby Bate and Browne, is dissolved by consent. The undersigned Ashby Bate will settle all debts due by the firm.—Signed this 16th day of December, 1876.

*Ashby Bate.
Gilbert Browne.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Faulconer, Horace Charles Downer, and William Rudston Faulconer, trading under the name, style, and firm of Faulconer, Son, and Downer, at No. 7, Cophthall-court, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, as Stockbrokers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of January, 1877; and that the assets of the said firm will be received by the said Thomas Faulconer and William Rudston Faulconer, who will henceforth carry on the said business at No. 7, Cophthall-court aforesaid, under the name, style, or firm of Faulconer and Son, and who will discharge the liabilities of the said copartnership of Faulconer, Son, and Downer.—As witness the hands of the said parties this 2nd day of January, 1877.

*Thomas Faulconer.
Horace Charles Downer.
William Rudston Faulconer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph William Cartwright and George Innocent, as Wholesale Grocers, at Derby, in the county of Derby, under the firm of Cartwright and Innocent, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, the said George Innocent retiring from the concern; and that debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Joseph William Cartwright.—Witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

*J. W. Cartwright.
George Innocent.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Drysdale Carstairs and Henry Beaufort Sears, as Rice Millers, at Liverpool, under the firm of Carstairs and Co., was dissolved, on the 30th day of December last, by the retirement of the undersigned, Henry Beaufort Sears. All debts due to and by the firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, Drysdale Carstairs.—Liverpool, this 2nd day of January, 1877.

Drysdale Carstairs.
Henry B. Sears.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership up to this date subsisting between the undersigned, Richard James Ashton, Ellis James Gilman, Ellis Gilman, and William Middleton Campbell, trading under the firm of Ashton and Co., at Crown-court, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Merchants, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Middleton Campbell, who retires from the said firm, the other partners still continuing, as heretofore, to carry on business together in partnership under the same style of Ashton and Co.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

R. J. Ashton. *W. Middleton Campbell.*
Ellis Gilman. *E. J. Gilman.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between William Henry Greening and Frederic Thomas Fardon, carrying on business as Manufacturers of Metallic Bedsteads, at Crown Works, Bradford-street, Birmingham, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on as usual by William Henry Greening, under the style of Greening and Fardon as hitherto, and past as well as future debts will be paid by the said William Henry Greening.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

William Henry Greening.
Frederic T. Fardon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Stephen Deane and Joseph Henry Fardon, under the style or firm of Deane and Fardon, at High-street, Alton, in the county of Southampton, in the trade or business of Linen and Woollen Drapers and Outfitters, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of January, 1877. And that the business will be continued by the said Joseph Henry Fardon, who will discharge all the liabilities of, and receive all the debts owing to, the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

Stephen Deane.
Joseph Henry Fardon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, William Joseph Smith, Henry Boden, Walter Boden, and Charles Henry Smith, as Lace Manufacturers, at Derby, Eelper, and Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, and in the town of Nottingham, under the firm of Boden and Company, was, on this 30th day of December instant, dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Joseph Smith and Charles Henry Smith, who on this day retire from the concern. And that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Boden and Walter Boden.—As witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

W. J. Smith. *H. Boden.*
Chas. H. Smith. *Walter Boden.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Collins and William Cullis, in the business of Builders, carried on at Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of Collins and Cullis, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that in future the said business will be carried on by the said Thomas Collins alone, in his own name, and that he, the said Thomas Collins, is entitled to and will receive all debts owing to and will pay all those owing by the said late firm.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

Thos. Collins.
Wm. Cullis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick Davis and Albert Edwin Bayliss, in the trade or business of Plane Manufacturers, carried on under the firm of Davis and Bayliss, at 32, Bishop-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Albert Edwin Bayliss, who will, in future, carry on the said business on his own account.—As witness our hands this 29th day of December, 1876.

Frederick Davis.
Albert Edwin Bayliss.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Featherstone Ayton and Charles John Ayton, at the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, as Corn Factors and Merchants, under the style or firm of J. Ayton and Sons, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts will be received and paid by the undersigned, John Featherstone Ayton, who will continue the business under the same style or firm.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1876.

John F. Ayton.
Chas. J. Ayton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Henry Maleham and Henry William Maleham, carrying on business as Chemists and Druggists, at No. 7, West Bar, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of H. Maleham and Son, is dissolved, on and from the 1st day of January, 1877, by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on upon the above-named premises by the said Henry William Maleham alone, under the old style or firm of H. Maleham and Son, and all debts now due and owing to and from the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Henry William Maleham. Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

Henry Maleham.
Henry W. Maleham.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frederick Griffiths, William Beavis, and Charles Beavis, carrying on business in copartnership as Tar Distillers and Chemical Manufacturers, at White Post-lane, Hackney Wick, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Griffiths and Company, has been dissolved as from this day, when the partnership term expires by effluxion of time. And that the undersigned, Charles Beavis, retires from the said partnership as from this day. All debts, property, and moneys due to or owing by the said firm will be received and discharged by the undersigned, Frederick Griffiths and William Beavis, who alone will continue to carry on the said business in copartnership under the same style or firm.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1876.

Frederick Griffiths.
Wm. Beavis.
Charles Beavis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward William Young and William Potter, carrying on business at the King's Arms Hotel, Francis-street and Green's-end, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, as Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the style or firm of Young and Potter, was, as and from this date, dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the said business will be carried on by the undersigned, Edward William Young, on his own account, by whom all debts due and owing to and from the said concern will be received and paid.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1876.

E. W. Young.
Wm. Potter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Moses Burton, William Isard, Aaron Burton, and James Martin, as Contractors for Dust, Ashes, and other matters and things, at Lett's Wharf, Commercial-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on and from the 1st day of July, 1876.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1876.

Moses Burton. *Aaron Burton.*
William Isard. *James Martin.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Israel Beck and Thomas Peake, carrying on business as Boot Manufacturers, at Bell and Castle-yard, Burton-road, Derby, in the county of Derby, under the style or firm of Beck and Peake, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to and by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Peake, who will carry on the business on his own account.—Dated this 1st day of January, in the year of our Lord 1877.

Israel Beck.
Thomas Peake.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Charlton Jones and Tertius Joynson, carrying on business as Cotton Brokers, at Manchester-buildings, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Messrs. Thomas, Joynson, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of December last, both retiring from business.—Dated the 1st day of January, 1877.

J. Charlton Jones.
Tertius Joynson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Thomas Sparrow and Francis Stephen Long, carrying on business as Tea Brokers, at 9, Mincing-lane, London, under the style or firm of Sparrow and Long, was, on the 30th day of December, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts owing to and by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Francis Stephen Long at 9, Mincing-lane aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

*Thomas Sparrow.
Francis S. Long.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by George Riddett and George Lowe Riddett, under the firm of Riddett and Son, in the trade or businesses of Upholsterers, Cabinet Makers, and Undertakers, was dissolved, on the 1st day of January last, by mutual consent.—As witness our hands the 30th day of December, 1876.

*Geo. Riddett.
George Lowe Riddett.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Andrew Chittenden, Richard Lake Knight, and Peter Smith, as Engineers and Proprietors of Steam Engines and Plant for Ploughing, as now carried on at Sittingbourne and Wingham, in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of Chittenden, Knight, and Company, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 23rd day of December, so far as concerns the said Peter Smith. All debts due to the firm are to be paid to the said Andrew Chittenden and Richard Lake Knight, by whom the businesses will, in future, be carried on, and who will discharge all debts owing by the firm.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1876.

*Andw. Chittenden.
Richd. L. Knight.
Peter Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Wisdom and Frederick William Mart, carrying on business at No. 4, Wood-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, as Wholesale Hosiery, under the style and firm of Wisdom, Mart, and Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued under the same style by the said Frederick William Mart alone on his sole account, and he will receive and pay respectively all moneys owing to or by the late firm.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1876.

*Thomas Wisdom.
F. W. Mart.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Demetrius Cosadinos and Alfred Charles Cooke, carrying on business as Cloth Agents, at 12, Brazennose-street, in the city of Manchester, under the style of Cosadinos, Cooke, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 31st day of December, 1876. All debts owing to and by the partnership will be received and paid by the said George Demetrius Cosadinos, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 22nd day of December, 1876.

*G. D. Cosadinos.
A. C. Cooke.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Gilbert Young Tickle, Gilbert Young Tickle the younger, Henry Elliot Tickle, and George Bickerton Walker, carrying on business at 210, Derby-road, Bootle, in the county of Lancaster, as Veneer and Timber Merchants, under the style or firm of Gilbert Tickle, Sons, and Company, has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Gilbert Young Tickle, Gilbert Young Tickle the younger, and Henry Elliot Tickle, by whom the business will in future be carried on in copartnership under the same style.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

*Gilbert Y. Tickle. H. Elliot Tickle.
Gilbert Y. Tickle, jun. Geo. B. Walker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Barker and John Barker, carrying on business in Holbeck-lane, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, as Carriers and Leather Sellers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 1st day of December instant. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said John Barker, who will continue to carry on the business on his own account, at the place aforesaid.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1876.

*Benjamin Barker.
John Barker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore carried on by us the undersigned, Henry Bubb and Edward Bubb, and by John Hampson, Esq., deceased, as Clothiers, at Southfields and Churches Mills, Woodchester, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of Bubb and Company, was, on the 1st day of December instant, dissolved in accordance with the provisions of our partnership deed.—As witness our hands this 6th day of December, 1876.

*Henry Bubb.
Edward Bubb.
Sarah Walker Hampson,
F. W. Booth,
Executors of John Hampson, Deceased.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Charles Dingwall, Richard Brinsley Portal, Bernard Bedwell Portal, William Richard Portal, and Frederick Welch Portal, carrying on business at No. 2, Idol-lane, Tower-street, in the city of London, as Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the style or firm of Dingwall, Portal, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of December, 1876, so far as regards the said Charles Dingwall, who retires therefrom. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Richard Brinsley Portal, Bernard Bedwell Portal, William Richard Portal, and Frederick Welch Portal, by whom the said business will in future be carried on in copartnership, with Charles Arthur Dingwall, under the style or firm of Portal, Dingwall, and Co.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

*Charles Dingwall. W. R. Portal.
Richd. B. Portal. F. W. Portal.
Bernard B. Portal.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business as Iron Merchants, in the city of Manchester, under the firm of Smith and Simpson, expired, by effluxion of time, on the 31st day of December last. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, Alfred Simpson, by whom the business will be continued.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

*Richard Smith.
Alfred Simpson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Edward Tomkinson and Henry Evans Gordon, carrying on business at No. 2, Cowper's-court, Cornhill, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Tomkinson and Gordon, as Stock and Share Brokers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due and owing by and to the said late copartnership will be respectively paid and received by the said Robert Edward Tomkinson alone, who will continue the said business on his own account at the above address, under the style of Robert Edward Tomkinson; and the said Henry Evans Gordon will also continue on his own account the business of a Stock and Share Broker, at the same address.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

*R. E. Tomkinson.
H. Evans Gordon.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jonathan Strong, Thomas Vale Christmas, and John Moffitt, carrying on business at Duck's Foot-lane, in the city of London, as Provision Merchants, under the style or firm of J. Strong, Christmas, and Co., was, on the 30th day of December, 1876, dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as the said John Moffitt, is concerned. And that all debts now due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by us, the said Jonathan Strong and Thomas Vale Christmas, by whom the alone the said business will henceforth continue to be carried on, under the style or firm of J. Strong, Christmas, and Co.—As witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

*Jonathan Strong.
T. Vale Christmas.
J. Moffitt.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Allen and Thomas Walter Barber, trading as Robert Allen and Company, as Organ Builders, at Phippen-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, Redcliffe, in the city and county of Bristol, is dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 24th day of October last; and in future the said business will be carried on by the said Robert Allen on his separate account, who will pay and receive all debts owing from or to the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1876.

