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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 26, 1877.*

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

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 23, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday, the 1st of May, and on Thursday, the 3rd of May, at three o'clock.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars at the Drawing Room on the 1st of May, it being a Collar-Day.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

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

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be

submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's Command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

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

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

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

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

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 23, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold Levees at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 7th of May, and on Saturday, the 2nd of June, at two o'clock.

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

REGULATIONS.

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

By Her Majesty's Command,

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

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

PRESENTATIONS.

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

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

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

HERTFORD,

Lord Chamberlain.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 20th day of March, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty; and of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-second day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty, and of the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-four have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for effecting an exchange of the patronage of the benefice (being a vicarage) of Saint John, Sidcup, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury, for the patronage of the benefice (being a rectory) of All Saints, in the city of Worcester, and in the diocese of Worcester.

"Whereas the Right Reverend Henry, Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester is seized in right of his see to him and his successors in fee of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of, and presentation to the said benefice of Saint John, Sidcup, and the church thereof, being the church of the particular district or new parish of Saint John Sidcup, aforesaid.

"And whereas Charlotte Elizabeth Berens of Sidcup aforesaid, Spinster, is seized in fee simple without incumbrances of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of All Saints Worcester, and the church thereof being the parish church of the parish of All Saints in the city of Worcester, aforesaid.

"And whereas the said Henry Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester and the said Charlotte Elizabeth Berens have respectively signified to us their desire that the patronage of the said two benefices, and of the churches thereof respectively may be re-arranged by way of exchange in manner hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas we have made due enquiry and calculation as to the circumstances and relative values of the said benefices and patronage, and we do hereby certify to your Majesty that the circumstances and present values of the said benefices respectively are as set forth in the schedule hereunto annexed.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Henry, Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester (in testimony of which consent he hath set his hand and affixed his episcopal seal to this scheme) and with the consent of the said Charlotte Elizabeth Berens (in testimony of which consent she hath set her hand and affixed her seal to this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Saint John Sidcup, and the church thereof, shall be assigned and transferred from the said Henry Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester (in whom as aforesaid it is now vested) and from his successors Bishops of the said diocese and shall become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time, and at all times be exercised by the said Charlotte Elizabeth Berens her heirs and assigns for ever, and that in exchange for the same, the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of All Saints, Worcester, and the church thereof, shall in like manner upon and from the day aforesaid be assigned and transferred from the said Charlotte Elizabeth Berens (in whom as aforesaid it is now vested) and from her heirs and assigns, and shall become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time and at all times be exercised by the said Henry, Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester, and by his successors Bishops of the same diocese for ever.

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

Name and Quality of Benefice to be given in exchange by the See of Worcester.	County.	Diocese.	Population.	Gross Income.	Residence.
Sideup, Saint John (a Vicarage)	Kent	Canterbury	1,100	£ 370	Yes

Name and Quality of Benefice to be given in exchange by Miss Charlotte Elizabeth Berens	County.	Diocese.	Population.	Gross Income.	Residence.
Worcester, All Saints (a Rectory)	Worcester	Worcester	2,421	£ 285 And a further income from and after the next avoidance, accruing in respect of a capital sum of £1,300, and certain accumulations thereon.	Yes."

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

C. I. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 20th day of March, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property situate in the township of Shavington-cum-Gresty, in the county of Chester, and now vested in us.

"Whereas, under and by virtue of a certain indenture bearing date the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one and made between George Cooke of Mellor in the county of Derby, Farmer, Thomas Cooke of

Butley in the county of Chester, Farmer, Samuel Cooke of Cheadle Moseley, in the same county, Farmer, Richard Cooke of Adlington, in the same county, Farmer, Charles Cooke Ambrose Cooke and William Cooke of the same place, Farmers, Margaret Parrott of Dean-row Wilmslow in the said county of Chester Widow William Brunt of Cheadle Moseley aforesaid Farmer and Elizabeth Brunt his wife Margaret Barker of Sound in the said county of Chester Spinster Fanny Barker of Spurstow, in the county of Chester Widow Edward Barker of Spurstow aforesaid Farmer George Barker of Brereton-cum-Smethwick in the county of Chester Veterinary Surgeon and Farmer William Barker of Shavington-cum-Gresty in the said county of Chester Farmer John Barker of the same place Farmer Ann Manley of Middlewich in the said county of Chester Widow and Richard Barker of Middlewich aforesaid Veterinary Surgeon and Farmer of the first part the said William Barker of the second part and us the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England of the third part certain lands and hereditaments situate in the township of Shavington-cum-Gresty in the county of Chester more particularly described in the schedule hereto annexed became and are now vested in us in fee simple for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas the lands and hereditaments aforesaid are not subject to any outstanding beneficial lease or grant, but are now in possession, but some portions thereof on account of their character or situation are unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