*Robert Allen.
Thomas Walter Barber.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Henry Coulter and George Thomas Brangwin, of 15, Cambridge-place, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Builders and Decorators, under the firm of Coulter and Brangwin, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th December last.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

W. H. Coulter.
G. T. Brangwin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Brown, Joshua Knapton Brown, and Alfred Brayshaw, lately carrying on business as Cloth Manufacturers, at Yeadon and Leeds, both in the county of York, under the style or firm of Brown Brothers and Brayshaw, has been dissolved, by effluxion of time, as and from the 31st day of December, 1876. The said business will, in future, be carried on by the said Thomas Brown and Alfred Brayshaw only, under the style or firm of Brown and Brayshaw, who will receive and pay all debts due to and owing by their late firm.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

Thomas Brown.
J. K. Brown.
Alfred Brayshaw.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Baker and Henry Baker, as Silk Merchants, under the firm of William Baker and Son, at Derby, in the county of Derby, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will in future be carried on at the same place by the said William Baker, who will pay all debts due from and receive all debts due to the said late copartnership firm.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

William Baker.
Henry Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Theophilus Paton, George Frederick Brady, and Henry James Syrett, carrying on business as General Merchants, at No. 41, Queen-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Paton, Brady, and Co., was dissolved on the 31st day of December, 1876.—As witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

W. T. Paton.
G. F. Brady.
H. J. Syrett.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Stevens, James Edmund Haselwood, and William Stevens the younger, of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, carrying on the profession of Solicitors, under the style or firm of Stevens, Haselwood, and Stevens, was, on the 31st day of December now last, dissolved by effluxion of time.—Witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

Wm. Stevens.
J. E. Haselwood.
Wm. Stevens, jun.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Josiah Haydon, Philip Gentle, and James Treleaven, carrying on business as Straw Warehousemen, at No. 3, Frankfort-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, under the style or firm of Haydon, Gentle, and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on by the said John Josiah Haydon and Philip Gentle alone, who will receive and discharge all debts due to and from the late firm.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

John Josiah Haydon.
Philip Gentle.
James Treleaven.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to a Decretal Order of the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich (Woolwich Branch), notice is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between William Cobb and Thomas Holt Challis, Photographers, at 78, Wellington-street, Woolwich, is dissolved as from the 1st day of June, 1876.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1876.

CHARLES PITT TAYLOR, Registrar.

[Extracts from the Edinburgh Gazette of January 2, 1877.]

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers hereto, who are the accepting and acting Trustees and Executors of the late Andrew Douglas, sole Partner of the firm of A. and J. Douglas, carrying on business as Berlin Wool and Smallware Mer-

chants, at 95, Buchanan-street, Glasgow, hereby intimate that having sold the said business and goodwill thereof to the other Subscriber, Mr. David Baxter, they ceased, as at and from the 1st day of December, 1876, to have any share or interest in the said business, which since that date has been and will continue to be carried on by the said David Baxter, on his own account under the same firm.

Mr. Baxter has been and is hereby authorized to receive and discharge all outstanding accounts due to or by the late firm.

P. Samuel,
Mary Thorn Boyd,
John King,
John Forbes,

Trustees and Executors of the late Andrew Douglas, sole surviving Partner of A. and J. Douglas.

JAS. HENDERSON, Book-keeper, Edinburgh, Witness.

JOSEPH STOTT, Clerk, Edinburgh, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of Peter Samuel

ALEX. FRASER MACBEAN, Writer, 45, West George-street, Glasgow.

SAMUEL M. CARRICK, Apprentice-at-Law, 45, West George-street, Glasgow.

Witnesses to the Signatures of Mrs. Mary Thorn Douglas or Boyd, John King, and John Forbes.

David Baxter.

JOHN B. MACLACHLAN, Apprentice-at-Law, 175, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Witness.

JAMES CRAWFORD, Apprentice-at-Law, 175, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of David Baxter.

Glasgow, 26th December, 1876.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, Robert Townsend, has ceased as on this date to have any interest in the business of Manufacturing Chemist, carried on by him in his own name at the Port Dundas Chemical Works, 128, Bishop-street, Port Dundas, Glasgow.

The business will in future be carried on by his sons, the other Subscribers, Robert Townsend, junior, and Alexander Watson Townsend, under the firm of R. and A. W. Townsend.

Glasgow, 1st January, 1877.

Robert Townsend.
Robert Townsend, jun.
A. W. Townsend.

ALEXR. M'CAKILL, 128, Bishop-street, Glasgow, Witness.

JAMES WYLLIE, Law-Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jacques van Raalte and Bernard Joseph Behrend, carrying on business as Commission Merchants, at 136, West Regent-street, in the city of Glasgow, under the style or firm of Raalte, Behrend, and Co., has, as regards the general business of the said Partnership, been, as from yesterday, dissolved by mutual consent, but not as regards the business connected with certain contracts and sub-contracts for the construction of the Dutch India Dry Docks and the works connected therewith; as to which and for the carrying out and completion of the said contracts and sub-contracts, the firm and the partnership limited hereto will be continued as heretofore.

Dated this 1st day of January 1877.

Jacques van Raalte.

Signed by the said Jacques van Raalte in the presence of

D. MITCHELL, of 136, West Regent-street, Glasgow, Mercantile Clerk.

JULES VAN RAALTE, of 136, West Regent-street, Glasgow, Mercantile Clerk.

Bernd. J. Behrend.

Signed by the said Bernard Joseph Behrend in the presence of

C. M. M. RAWLINS,

GEO. A. PARTON,

Both of 66, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., Solicitors.

WILLIAM THOMAS OLIVER HARRISS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **A**LL creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of William Thomas Oliver Harriss, late of 47, Dempsey-street, Mile End, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman (who died on the 28th day of October, 1876, to whose estate letters of administration were granted on the 23rd day of November, 1876, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Elizabeth Haywood Dalton, Widow), are hereby required to send in to the undersigned, the particulars of their debts and claims against the said deceased, on or before the 3rd day of February, 1877. And notice is hereby given, that the administratrix of the said William Thomas Oliver Harriss, deceased, will, after the 3rd day of February next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have had notice.—Dated 3rd day of January, 1877.

PEARCE and SON, 8, Giltspur-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

JOSEPH SMETHURST, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Smethurst, late of Guide Bridge, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, deceased (who died on the 4th day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 27th day of November, 1876, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Manchester, by Herbert John Walduck, of the city of Manchester aforesaid, Metal Broker, and George Clay, of Audenshaw, in the county of Lancaster aforesaid, Builder and Contractor, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to Messrs. Slater and Poole, of No. 5, Norfolk-street, Manchester aforesaid, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of February next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said testator, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons whomsoever of whose claims or demands they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of December, 1876.

SLATER and POOLE, 5, Norfolk-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the said Executors.

HENRY DUPREY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Henry Duprey, late of Windermere Villa, Woodbury Down, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman (who died on the 31st day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of November, 1876, by Anna Duprey, of Windermere Villa aforesaid, Widow, Henry Perry Duprey, of Fort House, Green-lanes, Stoke Newington aforesaid, Gentleman, and George Duprey, of Windermere Villa aforesaid, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are, on or before the 14th day of February next, to send in their claims against the estate of the said Henry Duprey, deceased, to us, the undersigned, at our office, and that the said executors will at the expiration of that time proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice; and that by virtue of the said Act the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JACKSON and ELLEN, 55, Chancery-lane, London, W.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

THOMAS WITHECOMB, 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 the estate of Thomas Withecomb, late of No. 7, Eastbourne-terrace, Lee Green, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of November, 1876, by Charles Withecomb and John Death, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required, on or before the 5th day of February, 1877, to send in particulars of such claims or demands to me, the

undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executors; and that, in default thereof, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the whole, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim such executors shall not have had notice on or before the said 5th day of February, 1877.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

HUMPHREY WOOD, Chatham, Kent, Solicitor to the said Executors.

LOUISA COE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of Louisa Coe, late of Sudbury, in the county of Suffolk, Corn Dealer, deceased (who died on the 6th day of December, 1876, and whose will was proved, on the 20th day of December, 1876, in the Bury Saint Edmunds District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Alfred Blythe, of Melford, in the said county of Suffolk, Grocer, and William Inglis Mason, of Sudbury aforesaid, Surgeon, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 14th day of February next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall have then had notice; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required forthwith to pay their respective debts to us on behalf of the said executors.—Dated the 2nd day of January, 1877.

ANDREWES, CANHAM, and ANDREWES, Sudbury, Suffolk, Solicitors to the said Executors.

GEORGE LEIGHTON, 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 the estate of George Leighton, late of Osgodby, in the parish of Cayton, in the county of York, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 17th day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at York, on the 6th day of November, 1876, by Alfred Dunhill and Charles Frederick Hart, and the said testator's sons, George Leighton, heretofore the younger, and Seth Burton Leighton, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, at our offices, No. 73, Saint Thomas-street, Scarborough, in the county of York, on or before the 8th day of March next, after which day 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 that the said executors will not be liable for such 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

MOODY, TURNBULL, and GRAHAM, 73, St. Thomas-street, Scarborough, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re JOHN MAWSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Mawson, late of Holbeck, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, deceased (who died on the 17th day of November, 1876, having previously made and executed his last will and testament, bearing date the 17th day of December, 1874, and which said will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Richard Kilburn the younger and Frederick Kilburn, the executors named in the said will), are requested to send particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 16th day of February next. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 16th day of February next, the said Richard Kilburn the younger and Frederick Kilburn, as such executors as aforesaid, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons, of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

MIDDLETON and SONS, 32, Park-row, Leeds, Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM CAWTHRON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Cawthron, late of Frankwell, in Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Painter and Glazier (who died on the 7th day of December, 1875, and whose will was proved, on the 13th day of September last, in the District Registry, at Shrewsbury, attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Henry Hudson, of Frankwell, in Shrewsbury aforesaid, Skinner, the surviving executor), are requested to send the particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, on or before the 5th day of March next, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

C. D. and A. S. CRAIG, the Crescent, Shrewsbury, Solicitors to the said Executor.

MARY THERESA COSTELLOE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the late Mary Theresa Costelloe, late of No. 14, Westmorland-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 16th day of November, 1875, and whose will was proved by John Carrige, of 41, Lancaster-road, Wesbourne Park, the executor of the said will, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to us the undersigned, Thomson, Lidiard, and Chanter, of No. 7, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitors to the said executor, on or before the 2nd day of February, 1877. And notice is hereby also given, that after that date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

THOMSON, LIDIARD, and CHANTER, 7, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Solicitors to the Executor.

Miss HARRIOTT COUPLAND, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 29th sec. of the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of Harriott, otherwise Harriet, Coupland, late of No. 15, formerly 6, Grosvenor-crescent, Scarborough, in the county of York, Spinster, deceased (who died at No. 15, Grosvenor-crescent, Scarborough aforesaid, on the 24th day of November, 1876, and whose will was duly proved by John Christie, one of the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of December, 1876), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to Mr. Charles Henry Coupland, of No. 2, Eddington-terrace, Falsgrave, Scarborough, on or before the 1st day of February, 1877. And notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Harriott Coupland amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executor shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

JOHN CHRISTIE, 4, Lothbury, London, E.C., Solicitor to the said Executor.

EMMA ANNE TURNER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claim or demand against the estate of Emma Anne Turner, late of the Lion Hotel, in the parish of Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, Widow, deceased (who died intestate on the 27th day of November, 1876, and letters of administration of whose personal estate was granted to the Reverend John Stanley Owen, of Saint Paul's Parsonage, Sheerness, in the county of Kent, Clerk in Holy Orders, by the Shrewsbury District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of December, 1876), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to Messrs. Woosnam, Talbot, and Hutchinson, of Newtown, in the

said county of Montgomery, on or before the 1st day of February, 1877; and notice is hereby given, that after the last-mentioned date the said administrator will proceed to administer the estate and to distribute the assets of the 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 liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any creditor or other person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

WOOSNAM, TALBOT, and HUTCHINSON, Newtown, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

LEWIS ARTHUR BERRIMAN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Lewis Arthur Berriman, formerly of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Master Mariner, but late of the Spread Eagle Inn, Holywell, in the county of Flint, Licensed Victualler (who died on the 10th day of January, 1876, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Saint Asaph District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 16th day of February, 1876, by Eliza Berriman, the executrix, and Thomas William Bates, the executor named in the said will and codicil), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands against the said estate to the said executors, to the office of us, the undersigned, in Commerce-court, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1877, after which day the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Lewis Arthur Berriman amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not afterwards be liable for such assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice; and all persons indebted to the estate of the said Lewis Arthur Berriman are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective debts forthwith to the said executrix or executor.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

BARRELL and RODWAY, Commerce-court, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors.

***JOHN ROBERTS, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the 29th section of the 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Roberts, late of 17, Bury-street, St. James's, and of the Oxford and Cambridge Club, respectively in the county of Middlesex, Esq., Fellow of Magdalen College, in the University of Cambridge (who died at Hastings, in the county of Sussex, on the 1st day of September, 1876, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of December, 1876, by Benjamin Leigh Smith, Esq., the sole executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Thomas Webster, the Solicitor of the said Benjamin Leigh Smith, on or before the 31st day of March, 1877. And notice is hereby given, that after such date the said Benjamin Leigh Smith will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Roberts amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Benjamin Leigh Smith has then had notice; and that the said Benjamin Leigh Smith will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Benjamin Leigh Smith shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

THOMAS WEBSTER, 43, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Solicitor to the said Executor.

HENRY JACOB VERLANDER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Jacob Verlander, late of No. 11, Davies-street, Berkeley-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman (who died on the 15th day of December, 1876, intestate, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of January, 1877, to John Arnold, the lawful cousin-german once removed, and one of the next of kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the said administrator, on or before the 5th day of February, 1877, after the expiration of which time the said administrator will proceed to dis-

tribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1877.

OLIVER RICHARDS, 16, Warwick-street, Regent-street, W., Solicitor to the said Administrator.

GEORGE PARKER, 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 against the estate of George Parker, late of Foden Bank Cottage, Sutton, near Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Cotton Spinner, deceased (who died on the 20th day of March, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 24th day of April, 1876, in the District Registry at Chester of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by John Parker, of Maye-street, in the city of Manchester, Cotton Waste Dealer, Martha Parker, of Foden Bank Cottage aforesaid, Widow, the relict of the said deceased, and Sarah Parker, of Foden Bank Cottage aforesaid, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, Messrs. Boote and Edgar, their Solicitors, on or before the 6th day of January, 1877, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, pursuant to the terms of the said will, having regard only to the claims and demands which shall then have been delivered; and the said executors will not be answerable for the assets, so distributed, or any part or parts thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not have had due notice.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1876.

BOOTE and EDGAR, 45, George-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the said Executors.

CHANDOS WREN HOSKYNs, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Chandos Wren Hoskyns, late of Harewood, in the county of Hereford, and of 41, Eccleston-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. (who died on the 28th day of November, 1876, and whose will was proved by Anna Fane Wren Hoskyns, of 41, Eccleston-square, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, the executrix therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of December, 1876), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims, or demands, to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executrix, on or before the 16th day of February, 1877, and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executrix 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 she shall then have had notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

DOMVILLE, LAWRENCE, and GRAHAM, 6, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, Solicitors to the said Executrix.

JAMES SHEPHERD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of James Shepherd, late of No. 66, Commercial-road, Landport, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, Railway Carrier (who died on the 18th day of June, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Winchester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by John Shepherd and William Shepherd, sons of the said deceased, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitor, Mr. George Feltham, 5, Union-street, Portsea, Hants, on or before the 5th day of February, 1877, after which last-mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute or otherwise apply the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims or

demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1876.

GEO. FELTHAM, 5, Union-street, Portsea, Solicitor to the said Executors.

THOMAS GREENWOOD, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Thomas Greenwood, late of Sandfield Lodge, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 12th day of December, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 22nd day of the same month, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Marianna Greenwood, of Sandfield Lodge aforesaid, Widow, and Herbert Greenwood, of Sway House, Lymington, in the county of Hants, Esq., the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their debts or claims on or before the 28th day of February, 1877, to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, and notice is hereby further given, that after the said 28th day of February, 1877, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Greenwood, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors may then have had notice; and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

PAINÉ, LAYTON, and COOPER, 47, Grosvenor House, E.C., Solicitors to the Executors.

WILLIAM ENDERBY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of William Enderby, late of Beckington, in the county of Somerset, Esq. (who died on the 9th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved by Mary Enderby, Widow, the relict, William Enderby, the son of the said deceased, and John Wreford Budd, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of November, 1876), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 5th day of February, 1877, and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JOHNSON, UPTON, BUDD, and ATKEY, 20, Austin-friars, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

Miss HESTER ELIZABETH CARLILE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Hester Elizabeth Carlile, formerly of Tancrede House, Kingsdown, in the city of Bristol, but late of Ellerslie, Canynge-road, Clifton, in the said city of Bristol, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 11th day of December, 1876, and whose will, and two codicils thereto, were proved in the Bristol District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of December, 1876, by William Luscombe, of Clarham, near Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Esq., James Edgecumbe, of Broad-street, in the city of Bath, Engraver, and the Reverend John Winsor Sampson, of Poole, in the county of Dorset, Congregational Minister, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Hester Elizabeth Carlile, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not after that time be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

FRY, ABBOT, POPE, and BROWN, Shannon-court, Bristol, Solicitors for the said Executors.

MARTHA ASPINALL, Deceased.

Pursuant to 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 Martha Aspinall, late of London-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, Licensed Victualler (who died on the 18th day of November, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 28th day of December, 1876, in the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry at Liverpool, by William Atkinson, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said William Atkinson, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877, after which day the said William Atkinson will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

NORRIS and SONS, Union-buildings, 16, North John-street, Liverpool, Solicitors

EDWARD ASHBY, Deceased.

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

ALL creditors and others having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Edward Ashby, late of Harmondsworth, in the county of Middlesex, Baker (who died on the 11th day of May, 1876, and whose will and codicil were proved on the 1st day of July, 1876, by Sophia Ashby, of Harmondsworth aforesaid, widow and relict of the deceased, Thomas Clayton, of Colham Bridge, West Drayton, in the said county of Middlesex, Beer-house Keeper, and William George Ashby, of Harmondsworth aforesaid, the executrix and executors), are, on or before the 24th day of February next, to send in the particulars of such claims or demands to the said executrix and executors, at the offices of Messrs. Gardiner, Son, and Weedon, at Uxbridge, in the county of Middlesex; and in default thereof the said executrix and executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased; and will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

GARDINER, SON, and WEEDON, Solicitors for the Executrix and Executors.

Re MARK OLDROYD, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 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 creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mark Oldroyd, late of Overton Hall, in the parish of Thornhill, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased (who died on or about the 26th day of November, 1875, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by John Oldroyd and Mark Oldroyd, both of Dewsbury, in the said county, Manufacturers and Merchants, two of the executors therein named, on the 29th day of July, 1876, in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said John Oldroyd and Mark Oldroyd, or to us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

SCHOLEFIELD and SON, Dewsbury, Yorkshire, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re HENRY STAPLETON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Stapleton, late of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Flock Merchant, deceased (who died on or about the 29th of October, 1876, and whose will was proved by Jesse Greenwood, of Batley Carr, in the said county, Beer-house Keeper, and Matthew Thackrah, of Dewsbury aforesaid,

said, Manufacturer, the executors therein named, on the 17th of November, 1876, in the District Registry at Wakefield of the High Court of Justice, Probate Division), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Jesse Greenwood and Matthew Thackrah, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

SCHOLEFIELD and SON, Dewsbury, Yorkshire, Solicitors to the said Executors.

PIETRO PIDRINI, 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 persons having any claims against the estate of Pietro Pidrini, lately residing at the Hope and Anchor Hotel, in the parish of St. Mary Redcliff, in the city of Bristol, Dealer in Plate (who died at the Hope and Anchor Hotel, Bristol aforesaid, on the 1st day of October, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bristol of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (Probate Division), on the 26th day of January, 1876, by Henry William Sayles, of Bristol, Gentleman, and John Warry, of Bristol, Silversmith, the executors therein named), are requested to send the particulars of such claims and demands to the said executors, at the offices of their Solicitors, Messrs. Brittan, Livett, Box, and Brittan, Albion-chambers, Small-street, Bristol, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for any claim or debt of which they shall not then have had notice.—Dated Bristol, this 2nd day of January, 1877.

BRITTAN, LIVETT, BOX, and BRITTAN, Bristol, Solicitors.

CHARLES BIRTILL DUNN, 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Charles Birtill Dunn, late of No. 42, Triangle, Clifton, in the city of Bristol, Gentleman, deceased (who died at No. 42, Triangle, Clifton aforesaid, on the 6th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bristol of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (Probate Division), on the 24th day of August, 1876, by Walter Gustavus Smith, of Southfield-road, Cotham, Bristol, Public Accountant, the executor therein named), are requested to send the particulars of such claims and demands to the said executor, at the offices of his Solicitors, Messrs. Brittan, Livett, Box, and Brittan, Albion-chambers, Small-street, Bristol, on or before the 1st day of March, 1877, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for any claim or debt of which he shall not then have had notice.—Dated Bristol, this 2nd day of January, 1877.

BRITTAN, LIVETT, BOX, and BRITTAN, Bristol, Solicitors.

Mrs. HANNAH JONES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 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 creditors or persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Hannah Jones, late of the Commercial Inn, High-street, in the town and county of Carnarvon, Widow, deceased (who died on the 7th day of December, 1876, of whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted to Mrs. Maria Patterson, of the Commercial Inn aforesaid, by the District Registry at Bangor of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Turner and Allanson, the Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 10th day of February, 1877. And notice is hereby also 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 debts, claims, or demands of which the said administratrix shall have then had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed or otherwise dealt with, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim the said administratrix shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

TURNER and ALLANSON, 1, Church-street, Carnarvon, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM THORNHILL, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Thornhill, late of Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Brush Manufacturer (who died on the 30th day of October, 1875, and whose will, and a codicil thereto, were proved in the Lichfield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of November, 1876, by Edward Goodwin, Bridle Cutter, and Richard Thornhill, Brush Manufacturer, both of Walsall aforesaid, the executors named in the said will), are required to send particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, on behalf of the said executors, on or before the 13th day of February, 1877, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Thornhill, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1876.