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

any part or parts thereof in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose, that we may be authorized and empowered by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell or dispose of, and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act all or any of the said lands and hereditaments so vested in us as aforesaid with their appurtenances and all our estate, right, title, and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his or their heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, or otherwise, as he or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall, upon due calculation and inquiry, appear to us to be just and reasonable, it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sale from time to time as occasion may arise, in the purchase of other lands, tithes, rent-charges, tenements, or hereditaments, or of some estate or interest therein, convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed as aforesaid, and in the meantime to invest the said proceeds in some government or parliamentary stock, or other public securities in England.

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

"SCHEDULE.

No. on Plan annexed to Indenture referred to in this Scheme.	Description.	Contents.
1	House, outbuildings, yard, garden, &c.	A. R. P. 1 0 18
2	Croft	0 1 7
3	The Barn Croft	0 2 16
4	The Green Meadow	2 3 6
5	The Will Croft (formerly in two)	4 3 19
6	The Wheat Eddish	3 2 12
7	The Higher Mill Lane	2 1 36
8	The Lower Mill Lane	3 2 14
9	The Big Floodgate Field ...	5 0 20
10	The Little or Floodgate Field	4 2 6
11	The Big Ollery Croft	4 2 22
12	The Little Ollery Croft	2 0 24
13	The Little Floodgate Field	5 1 19
14	The Withy Croft or Horse Pasture	3 3 30
15	Poole Meadow or Brook Meadow	2 0 4
16	Brook Field	4 3 33
17	Oat Eddish... ..	2 2 2
18	Marl Pit Field	4 3 20
19	Yolk-o'-th'-Egg	1 1 39
20	Close	0 2 15
		61 2 2

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every

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

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 20th day of March, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act further to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, from time to time, to postpone the time appointed by any Order in Council for the discontinuance of burials, or otherwise to vary any Order in Council made under any of the Acts recited in the said Act, or under the said Act (whether the time thereby appointed for the discontinuance of burials thereunder, or other operation of such Order, shall or shall not have arrived), as to Her Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit:

And whereas Orders in Council have been made directing the discontinuance of burials in the churchyards and burial ground hereinafter mentioned from the time specified in such Orders; and whereas it seems fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the time for discontinuing burials in the said churchyards and burial ground be postponed:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the time for the discontinuance of burials in such churchyards and burial ground be postponed as follows, viz:—

In the parish churchyard, and in the Independent Chapel Burial-ground, Market Harborough, to the thirty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

In the parish churchyard of Bassingbourn, to the thirty-first of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

In the churchyard of All Saints, Hindley, Wigan, to the thirty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

In the parish churchyard of St. Uny, Lelant, Cornwall, to the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 20th day of March, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the twentieth and twenty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, cap. 81, intituled "An Act to amend the Burial Acts," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order made by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, on the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, from time to time to establish such regulations as to Her

Majesty may seem proper for the protection of the public health, and for the maintenance of public decency, in respect of all burials in common graves in any cemeteries named in Schedule (B.) to the Act. fifteenth and sixteenth Victoria, chapter eighty-five, and in respect of the like burials in any cemetery established under the authority of any Local Act of Parliament; and that every such Order in Council shall be published in the London Gazette; and that all persons having the care of such cemeteries and burial-grounds and places shall conform to and obey such regulations; and that any such person who shall violate or wilfully neglect to observe any such regulations shall, on summary conviction thereof, before two justices of the peace, forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten pounds: Provided always, that no such representation shall be made in relation to any cemetery or burial-ground until ten days' previous notice in writing of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the person, or one of the persons, having the control or care of such cemetery or burial-ground.