G. COTTERELL, Walsall, Solicitor for the said Executors.

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

In the Matter of the Trusts of the Will of Richard Watts, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Trustee Act, 1850, and of the Act 15th and 16th Vict., cap. 55, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of the Trustee Act, 1850," in the Matter of the Act 19th and 20th Vict., cap. 120, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates," and of the Act 21st and 22nd Vic., cap. 77, intituled "An Act to amend and extend the Settled Estates Act of 1856," and of the Act 27th and 28th Vic., cap. 45, intituled "An Act to further amend the Settled Estates Act of 1856," and of the Act 37th and 38 Vic., cap. 33, intituled "An Act to extend the powers of the Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act," and in the Matter of a piece of Land with the Message thereon, situate in Warser Gate, in the parish of St. Mary's, in the town of Nottingham, forming part of the real Estate, settled by the Will of Richard Watts, late of Nottingham aforesaid, Deceased.

PURSUANT to the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament, and the Consolidated General Order of this Court in that behalf, notice is hereby given, that on the 8th day of December, 1876, Elizabeth Bond, the wife of Charles Bond, of 14, The Terrace, Wimbledon, Watchmaker, by the said Charles Bond, her next friend, the said Charles Bond, Edith Elizabeth Bond, and Charles Richard Bond, infants, by the said Charles Bond, their father and guardian, and Harriet Goodall, wife of Edmund Goodall, of Redmondstown Hall, Castletown, Geoghegan, in the county of Westmeath, Ireland, by the said Edmund Goodall, her next friend, and Anne Deverell, of Nottingham, wife of George Deverell, out of the jurisdiction, by the said Charles Bond, her next friend, presented their Petition to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to be heard before his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, praying: 1. That Joseph Artindale Young and Charles Bond may be appointed New Trustees of the Will of the said Richard Watts, deceased, in substitution for William Holmes, deceased, and Robert Jackson, who has refused to act, and that the land, message, and hereditaments in Warser Gate, Nottingham, and any other land devised by and subject to the trusts of the Will of the said testator, Richard Watts, may vest in the said Joseph Artindale Young and Charles Bond, as the Trustees of the Will for the Estate thereby devised to the Trustees thereof. 2. That a sale of the said piece of land, message, and hereditaments in Warser Gate, Nottingham, may be authorized and directed by the Court, and carried out and conducted by the Trustees when appointed of the said will in the same manner as by the rules and practice of the Court is required in the case of lands sold under a Decree. 3. That in case this Court shall be of opinion that a lease should be made of the said piece of land and message instead of a sale thereof, an Order may be made vesting in the said Joseph Artindale Young and Charles Bond, as such new trustees of the said Will of Richard Watts, and in the trustees or trustee for the time being of the same Will, or such other persons as may be fit, powers of granting building leases for terms not exceeding 99 years, as may be expedient, and of entering into and making preliminary contracts to grant such lease or

leases respectively of the whole, or any part or parts, of the said piece of land and hereditaments, such leases and contracts respectively to be in conformity with the provisions applicable thereto of the said Acts, and upon and subject to such conditions as to the pulling down and sale of the materials of the said existing house, and otherwise as the Court shall see fit. 4. That all necessary provisions may be made and directions given for the purposes of the said sale, and investment of the proceeds arising therefrom, and, if necessary, of the said powers of leasing and entering into such preliminary contracts as aforesaid. 5. That the costs of your petitioners, and of all persons served with or properly appearing on this Petition, of and incident to this application, may be taxed, and that the amounts thereof, when taxed, may, in case of a sale, be directed to be paid out of the proceeds of sale, and in case of powers to grant leases being directed may be a charge upon the said piece of land, message, and hereditaments, and be raised by sale or mortgage of the grounds rents thereof, or a sufficient part thereof, to be effected by the Trustees, when appointed under the direction of this Court. 6. Or that such further or other Order be made in the premises as may be just. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Dixon, Ward, Letchworth, and Weld, situate at No. 10, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1876.

DIXON, WARD, LETCHWORTH, and WELD,
10, Bedford-row, Middlesex, Solicitors for the
Petitioners.

In the High Court of Justice.—Admiralty Division.—
Liverpool District Registry.

The s.s. Puerto Rico.

WHEREAS in an action of limitation of liability now pending in the Admiralty Division of our High Court of Justice, in the Liverpool District Registry, which was instituted on behalf of Vinda de Albizuri, of Bilbao, in Spain, the owner of the s.s. Puerto Rico, against the owners of the barge Squirrel, and of the cargo now or lately laden therein, and against all and every other person or persons whomsoever interested in the said barge Squirrel and her cargo, or having any right, claim, or interest whatsoever with reference to a collision which occurred between the said s.s. Puerto Rico and the barge Squirrel on the 15th day of July, 1875, the Judge of the said Court did, on the 13th day of December, 1876, amongst other things, pronounce that in respect of the damage or loss to the said barge Squirrel, or any goods, merchandise, or things on board of her at the time of the collision, caused by reason of the said collision, the owner of the said vessel Puerto Rico, is answerable in damages to an amount not exceeding the sum of £6,090 14s. 5d., together with interest thereon at the rate of four per centum per annum, from the said 15th day of July, 1875, until payment; such sum of £6,090 14s. 5d. being the aggregate amount of £3 for each ton of the gross registered tonnage of the said s.s. Puerto Rico, without deduction on account of engine room. This is therefore to give notice, to all persons having any claim in respect of the loss or damage caused as aforesaid, that if they do not come in and prove their claims in the said cause (1876, letter A, No. 119), in the Liverpool District Registry, on or before the 19th day of January, 1877, they will be peremptorily excluded from sharing in the aforesaid amount and from the benefits of the said Order.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1876.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn, made in an action William Ellison and Ellen, his wife, against Hannah Hacking, administratrix of Betty Hacking, the creditors of, and the persons claiming to be next of kin to, Betty Hacking, late of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, who died in or about the month of June, 1876, are, on or before the 6th day of February, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. In default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 13th day of February, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JOHN BOLTON, Registrar.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, made in an action William Beech against Charles Brown and Hannah, his wife,

the creditors of, or claimants against, the estate of Sarah Metcalf, late of No. 9, York-street, Hansa-place, in the parish of Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, who died in or about the month of August, 1862, are, on or before the 15th day of February, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. In default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 15th day of February, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

JOHN COLE, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by James Somerville, late of West-street, Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, a Retired Captain in the Honourable East India Company's Service, and will be paid by me, at 4, Saint Thomas-street, Ryde aforesaid, on and after the 9th day of January, 1877.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

C. W. MOODY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

A FIRST Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Fordham Mote, of March, in the county of Cambridge, Implement Maker, and will be paid by me, at my office, North Briak, Wisbech, on and after the 20th day of January, 1877.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

ALFRED EKINS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal.

A FIRST Dividend of 6s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Robert Rigg, of Highgate, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Cabinet Maker, and will be paid by me, at 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on and after Thursday the 4th day of January, 1877, between the hours of nine and six.

W. C. HARVEY, one of the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

A FIRST Dividend of 6s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Probert the younger, of Lostwithiel, in the county of Cornwall, Draper and Outfitter, and will be paid forthwith by me, the undersigned, Samuel Cawse Parkhouse, at my office, No. 18, Bedford-street, Plymouth.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

SAMUEL CAWSE PARKHOUSE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester.

A DIVIDEND of 20s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Allen, of High-street, Holywell, in the county of Flint, Family and Dispensing Chemist, Druggist, and Seedsman, and will be paid by Messrs. Roberts and Dickson, Solicitors, No. 20, Newgate-street, Chester, on and after the 8th day of January, 1877, between the hours ten and four.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

GEORGE A. DICKSON, one of the Trustees.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

A DIVIDEND of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by George Foxall, late of Thavies Inn, in the city of London, Jewellery Factor, but now residing at Beckenham, in the county of Kent, out of business, and will be paid by me, at the office of my Solicitor, Mr. Letts, 8, Bartlett's-buildings, Holborn-circus, London, on and after the 10th day of January, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1876.

FREDERICK PAGE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

A FIRST Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by

No. 24401,

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Mary Ann Rowley, of Nos. 1 and 3, St. James-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Milliner and Dressmaker, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Boyes and Child, of No. 42, Poultry, in the city of London, on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1877, and every succeeding Monday, between the hours of ten and one o'clock.

J. BOYES, 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 Hermina Geertruida Johanna Tennant, late of 26, Osborn-terrace, Clapham-road, and 109, Kennington Park-road, both in the county of Surrey, but now of 103, Camberwell New-road, in the said county of Surrey, Widow.

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 Horns Tavern, Kennington Park, in the county of Surrey, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JOHN GILL KEMPSTER, 37, Lower Kennington-lane, S.E., 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 William Mann, of the Railway-approach, London Bridge, in the county of Surrey, and No. 4, Prospect-place, Peckham Rye, in the said county of Surrey; Mantle and Costume 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. J. M. Henderson, No. 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

WILLIAM FREDERICK TISLEY 3, Abchurch-yard, London, E.C., 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 William Eyre Arthur, formerly of 5, Billiter-square, in the city of London, Merchant, but now of 10, Idol-lane, in the city of London, Traveller.

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 me, the undersigned, Charles Henry Craue, 4, Palsgrave-place, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1876.

CHARLES H. CRANF, 4, Palsgrave-place, Strand, Solicitor for the said William Eyre Arthur.

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 Augustus Hewett, of 1, Delancey-street, Camden Town, and 1, Prince of Wales-road, Kentish Town, both in the county of Middlesex, Furniture 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 8, Giltspur-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

PEARCE and SON, 8, Giltspur-street, 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 John Burrows King, late of No. 14, Hornsey-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Saddler and Harness Maker, but now of No. 105, City-road, in the same county, Licensed Victualler's Manager.

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 John Brunskill, Solicitor, No. 13, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JOHN BRUNSKILL, 13, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, Solicitor for the said John Burrows King.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Horne, of No. 6, Monkwell-street, in the city of London, carrying on business under the style or firm of C. Horne and Co., 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 office of Mr. Richard Nelson, Accountant, No. 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

KYNASTON and GASQUET, 88, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C., 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 Walter Anthony Jackson, of 2, New Market-terrace, Maiden-lane, and the London and North-Western Coal Dépôt, Maiden-lane, both in the county of Middlesex, 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 Mr. W. H. Pannell, 1, Guildhall-chambers, in the city of London, Accountant, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

WYKEHAM GEO. NICOLI, 4^a, Bedford-row, 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 August Wenzel, of No. 107, Three Colt-street, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, and formerly of No. 8, Albert-place, Bow Common-lane, in the said 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 9, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1877.

A. J. MILES, 9, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, City, E.C., 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 William Wilden, of the Sessions House, Old Bailey, in the city of London, Housekeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 9, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, in the city of London, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1876.

A. J. MILES, 9, King Edward-street, Newgate-street, City, E.C., 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 George Burns, of 240, Essex-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Wire Worker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 173, Ball's Pond-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1877.

J. B. FENTON, 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 Melvill Edénborough, of 19, Laurence Pountney-lane, in the city of London, Wine Merchant, trading as Melvill Edénborough 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 the offices of Messrs. T. S. Evans and Co., of Nos. 5 and 6, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, Public Accountants, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1876.

WALTER, MOOJEN, and SON, 12, St. Benet-place, Gracechurch-street, E.C., 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 John Phillips Smith, of 23, Rood-lane, in the city of London, Engineer, lately carrying on business as the General Machinery Purchase-Hire Company, and now Manager of the General Machinery Purchase-Hire Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a New First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Haydon and Vivian, Accountants, 121, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

EDMUND KIMBER, 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 Baum, of Cremorne Gardens, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, Theatrical Proprietor, Proprietor of Public Gardens, and Public Caterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a New First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Evans and Eagles, Solicitors, No. 10, John-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 15th day of January, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

EVANS and EAGLES, 10, John-street, Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Brentford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Nicholas Kirkby Torre, late of Nightingale House, Wood Green, now of Oak Cottage, Ealing, both in the county of Middlesex, Schoolmaster.

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. 13, Rood-lane, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

THOMSON, SON, and BROOKS, 13, Rood-lane, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Nicholas Kirkby Torre.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Munday, of Loose, near Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Butcher, formerly of Frittenden, in the same county, 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 Crown Hotel, Cranbrook, in the county of Kent, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

MCCARTHY STEPHENSON, 19, Dover-place, Church-street, Maidstone, Solicitor for the said Richard Munday.

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 Ernest Thomas Bearsby, of Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Clothier 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 Chamber of Commerce, 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

STONE and SIMPSON, 23, Church-road, Tunbridge Wells, Solicitors for the said 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 John Rudman, of No. 90, London-road, Southborough, and No. 32, Calverley-road, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Boot and Shoe 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 Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

STONE and SIMPSON, 23, Church-road, Tunbridge Wells, Solicitors for the said John Rudman.

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 Canham, of Market-square, Dover, in the county of Kent, 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 Messrs. John Bath and Son, of No. 40A, King William-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

WORSFOLD MOWLL, Dover, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Jacobs, of London House, Castle-street, East Cowes, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, 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 Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, London, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

R. W. FORD and SON, 31, St. Thomas-street, Portsmouth, 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 Simeon Gilder, of No. 127, Spencer-street, Everton-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Yeast 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. William Lowe, Solicitor, No. 43, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, on the 27th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

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 Ann Brown, of No. 2, Church-road and 19, South-road, Waterloo, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, White Cooper, Earthenware Dealer, and Ironmonger.

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 Ety, Solicitor, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

T. ETTY, 22, Lord-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 Henry Thomas Nevill, of 82, Upper King-street, Southport, in the county of Lancashire, Painter, 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. Henry Threlfall, 83, Lord-street, Southport, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

HENRY THRELFALL, 83, Lord-street, Southport, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Smith the younger, of 44, Cheapside, in Hyde, in the county of Chester, Yeast 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. Hervey Smith, in Hyde-lane, in Hyde aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

HERVEY SMITH, Solicitor for the said William Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Grange, of 3, Chapel-walks, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Jeweller and 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 9, Cannon-street, Preston aforesaid, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JOHN FORSHAW, 9, Cannon-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said John William Grange.

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 Robert Allison, of 92, Cottenham-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, situate No. 26, King-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

WM. BURTON, 26, King-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 Patrick O'Donnell, now of 8, Mark-lane, late of 26, Fennell-street, both in Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, Butter and Egg Merchant and Commission Agent, trading under the style or firm of P. O'Donnell 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 the offices of Messrs. Addleshaw and Warburton, Solicitors, 67, King-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

ADDLESHAW and Warburton, 67, King-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Patrick O'Donnell.

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 William Duckworth, of No. 6, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, and Stamford Villa, Audenshaw, in the parish of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor.

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. 51, Fountain-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

SUTTON and ELLIOTT, 51, Fountain-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said William Duckworth.

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 Edmund Guy Cleary, of Nos. 4 and 6, High-street and No. 18, Corporation-buildings, in the city of Manchester, Restaurant Keeper and Fish and Fruit Salesman.

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 Mann, Solicitor, Phoenix-buildings, 20, Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

WM. MANN, Phoenix-buildings, 20, Cooper-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Edmund Guy Cleary.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael Clarke, of 16, Orchard-street, Preston, 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 9, Cannon-street, Preston, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

JOHN FORSHAW, 9, Cannon-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said Michael Clarke.

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 Sommerville and Thomas Sommerville, of No. 255, City-road, Hulme, Manchester.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 10, Ford-lane, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, on the 13th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

THOMAS SOMMERVILLE,
WILLIAM SOMMERVILLE.

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 George Hayhurst, of 172, Stretford New-road, and previously thereto of 141, Stretford New-road, both in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, situate at 16, Tib-lane, within the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

J. L. HODGSON, 16, Tib-lane, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Bilsborrow, formerly of Pasture Barn Farm, near Kirkham, in the county of Lancaster, Farmer, then, afterwards, and now of New Hall Farm, Culcheth, near Warrington, in the said county, 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 offices of Mr. William Richardson Ambler, Solicitor, Church-street, Leigh, in the county of Lancaster, on the 23rd day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

W. RICHARDSON AMBLER, Church-street, Leigh, Lancashire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Peregrine Nash, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, 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 Messrs. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on the 12th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

CONQUEST and CLARE, Bedford, Solicitors for the said George Peregrine Nash.

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 Viner, of Elmley Castle, in the county of Worcester, Carpenter 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 office of Mr. Thomas Clutterback, No. 81, High-street, in the city of Worcester, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

THOS. CLUTTERBUCK, 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 Jane Jones, of Glan Barlwyd Tanygrisiau, in the parish of Festiniog, in the county of Merioneth, 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 my office, situate in Bank-place, Fourcrosses, Festiniog, in the county of Merioneth, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

GEORGE HENRY ELLIS, Fourcrosses, Festiniog, 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 Bartholomew Bellwood, of Bradford Moor, near Bradford, in the county of York, Contractor and 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 offices of James Wharton Moore, Solicitor, Albion-chambers, Hustler-gate, Bradford aforesaid, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

J. W. MOORE, Solicitor for the said Bartholomew Bellwood.

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 Albert Beaver, of No. 19, Springcliffe, Manningham, near Bradford, in the county of York, Builder and Contractor, now carrying on business as W. A. Beaver and Co., recently carrying on business at Carlisle-road, Manuingham aforesaid, in copartnership with William Farnish, as Builders and Contractors, under the style or firm of Farnish and Beaver.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named William Albert Beaver has been summoned to be held at our offices, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, in the county of York, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

WOOD and KILLICK, Bradford, Solicitors for the said William Albert Beaver.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Butterfield and Charles Nunn, both of Halifax, in the county of York, Worsted Spinners, trading there under the style of Butterfield and Nunn.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at our offices, Townhall-chambers, Halifax, in the county of York, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

FOSTER and ENGLAND, Townhall-chambers, Halifax, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

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 Joshua Briggs, of East-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Tanner and Leather Dresser.

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. Rooke and Midgley, in White Horse-street, Boar-lane, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

ROOKE and MIDGLEY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Young, of Knaresborough, in the county of York, Watchmaker.

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 office, No. 20, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

SIMPSON and BURRELL, Solicitors for the said James Young.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Haigh, of Holmfirth, in the county of York, Greengrocer.

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 Samuel Stephenson Booth, 28, John William-street, Huddersfield aforesaid, on the 9th day of January, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

S. S. BOOTH, Holmfirth, Solicitor for the said William Haigh.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Newton, of Barnsley, in the county of York, Warehouseman, formerly 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. John Ibrooke Freeman, in Barnsley aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

JOHN I. FREEMAN, Barnsley, Solicitor for the said William Newton.

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 Edward William Rivett, of Blakeney, in the county of Norfolk, Grocer and Draper.

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 office of the Registrar, 28, Castle-meadow, in the city of Norwich, on the 13th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1876.

EDWARD B. LOYNES, Wells, Norfolk, 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 William Thomas White, of Penzance, in the county of Cornwall, Innkeeper and Shipwright.

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 undersigned, William Trythall, No. 5, Clarence-street, Penzance, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

WILLIAM TRYTHALL, 5, Clarence-street, Penzance, Solicitor for the said William Thomas White.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harrison, of No. 358, Pershore-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and Joseph Charles Lloyd, of Sutton-road, Erdington, in the said county, both out of business, but lately carrying on business at Nos. 103 and 106, Great Charles-street, Birmingham aforesaid, as Lead and Glass Merchants, under the style or firm of Harrison and Lloyd.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hawkes and Weekes, of No. 14, Temple-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Solicitors, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

HAWKES and WEEKES, 14, Temple-street, Birmingham, 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 William Miller, of No. 12, Digbeth and of No. 3½, Oxford-street, both in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Confectioner, carrying on business under the style or firm of Skeuse 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 the offices of Mr. Alfred Green, No. 7, Waterloo-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

ALFRED GREEN, 7, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitor 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 Henry Southcombe, of No. 215, Camden-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, 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. Alfred Baldwin East, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at a quarter-

past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of December, 1876.

ALFRED B. EAST, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham, 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 William Bowen, of Bradby, in the township of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Corn 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 Globe Inn, Mount-pleasant, Bilston, on the 12th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

WM. BOWEN, Bilston, 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 Ralph Mayer, of 12, Lamb-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Bootmaker.

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 Bell and Bear Inn, Stone, Staffordshire, on the 15th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1876.

WM. H. BISHOP, Bank-chambers, Hanley, Staffordshire, Solicitor for the said Ralph Mayer.

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 Neale, of Bilstone, in the county of Leicestershire, Farmer.

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 Great Western Hotel, at Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 8th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

WILLIAM WOOD, Southam, Warwickshire, Solicitor for the said Thomas Neale.

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 Cook, of Barrow-on-Soar, in the county of Leicestershire, Beerhouse 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 the undersigned, Market-place, Loughborough, in the county of Leicestershire, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

DEANE and LICKORISH, Loughborough, and 14, Walbrook, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said George Cook.

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 Henry Tate, late of Skinner-street, Whitby, in the county of York, but now of 6, London-road, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, Jet Merchant and Fancy 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 James Hunter, Solicitor, situate at 13, Halford-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

CHAS. J. HUNTER, 13, Halford-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Henry Tate.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Christopher Adams, of North Curry, in the county of Somerset, Yeoman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Clarke's Hotel, Taunton, in the said county, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

JAS. ALEX. ROUSE, North Curry, Taunton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew Bridges, of Hay, in the county of Brecon Draper, Clothier, and Marine Store Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Third General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Henry Page, Solicitor, Chancery-lane, Hay, in the county of Brecon, on the 11th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

G. H. PAGE, Hay, Breconshire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Swanston, of Bury Saint Edmunds, in the county of Suffolk, Clothing Manufacturer 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 Messrs. Morley and Shirreff, Solicitors, No. 13, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

J. M. POLLARD, 7, Saint Lawrence-street, Ipswich, Suffolk, Solicitor for the said John Swanston.

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 George Legg, of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler, Miner, and Greengrocer.

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 13th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

STRATTON and RUDLAND, 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors 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 Job Constable, late of No. 2, King-street, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, Rim and Mertice Lock Manufacturer, and now of No. 23, Lower Lichfield-street, Willenhall aforesaid, Rim Lock 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. George Vaughan, Solicitor, No. 18, Walsall-street, Willenhall aforesaid, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

GEO. VAUGHAN, 18, Walsall-street, Willenhall, Solicitor for the said Job Constable.

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 Bagnall, of the Crescent, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, Currycomb 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 my office, 17, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, on the 23rd day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

ROBT. R. RHODES, 17, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Cocker-moath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert McMichael, of Workington, in the county of Cumberland, Innkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Tom Milburn, Solicitor, Nook-street, Workington, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

T. MILBURN, Nook-street, Workington, Solicitor for the said Robert McMichael.

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 Edwin Pawley, of Courtenay-street, Newton Abbot, in the county of Devon, Baker and Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hooper and Michelmore, Market-street, Newton Abbot, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

HOOPER and MICHELMORE, Solicitors for the said Edwin Pawley.

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 Charles John Hucker, of No. 22, Strand, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, House Decorator.

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. E. R. V. Shutte, 23, Portland-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1876.