And whereas the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation having been given to the persons having the control or care of the Victoria Park Cemetery, in the parish of Saint Matthew, Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, has made a representation stating that he is of opinion that, for the protection of the public health, and for the maintenance of public decency, the Regulation hereinafter contained be established in the said cemetery.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following Regulation be established in the said Victoria Park Cemetery; viz.:

That one body only be buried in any common grave and that no such grave be re-opened for burial.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 20th day of March, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted as follows:—

If a Secretary of State is satisfied that, owing to the circumstances of any class of population in any school district, a school in which industrial training, elementary education, and one or more meals a day, but not lodging, are provided for the children, is necessary or expedient for the proper training and control of the children of such class, he may, in like manner as under the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, certify any such school (in this Act referred to as a day industrial school) in the neighbourhood of the said population to be a certified day industrial school.

It shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to apply to a certified day industrial school the provisions of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, and the Acts amending the same, with such modifications as appear to Her Majesty to be necessary or proper for adapting such provisions to a day industrial school, and bringing them into conformity with

this Act; and such Order may provide that a child may be punished for an offence by being sent to a certified industrial, in lieu of a certified reformatory, school, or may otherwise mitigate any punishment imposed by the said Act.

It shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to revoke and vary any Order in Council made under this section.

Every such Order shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within one month after it is made, if Parliament be then sitting, or if not, within one month after the beginning of the then next session of Parliament, and while in force shall have effect as if it were enacted in this Act.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order that the following provisions, being modified provisions of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, and the Acts amending the same, shall apply to certified day industrial schools:—

Extent of Order.

1. This Order shall not extend to Scotland or Ireland.

CONSTITUTION OF CERTIFIED DAY INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.

Description of day industrial schools and managers.
(29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 5).

2. A day industrial school within this Order shall mean a school in which industrial training, elementary education, and one or more meals a day, but not lodging, are provided for the children.

The persons for the time being having the management or control of such a school shall be deemed the managers thereof for the purposes of this Order.

Inspector of day industrial schools and assistants
(29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 6).

3. The person who for the time being is inspector of industrial schools under the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, shall be also the inspector of day industrial schools.

The Secretary of State may from time to time appoint a fit person or persons to assist the inspector; and every person so appointed shall have such of the powers and duties of the inspector of day industrial schools as the Secretary of State from time to time prescribes, but shall act under the direction of the inspector.

Mode of certifying day industrial school (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 7).

4. The Secretary of State may, on the application of the managers of a day industrial school, direct the inspector of day industrial schools to ascertain whether such school is in the neighbourhood of any class of population in any school district the circumstances of which class are such that a day industrial school is necessary or expedient for the proper training and control of the children belonging to such class, and to examine into the condition of the school with respect to which the application is made, and its fitness for the reception of children to be sent there under this Order, and to report to him thereon, and the inspector shall examine and report accordingly.

If satisfied with the report of the Inspector the Secretary of State may, by writing under his hand, certify that the school is fit for the reception of children under this Order, and thereupon the school shall be deemed a certified day industrial school.

School not be certified day industrial school and also a certified industrial school or reformatory (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 8).

5. A school shall not be at the same time a certified day industrial school under this Order, and a certified industrial school under the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, or any other Act, or a certified reformatory school.

Notices of certificate to be gazetted. Copy of Gazette to be evidence (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 9).

6. A notice of the grant of such certificate shall within one month be inserted by order of the Secretary of State in the London Gazette.

A copy of the Gazette containing the notice shall be conclusive evidence of the grant, which may also be proved by the certificate itself, or by an instrument purporting to be a copy of the certificate, and attested as such by the inspector of day industrial schools.

Inspection of school (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 10).

7. Every certified day industrial school shall from time to time, and at least once in each year, be inspected by the inspector of day industrial schools, or by a person appointed to assist him as aforesaid.

Alterations, &c., of buildings to be approved (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 11).

8. No substantial addition or alteration shall be made to or in the buildings of any certified day industrial school without the approval in writing of the Secretary of State.

Powers of prison authority.

9. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, that a prison authority within the meaning of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, shall have the same powers in relation to a certified day industrial school as they have in relation to a certified industrial school :

It is hereby declared that a prison authority shall have the following powers :

Power to undertake or contribute towards establishment or maintenance of school (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 27 ; 35 and 36 Vict., c. 21, s. 7).

(a.) A prison authority may from time to time either themselves undertake or contribute such sums of money on such conditions as they think fit, towards the alteration, enlargement, or rebuilding of a certified day industrial school or the support of the inmates of such a school, or the management of such a school, or the establishment or building of a school intended to be a certified day industrial school, or the purchase of land required either for the use of an existing certified day industrial school, or for the site of a school intended to be a certified day industrial school.