E. R. V. SHUTTE, 23, Portland-street, Southampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Joy and George Joy, of Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, Builders, carrying on business under the style or firm of E. and G. Joy.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Lacey and Son's offices, at Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

LACEY and SON, Bournemouth, Solicitors for the said Edward Joy and George Joy.

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 Lewis Pergryme Evans, trading as Lewis P. Evans, Life Boat Shop, Cwmbach, in the parish of Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, 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 Messrs. Spickett and Price, the Court-house, Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

SPICKETT and PRICE, Pontypridd, Solicitors 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 John Mears, of No. 19, Oxford-street, Mountain Ash, in the parish of Llanwonno, 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 No. 7, Canon-street, Aberdare, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

THOS. PHILLIPS, 1, Maendy-place, Aberdare, Solicitor for the 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 Thomas Morris, late of the Miners' Arms, Llwydcoed, near Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, Innkeeper, but now of No. 15, Miners-row, Llwydcoed aforesaid, Coal Miner.

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. and J. Beddoe, Solicitors, Canon-street, Aberdare, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

W. and J. BEDDOE, Aberdare, Solicitors for the said Thomas Morris.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Parker, of Alfred-street, Neath, 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. Smith, Lewis, and Jones, situate in Victoria-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 15th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1876.

SMITH, LEWIS, and JONES, Solicitors for the said 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 Thomas Dare, of Tynewydd, Ogmores Valley, 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 Thomas Stockwood, jun., at the Townhall-chambers, Bridgend, Glamorganshire, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

THO. STOCKWOOD, Jun., Bridgend, Glamorganshire, Solicitor for the said 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 David Griffiths, of 286, Bute-street, Cardiff aforesaid, 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 18, High-street, Cardiff, on the 16th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1876.

MORGAN and SCOTT, 18, High-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said 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 Samuel Priest, of 2, Davies-street, Cardiff aforesaid, 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. Collins, 39, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

MORGAN and SCOTT, 18, High-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said 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 Edey Snell, of 66B, Crockherbtown, Cardiff aforesaid, 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 Messrs. Barnard, Thomas, Tribe, and Company, Albion-chambers, Bristol, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

MORGAN and SCOTT, 18, High-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 John Morgan Jones, of Wind-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Hosier and Glover.

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, Cawker, and Co., 10, Temple-street, Swansea, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

STRICK and BELLINGHAM, Fisher-street, Swansea, Solicitors for the said John Morgan Jones.

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 Evan Evans, of Pontypridd-road, Ferndale, near Ponty-

pridd, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Green-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. David Rosser, Solicitor, High-street, Pontypridd, on the 18th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1876.

DAVID ROSSER, High-street, Pontypridd, Solicitor for the Debtor.

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 George Jones, of Park Mills, in the parish of Selattyn, in the county of Salop, Miller and 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 Victoria Rooms, in Lower Brook-street, in the town of Oswestry, in the county of Salop, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

STEPHEN DONNE, Solicitor for the said George Jones.

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 Catherine Edge, of Overton, in the county of Flint, Widow, Thomas William Edge, of the same place, Joiner, and John Edge, of the same place, Architect and Surveyor, carrying on business in copartnership, at Overton aforesaid, under the style or firm of Edge and Sons, as Builders and Contractors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 13, Temple-row, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, on the 23rd day of January, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

J. DEVEREUX PUGH, 13, Temple-row, Wrexham, Solicitor for the said Catherine Edge, Thomas William Edge, and John Edge.

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 Samuel Richardson Smith, of the Crown Hotel, East Retford, in the county of Nottingham, 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 offices of George Wagstaffe Hodgkinson, Solicitor, No. 43, Carol-gate, East Retford, in the county of Nottingham, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

GEO. W. HODGKINSON, 43, Carol-gate, East Retford, Solicitor 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 William Cocks, of No. 18, King-street, Pennywell-road, in the city of Bristol, 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. J. H. Clifton, No. 3, Corn-street, in the city of Bristol, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

J. H. CLIFTON, No. 3, Corn-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the Debtor.

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 Robert Wood, formerly of Lintz Colliery, near Lintz Green, in the county of Durham, Miner, then of the Richmond Inn, No. 121, Newgate-street, afterwards of the Scandinaviska Hotel, No. 11, Cowgate, both in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Beerhouse Keeper, and now of the Shipwrights' Arms, North Hylton, in the said county of Durham, 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 offices of Thomas Gilbert Garrick, No. 28, Cloth Market, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

ROBERT GEORGE PORTEOUS, 59, John-street, Sunderland, 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 William Richardson, of High-street, Tow Law, in the county of Durham, 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 John Alderton Bush, 2, St. Nicholas-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

J. A. BUSH, 2, St. Nicholas-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said William Richardson.

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 William Gates, of Grove-lane, Chesbam, in the county of Buckingham, Hay 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, of Great Berkhamsted, in the county of Hertford, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

CHAS. BULLOCK, Great Berkhamsted, Herts, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Lovibond, now, and for the last four months, living in lodgings at Edward Perigoe's, Oak House, Northiam, in the county of Sussex, out of business, and previously thereto in lodgings at No. 10, Springfield-terrace, Saint Leonard's-on-Sea, and before that also in lodgings at 5, Portland-place, Shirley, near Southampton, in the county of Hants, and previously in a furnished house at Waterloo-place, Southampton aforesaid, in the employ of Lovibond and Son, as Managing Clerk, before that at Caterham, in Surrey, in no occupation, previously, and for 18 months, at George-street, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Common Brewer, in partnership with Philip Carman, trading as Lovibond and Carman, and previous to that at No. 3, Hermitage-cottages, North End, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, Manager to Henry Lovibond, Brewer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bridge House Hotel, London Bridge, Southwark, on the 10th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

G. SLADE BUTLER, Rye, Solicitor for the said Henry Lovibond.

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 David Griffiths, of 286, Bute-street, Cardiff aforesaid, Grocer.

UPON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 16th day of January, 1877, is hereby directed to be held at the offices of Mr. James Collins, Junior, No. 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Thomas, of No. 39, Kensington Park-road and No. 204, Portobello-road, Notting Hill, both in the county of Middlesex, Ironmonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of Creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Francis Yorke, of No. 252, Marylebone-road, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of January instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely. This meeting is called to vary the resolution to accept ten shillings in the pound, dated the 1st day of August, 1876, under the petition filed on the 11th July, 1876.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1876.

C. F. YORKE, 252, Marylebone-road, Solicitor for the Debtor.

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 George Trott, otherwise Ball, of No. 20, Southgate-street, Gloucester, Tailor and Outfitter, carrying on business under the style of J. Bryon and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the chambers of Messrs. Taynton and Son, Clarence-street, Gloucester, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes, namely:—1. To consider an application made by the debtor for an allowance out of the estate; 2. To audit the accounts of the Trustee; 3. To declare a First and Final Dividend; 4. To determine as to the debtor's discharge; 5. To decide as to the closing of the liquidation; 6. To consider and, if so resolved, to grant an application by the Trustee for his release; 7. To pass any other resolution as may be necessary or proper in the matter.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1876.

WALTER WILKINS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Shorto, of the parish of Stratton, in the county of Dorset, Miller.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Charles Shorto is hereby summoned to be held at the Antelope Hotel, Dorchester, in the county of Dorset, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of confirming the resolutions unanimously passed at a General Meeting held in this matter at the said Antelope Hotel, Dorchester, this day, viz:—The authorizing the Trustee (in pursuance of section 28 of the above-named Act), to accept such a sum for the purchase of the estate of the said debtor as will suffice to pay the costs of the liquidation, and all proceedings connected herewith, and all rents, rates, taxes, and wages, and a composition of six shillings and eight pence in the pound upon all provable debts due from the said debtor, the same to be paid within one month from this 1st day of January, 1877. The discharge of the debtor, and the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

T. NEWMAN, Dorchester, Dorset, Accountant, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A MEETING of the Creditors of James Whitehouse, of Hawkesley, near King's Norton, in the county of Worcester, Corn Dealer and Farmer, a liquidating debtor, will be held at the offices of Mr. F. M. Burton, Solicitor, 53, Union-passage, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on Friday, the 12th day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the said James Whitehouse of three shillings and sixpence in the pound, upon such terms as the creditors of the said James Whitehouse may, by a special resolution, provide, or the assent by the Trustee to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the said James Whitehouse, and for the closing of the liquidation, payment of Trustee's remuneration, and also the release of the said Trustee, as well as the discharge of the said debtor.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

WALTER GEORGE BLACKHAM, Birmingham, 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 Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees, all of Booth Town Mills, Halifax, in the county of York, Silk Combers and Spinners and Copartners, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees will be held at the White Swan Hotel, Princess-street, Halifax, in the county of York, on Monday, the 15th day of January instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the following purposes, namely:—1. To grant the debtors their discharge; 2. To pass such other resolutions in the matter as the creditors then present, or a legal majority thereof, lawfully may.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, Silver-street, Halifax, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Bland, of the Bell Hotel, Bland Cliff, in Scarborough, in the county of York, Hotel Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the said William Bland will be held at the offices of W. C. Cooper and Co., 20, King's Arms-yard, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on Saturday, the 13th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Trustee's report; passing accounts; fixing the date for the close of the liquidation; releasing the Trustee; and granting the debtor's discharge, and to pass all such resolutions as may be necessary for the aforesaid purposes.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

WM. C. COOPER, 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 Max Benjamin Schumann, of No. 8, Bankside, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, and of No. 105, Cheap-side, in the city of London, formerly of Albert Mills, Pump-street, Oldham-road, Manchester, and 72, Bridgewater-street, Liverpool, both in the county of Lancaster, and formerly of Rue Fiève, Ghent, in the Kingdom of Belgium, and Lizens Strasse, Königsberg, in the Empire of Germany, General Merchant and Shipper.

THE creditors of the above-named Max Benjamin Schumann who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Cooper, of No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, 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 20th day of December, 1876.

JAMES COOPER, 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 John William Cook, lately of Nos. 1 and 2, Thaver-street, Manchester-square, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Wine Merchant, trading there and at No. 87, Dalling-road, formerly No. 1, Albion-road, Hammer-smith, in the same county, in copartnership with Horace Haward, under the style or firm of Haward and Cook, as Grocers and Wine Merchants, but now of Nos. 87 and 120, Dalling-road aforesaid, Grocer and Wine Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named John William Cook who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Herbert Ladbury, of 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

G. H. LADBURY, 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 Peter Salomon, of No. 9, Billiter-square, in the city of London, Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Peter Salomon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of January, 1877, 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, 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 4th day of January, 1877.

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 Alfred Canney Millen, of No. 126, Great College-street, Camden Town, and of No. 26, Brecknock road, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Corn, Flour, and Seed Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Canney Millen who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their

debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Harry Rathbone, the Trustee under the liquidation, at the offices of my Solicitors, Messrs. Keene and Marsland, situate at No. 32, Mark-lane, in the city of London, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1877.

HARRY RATHBONE, 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 William Parnell, of 2, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and 202, Richmond-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Parnell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Thomas Berkeley, of No. 12, Gray's-inn-square, 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 4th day of January, 1877.

STOCKEN and JUPP, Solicitors for the said Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jonathan Fenby, of No. 96, North Marine-road, Scarborough, in the county of York, Butcher.

THE creditors of the above-named Jonathan Fenby who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, R. K. Frankish, the Trustee under the liquidation, addressed to me, at the office of Mr. A. E. Hick, Solicitor, No. 73, Newborough-street, Scarborough aforesaid, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

R. K. FRANKISH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Kirk Barnett, of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Kirk Barnett who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Stewart Eccles, the Trustee under the liquidation, addressed to me, at the offices of Messrs. Stead and Sibree, Solicitors, No. 13, Bishop-lane, Hull, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

C. S. ECCLES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Allen, of High-street, Holywell, in the county of Flint, Family and Dispensing Chemist, Druggist, and Seedman.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick Allen who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George A. Dickson, of 108, Eastgate-street, Chester, one of 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

GEORGE A. DICKSON, one of the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Beer, of Wareham, in the county of Dorset, Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named John Beer who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of February, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edgar Ashworth Harvey, of No. 8, Old Jewry, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

E. A. HARVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Louisa Roberts, of Fwllheli, in the county of Carnarvon, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Louisa Roberts who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Lloyd Jones, the Registrar of the above Court, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

HENRY LLOYD JONES, ex-officio Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John George Williams, of No. 13, Castle-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Painter and Glazier.

THE creditors of the above-named John George Williams who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Courtenay Clarke, of 4, Crockherbtown, Cardiff, 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 29th day of December, 1876.

WILLIAM COURTENAY CLARKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Rex, of the city of Lincoln, Solicitor.

THE creditors of the above-named William Rex who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Jay, of No. 8, Bank-street, in the city of Lincoln, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

GEORGE JAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Marsh, of Newport, in the county of Salop, Painter.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Marsh who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Charles Timothy Starkey, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

CHARLES T. STARKEY, Trustee.

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 Thomas Murray Steele and David Charles Keeling, of Nos. 3, 5, and 7, Comustreet, Richmond-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Soap Manufacturers, carrying on business there in copartnership under the style of M. Steele and Son.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Murray Steele and David Charles Keeling who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Anthony Wigham Chalmers, of No. 5, Fenwick-street, Liverpool 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

A. W. CHALMERS, Trustee.

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 Thomas Murray Steele and David Charles Keeling, of Nos. 3, 5, and 7, Comustreet, Richmond-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Soap Manufacturers, carrying on business there in copartnership under the style of M. Steele and Son.

THE separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Murray Steele who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Anthony

Wigham Chalmers, of No. 5, Fenwick-street, Liverpool 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

A. W. CHALMERS, Trustee.

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 William Cowley, of 34, Edge-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Flour Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Cowley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Connor, Accountant, Ranelagh-chambers, No. 57, Ranelagh-street, Liverpool, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

CHARLES CONNOR, Trustee.

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 Annie Stewart, of 3, Crof's-buidings, Preeon's-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Restaurant Keeper, a Widow.

THE creditors of the above-named Annie Stewart who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Redhead, of 95, Church-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Redhead who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Ellis, of Cornwallis-street, Barrow-in-Furness 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

ROBERT ELLIS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester; by transfer from the Oldham County Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Cunliffe and Abel Cunliffe, of Waterfoot, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Woolstaplers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of H. and A. Cunliffe, as Woolstaplers, and also trading at Waterfoot aforesaid, under the style or firm of George Bridge and Co., as Flock and Felt Carpet Dealers.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Cunliffe and Abel Cunliffe who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Adam Murray, of No. 104, King-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

A. MURRAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the Oldham County Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Cunliffe and Abel Cunliffe, of Waterfoot, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Woolstaplers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of H. and A. Cunliffe, as Woolstaplers, and also trading at Waterfoot aforesaid, under the style or firm of George Bridge and Co., as Flock and Felt Carpet Dealers.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Cunliffe who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1877, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Adam Murray, of No 104, King-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

A. MURRAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the Oldham County Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Cunliffe and Abel Cunliffe of Waterfoot, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Woolstaplers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of H. and A. Cunliffe, as Woolstaplers, and also trading at Waterfoot aforesaid, under the style or firm of George Bridge and Co., as Flock and Felt Carpet Dealers.

THE creditors of the above-named Abel Cunliffe who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Adam Murray, of No. 104, King-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

A. MURRAY, Trustee.

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 William Parsons, of Great Weldon, in the county of Northampton, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Parsons who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Theophilus Carr, of 85, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

H. T. CARR, 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 Henry Wright Parsons, of Alconbury, in the county of Huntingdon, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Wright Parsons who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Theophilus Carr, of 85, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

H. T. CARR, 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 William Seward Ruston, of Chatteris, in the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, Coal Agent.

THE creditors of the above-named William Seward Ruston who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Henry Clarke, of Chatteris aforesaid, Bank Manager, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

WILLIAM HENRY CLARKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Caleb Edwin Goode, of New Swindon, in the county of Wilts, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Caleb Edwin Goode who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Collins the younger,

of 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

JAMES COLLINS, Jun., 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 Joseph Alexander Hopkins, residing at 45, Westgate-street, in the city of Gloucester, and Alfred Henry Woodman, residing in lodgings at Lebert Villa, Kingsholm, in the said city, both carrying on business at 45, Westgate-street aforesaid, in copartnership, under the style or firm of Hopkins and Woodman, as Wine and Spirit Merchants.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Alexander Hopkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Commeline, of Eastgate-street, in the city of Gloucester, Bank Manager, one of 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

THO COMMELINE,
ROBERT BROWN, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cole, of No. 211, Broad-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and of No. 41, Cannon-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Baker and Confectioner.

THE creditors of the above-named William Cole who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to James Bunkle, of Waterloo-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

WRIGHT and MARSHALL, Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, removed from the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Cook and Charles Cook, both of Ludlow, in the county of Salop, carrying on business at Ludlow aforesaid, as Plumbers and Painters under the style of Cook and Son.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Cook and Charles Cook who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of January, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Timothy Starkey, 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

CHARLES T. STARKEY, 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 Ellen Craven, of 91, Henry-street, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Dealer, Widow.

EDMUND CHARLES CHATTERLY, of 25, Old Jewry, 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 27th day of December, 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 Thompson, of No. 1, Blomfield-street, in the city of London, Tailor.

JOHN ROBINSON CLARKE, of 28, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor, in the

place and stead of Silas William Baggs, who has died. 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 1st day of January, 1877.

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 Mosley, of 17, Barnham-street, Tooley-street, in the county of Surrey, and of Dowgate-hill, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Carman and Contractor.

ALFRID PARKER, of 155, Tooley-street, in the county of Surrey, Wheelwright and Contractor, 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 30th day of December, 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 Jacob Coles, of 56, Ash-grove, Mare-street, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Boot Manufacturer.

THOMAS CLEAVE GATTY, of 422, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Leather Merchant, 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 December, 1876.

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 Jabez Brown, of No. 10, Cambridge-street, Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Baker, Grocer, and Provision Merchant.

WILLIAM CHARLES WOODFORD, of the town of Northampton, Solicitor's Clerk, 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 December, 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 James Boon, of Alconbury, Weston, in the county of Huntingdon, Blacksmith.

JOHAN BARTH, of Alconbury Weston, in the county of Huntingdon, Baker, 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

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 Samuel Margerrison, of Mansfield Woodhouse, in the county of Nottingham, Slater.

HENRY YOUNG, 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Bush, of the Sandrock Hotel, Niton, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Hotel Keeper.

WILLIAM JOHN RICHARDS, of No. 150, High-street, Newport, in the Isle of Wight, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

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 Arthur Henry Nelson, of Meale's Farm, in the parishes of Sulhampstead Abbots and Sulhampstead Bannister, in the county of Berks, Farmer.

DRYLAND HASLAM, of No. 17, Friar-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, 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 29th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Nelson Charles Taylor, of Queen-street, and 18, Market-place, Scarborough, in the county of York, Jet Ornament Manufacturer.

GEORGE FIELDING, of 27, Corporation-street, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Wilson Cossens, of Kirby Knowle, in the county of York, Farmer.

RICHARD PEARSON, of Thirsk, in the county of York, Seed Merchant, 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 29th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Henry Gregson, of Manchester House, Bingley, in the county of York, Draper and Hosier.

JOSHUA CROWTHER, of York-street, Manchester, Accountant, and James Lomas, of York-place, Leeds, Woollen Merchant, 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Zechariah Brayshaw, of Pudsey, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturer.

WILLIAM GILYARD, of 25, Market-street, Bradford, in the county of York, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Hooson, of 97, New Market Hall, Kirkgate, Bradford, in the county of York, Milliner and Draper.

WILLIAM GILYARD, of 25, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, 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 15th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Eli Smith, formerly of the Royal Hotel, Kensington-street, Gillington, Bradford, in the county of York, Beerhouse Keeper, but now of the Atlas Works, Jesse-street, in Bradford aforesaid, Dry Soap and Baking Powder Manufacturer.

WILLIAM GILYARD, of 25, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, 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 19th day of December, 1876.

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 David Owen Jones, of No. 47, Brunswick-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Draper, carrying on business under the style or firm of Hughes and Jones, and heretofore carrying on there the same business, under the same style or firm, in copartnership with Peter Hughes the younger.

JOHN ROBINSON CLARKE, of No. 28, King-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor, in the place and stead of Silas William Baggs, deceased. 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

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 Lauria Tester, of 56, Hampden-street, Ardwick, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Beer and Provision Dealer.

JAMES LEE, of 18, King-street, 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 2nd day of January, 1877.

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 James Bates, of the Lord Clifden, 65, Mill-lane, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Beerhouse Keeper.

HENRY TARRANT, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, 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 30th day of December, 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 William Gill, of Burton-on-the-Wolds, in the county of Leicester, Farmer and Grazier.

THOMAS OLIVER WHITLOCK, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Bank Manager, 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 30th day of December, 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 John Thomas Marriott, of Walton-on-the-Wolds, near Loughborough, in the county of Leicester.

SAMUEL JACKSON, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must

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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 29th day of December, 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 John Chamberlain, formerly of Beeby Grange, in the parish of Beeby, in the county of Leicester, Farmer, but now of Ash-street, Humberstone-road, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, out of business.

THOMAS WRIGHT, of Belvoir-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Kidderminster.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Thornburgh, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Surveyor.

ALEXANDER WEBB BEALE, of Kidderminster aforesaid, Auctioneer, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

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 Skene, of 2, Saint John's-terrace, Buckhurst Hill, in the county of Essex, Doctor of Medicine.

WILLIAM EDMONDS, of 8, Old Jewry, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Graham, of Walton-on-the-Hill, in the county of Surrey, Brickmaker.

ARCHIBALD WHITE, of Dorking, in the county of Surrey, Auctioneer, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

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 David Everest, of the Parade and Alpha House, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Photographer, Music Seller, Stationer, and Dealer in Fancy Goods.

FREDERICK LUCAS, of No. 20, Great Marlborough-street, in the county of Middlesex, 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 1st day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Nightingale, of Ambleside, in the county of Westmorland, Carter.

FRANCIS JOHN THORNER, of Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, 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 3rd day of January, 1877.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
A MEETING of the Creditors of Thomas Robson Thompson, of Bradford, in the county of York, Coach Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of December, 1876, will be held at the office of Mr. George Robinson, the Registrar of the above County Court, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 9th day of January, 1877, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1876.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
A MEETING of the Creditors of Robert John Inwood, of No. 91, Lambeth-walk, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Oil and Colour Man, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of January, 1876, will be held at the office of Mr. John Patrick Murrough, at No. 11, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 31st day of January, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing a resolution as to the amount of remuneration to be received by the Trustee for his services.—Dated the 2nd day of January, 1877.

JAMES PRITCHITT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
 In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans. In the Matter of Charles William Gordon, of the Park Hotel, Wheathampstead, in the county of Hertford, Victualler, previously of the Nag's Head, No. 39, Leather-lane, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, of the same trade and business, and formerly of No. 115, High-street, Bromley, in the county of Kent, Watchmaker and Jeweller, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 22nd day of August, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the offices of Messrs. W. C. Cooper and Co., No. 20, King's Arms-yard, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Public Accountants, on the 16th day of January instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the following purposes:—To receive the Trustee's report in reference to the bankrupt's examination and his affairs generally; To consider the expediency of removing the proceedings to the London Bankruptcy Court, and to pass such resolutions in relation to the above matters as the creditors may deem advisable.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

W. M. C. COOPER, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Charles James Philpott, of 26, High-street, Bloomsbury, and of No. 5, Park-side, Knightsbridge, both in the county of Middlesex, Glover and Leather Dresser, and also of Chaseside, Southgate, in the county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of June, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on and after the 15th day of January, 1877.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

W. L. CLIFTON BROWNE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.
A FINAL Dividend of 5s. in the pound (making 20s.) has been declared in the matter of Walter Bird, of Navenby, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of June, 1876, and will be paid by Mr. Walter Burt, of Wellington, in the county of Lincoln, Merchant, any day after the 23rd day of January, 1877, between the hours of ten A.M. and four P.M.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

WALTER BURT,
 WILLIAM HALES, Trustees.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.
A SECOND and Final Dividend of 2s. 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Thomas Cullum, of Watling-street, in Leicester aforesaid, Wholesale Clothier, carrying on business in copartnership with Henry Knowles Dakin, under the style or firm of Dakin and Cullum, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of November, 1875, and in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry Knowles Dakin, of Watling-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Wholesale Clothier, lately carrying on business in

copartnership with William Thomas Cullum, under the style or firm of Dakin and Cullum, the proceedings in which said bankruptcy and liquidation having been amalgamated by order of the Court, dated the 22nd day of December, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Wykes Brothers and Mantle, No. 24, Friar-lane, Leicester, on and after the 15th day of January, 1877.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

T. A. WYKES, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
A FIRST Dividend of 3s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Branker Hamilton, of Brownroyd, Bradford, in the county of York, Oil and Grease Manufacturer, trading as W. B. Hamilton and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of March, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my offices, Market-street, Bradford aforesaid, on and after the 5th day of January, 1877.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1876.

HENRY DICKIN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
 In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Hezekiah Cheverst, of the Borough-market, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, and of Meopham, in the county of Kent, Fruit Salesman, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Hezekiah Cheverst, an order of adjudication was made on the 8th day of October, 1875. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 3rd day of January, 1877.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Edward Bean, of No. 81, New North-road, in the parish of St. John's, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Stationer and Publisher, trading there under the styles or firm of Charles Bean, and Charles Bean and Son.

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 Edward Bean having been given, it is ordered that the said Edward Bean be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Edward Bean is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 24th day of January, 1877, at half-past twelve 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 Abraham Moses Simmons, of No. 4, Bury-street, Saint Mary Axe, in the city of London, Looking Glass Manufacturer.

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 Abraham Moses Simmons having been given, it is ordered that the said Abraham Moses Simmons be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Abraham Moses Simmons is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to William Hazlitt, 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 Goodman Brown, of 27, Kensington Park-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Builder and Zinc Worker.

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 Goodman Brown having been given, it is ordered that the said Goodman Brown be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Goodman Brown is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 24th day of January, 1877, 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 William Hazlitt, 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 T G B Lennard, of No. 46, Half Moon-street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 62, Cromwell-road, South Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation.

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 T G B Lennard having been given, it is ordered that the said T G B Lennard be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 1st day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said T G B Lennard is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 23rd day of January, 1877, 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 Kent, holden at Greenwich. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Smeeth, of No. 5, Blyth-terrace, Stanstead-lane, Forest Hill, in the county of Kent, Grocer and Cheesemonger.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Alfred William Smeeth having been given, it is ordered that the said Alfred William Smeeth be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Charles Pitt-Taylor, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Alfred William Smeeth is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Burney-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, on the 19th day of January, 1877, 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 Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Alfred Williams, of Hartington-buildings, Branston-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Jeweller, trading under the style or firm of Alfred Williams and Company.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Alfred Williams having been given, and the said Alfred Williams having consented in writing to be adjudicated a bankrupt forthwith, it is ordered that the said Alfred Williams be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of December, 1876.

By the Court,

Edwin Parry, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Alfred Williams is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 16th day of January, 1877, 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 Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Philip Bell, trading as Smith, Bell, and Co., of Telegraph-street, Southsea, Wickham Mills, Wickham, Hurst Mill, Petersfield, in the county of Hants, Miller, Corn Factor, Bread and Biscuit Baker.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Philip Bell having been given, it is ordered that the said Philip Bell be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 1st day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

John Howard, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Philip Bell is hereby summoned to be held at the Court house, Portsmouth, on the 22nd day of January, 1877, 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 Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Charles Armstrong, of No. 20, West Tower-street, in the city of Carlisle, carrying on business in Rosemary-lane, in the said city of Carlisle, as a Grocer.

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 Charles Armstrong having been given, it is ordered that the said Charles Armstrong be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

H. J. Halton, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Charles Armstrong is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the County Court, Laws-lane, Carlisle, on the 17th day of January, 1877, 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 Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Benjamin Fothergill, of Ross Cottage, Clipstone, in the county of Northampton, Consulting Engineer, out of business.

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 Benjamin Fothergill having been

given, it is ordered that the said Benjamin Fothergill be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Thos. Ingram, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Benjamin Fothergill is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Friar-lane, Leicester, on the 16th day of January, 1877, 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 Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Hignett Roper, of 121, Islington and 2, Soho-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Pawnbroker and Outfitter.

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 John Hignett Roper having been given, it is ordered that the said John Hignett Roper be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 1st day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Tho. Bellringer, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Hignett Roper is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 17th day of January, 1877, 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 Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Melville, of High Bridge-street and No. 18, Sunderland-street, both in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Ale and Porter Merchant and Dealer in A-rated Waters.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Melville having been given, it is ordered that the said William Melville be, and he is hereby adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of January, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Brook Mortimer, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Melville is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 17th day of January, 1877, at three 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 Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of John Oldman Taylor, of No. 6, Winter-terrace, in Skirbeck, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Poulterer, a Bankrupt.

Charles Lucas, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, 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 Sessions House, in Boston aforesaid, on the 8th day of February, 1877, 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 December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of James Brown, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Gentleman, a Bankrupt.

Tuomas Parry, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Newport aforesaid, on the 23rd day of January, 1877, 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 29th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Francis Clement Eddersbaw, of No. 35, High-street and No. 29, Clarence-street, both in Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Bookseller, formerly in business in copartnership with Joseph Dugdale, under the style of Dugdale and Eddersbaw, at No. 4, Temple-buildings, Swansea aforesaid, Booksellers and Publishers, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Gee, of Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, Publisher, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Swansea, on the 8th day of February, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, transferred from the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff.

In the Matter of Arthur Edmund Waites, of 261, Bute-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Currier and Leather Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Alfred Hill Mayer, of 59, Baldwin-street, in the city and county of Bristol, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Guildhall, Small-street, in the city and county of Bristol, on the 19th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of John Slocombe, of Saint John's Down, otherwise Gander's Nest, in the parish of Saint Michael, Pembroke, in the county of Pembroke, Butcher and Farmer, a Bankrupt.

Edwin Thomas, of Pembroke, in the county of Pembroke, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Guildhall, Carmarthen, on the 27th day of January, 1877, 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 30th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of James Lord, of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Flagger and Slater, a Bankrupt.

Charles Lomax Tiplady, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, 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 this Court, on the 29th day of January, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the 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 30th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of James Higgins, of No. 16, George-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer, a Bankrupt. James Frederick Tweedale, of Oldham aforesaid, the Registrar of the Court, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, in Oldham aforesaid, on the 15th day of January, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1876.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor. On the 5th day of February, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, John Walter Davies, of Pwllheli, in the county of Carnarvon, Grocer and Flour Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of March, 1875, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edward Beaumont Pitchford and Alfred Thomas Pitchford, of the Island Lead Mills, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, Lead Manufacturers and Copartners, adjudicated bankrupts on the 16th day of February, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 16th day of January, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1877.

C. F. Kemp, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Charles James Philpott, of 26, High-street, Bloomsbury, and of No. 5, Parkside, Knightsbridge, both in the county of Middlesex, Glover and Leather Dresser, and also of Chase-side, Southgate, in the county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of June, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 13th day of January, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1877.

W. L. Clifton Browne, Trustee.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Alexander Taylor and James Taylor, both of Blenheim-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Drapers and Copartners in Trade, trading under the style or firm of A. and J. Taylor, adjudicated bankrupts on the 15th day of May, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of January, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

Robert Hannah, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edward Heyes, of Bickerstaffe, in the county of Lancaster, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of September, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 16th day of January, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

John Lamb, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. A Second and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Christopher Wilson, of Burnston, in the parish of Scalby, in the county of York, Tailor, Draper and Grocer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of September, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 12th day of January, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1877.

George Dale Smith, Jun., Trustee.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edward Pooley Jenkin, of Lanyon and Poliohele Farm, in the parish of Gwinear, in the county of Cornwall, Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of February, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 16th day of January, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1877.

Thos. Chirgwin, Trustee.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of bankruptcy, made on the 12th day of April, 1865, against James Adams, of No. 38, William-street, Hampstead-road, late of No. 1, Old Compton-street, both in the county of Middlesex, out of

business or employment, and in furnished lodgings, previously of 17, Brewer-street, Golden-square, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoes Maker; and formerly of No. 19, Devonshire-terrace, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, out of business, did, on the 30th day of June, 1865, grant the Discharge of the said bankrupt, and that such Discharge will be delivered to the bankrupt unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of bankruptcy, made on the 31st day of August, 1869, against Thomas Noddle, of No. 11, Lamb's Conduit-passage, Red Lion-square, in the county of Middlesex, Fishmonger, did, on the 25th day of November, 1869, grant the Discharge of the said bankrupt, and that such discharge will be delivered to the bankrupt unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

In the Matter of Joseph Hart, of No. 10, Melton-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Hosiery Manufacturer, trading as Joseph Hart and Co., a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 28th day of December, 1876, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can, according to the joint opinion of himself and the Committee of Inspection thereunto annexed in writing under their hands, be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, has been realized, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, and a dividend to the amount of seven shillings and nine pence in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of seven shillings and nine pence in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement prepared and filed by the Trustee, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Joseph Hart has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of December, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor. In the Matter of John Walter Davies, of Pwllheli, in the county of Carnarvon, Grocer and Flour Dealer, Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 14th day of December, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and dividends to the amount of twelve shillings and six pence in the pound have been paid, as shown by the statements 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 dividends to the amount of twelve shillings and six pence in the pound have been paid, as shown by the statements thereunto annexed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Walter Davies has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of January, 1877.

THE estates of Alfred William Elphick, Wholesale and Retail Cigar Importer and Tobaccoist, 383, Sauchiehall-street, Glasgow, sole Partner of the firm of Elphick and Company, Wholesale and Retail Cigar Importers and Tobaccoists there, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 2nd day of January, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 2nd January, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners will be held on 13th January, 1877, at twelve o'clock, noon, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 2nd May, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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

WRIGHT and JOHNSTON, Solicitors, Edinburgh and Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of William Thomson Liston, Farmer, Kirklandhill, in the county of Haddington, were sequestrated on the 30th day of December, 1876, by the

Sheriff-Substitute at Haddington of the Sheriffdom of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated the 30th day of December, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 12th day of January, 1877, within the George Inn, Haddington.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and

grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 30th day of April, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt has been granted to the bankrupt, until 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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