Provided,—

First, that not less than two months previous notice of the intention of the prison authority, at a time and place to be mentioned in such notice, to take into consideration the entering into such undertaking or the making of such contribution, be given by advertisement in some one or more public newspaper or newspapers circulated within the jurisdiction of the prison authority, and also in the manner in which notices relating to business to be transacted by the prison authority are usually given :

Secondly, that where the prison authority is the Council of a borough, the order for the undertaking or contribution be made at a special meeting of the Council :

Thirdly, that where the undertaking or contribution is for alteration, enlargement, rebuilding, establishment, or building of a school or intended school, or for purchase of land, the approval of the Secretary of State be previously given for that alteration, enlargement, rebuilding, establishment, building, or purchase.

Expenses of prison authority how defrayed (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 50).

(b.) Expenses incurred by a prison authority in carrying into effect the provisions of this Order may be deemed expenses incurred by that authority in carrying into effect the provisions of the Prison Act, 1865, and may be defrayed accordingly.

Power to borrow money for purposes of day industrial schools (37 and 38 Vict., c. 47, s. 2).

(c.) Any prison authority may, with the approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, borrow money for the purpose of defraying the expense of any such undertaking or contribution on the part of such prison authority as is authorised by this Order with respect to altering, enlarging, rebuilding, establishing, building, or purchasing the site of any day industrial school.

Charge of borrowed moneys (37 and 38 Vict., c. 47, s. 3).

Any moneys borrowed by a prison authority under this Order may be charged by that authority, on any county rate, or rate in the nature of a county rate, borough rate, or other rate applicable to the maintenance of a prison and leviable by that authority, or on any other property belonging to that authority and applicable to the same purpose as the said rates, and shall be repaid, together with the interest due thereon, out of such rates or other property.

Certain clauses of 10 and 11 Vict., c. 16, as to borrowing money incorporated (37 and 38 Vict., c. 47, s. 4).

The clauses of "The Commissioners Clauses Act, 1847," with the exception of the eighty-fourth clause with respect to mortgages to be created by the Commissioners, shall form part of and be incorporated with this Order, and any mortgagee or assignee may enforce payment of his principal and interest by appointment of a receiver.

In the construction of the said clauses "the Commissioners" shall mean "the prison authority."

Where a prison authority borrows any money under this Order they shall charge the rates or property out of which the moneys borrowed are payable, not only with the interest of the moneys so borrowed, but also with the payment of such further sum as will ensure the repayment of the whole sum borrowed within thirty years.

(35 and 36 Vict., c. 21, s. 8.)

Provided nevertheless,—

That in any borough having a school board, none of the powers declared by this Order to be exercisable by a prison authority shall be exercisable by the council of the borough as

such prison authority, except that if during not less than six months before the election of a school board in such borough the council has contributed to or maintained a day industrial school the powers declared by this Order to be exercisable by the prison authority shall not cease to be exercisable by the council with respect to such school until the school board in the borough resolve in the manner and with the consent (if any) prescribed by this Order to contribute towards or to maintain such day industrial school; and, notwithstanding any such resolution of the school board, any such day industrial school which was so maintained by the council may continue to be maintained by the council until the council agree to transfer such school to the school board.

Powers of school board.

10. Whereas by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted that a school board shall have the same powers in relation to a certified day industrial school as they have in relation to a certified industrial school.

And whereas by the 15th section of the same Act it is enacted as follows:

The consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State and not of the Education Department, shall be required for the establishing, building, and maintaining of a certified industrial or certified day industrial school by a school board, and to the spreading of the payment of the expense of such establishment and building over a number of years not exceeding fifty, and to the borrowing of money for that purpose; and for the purpose of such borrowing section ten of the Elementary Education Act, 1873, shall be held to apply to the loan in like manner as if one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State were substituted therein for the Education Department, and such establishment and building shall be deemed to be a work for which a school board is authorised to borrow within the meaning of the first schedule to the Public Works Loans Act, 1875.

It is hereby declared and ordered that the following powers shall be exercisable by a School Board:

Power to contribute towards establishment or maintenance of school (39 and 40 Vict., c. 79, s. 16; 33 and 34 Vict., c. 75, s. 27; 29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 12; 36; and 37 Vict., c. 86, s. 14).

(a.) A school board may from time to time contribute such sums of money and on such conditions as they think fit, towards the alteration, enlargement, or rebuilding of a certified day industrial school, or towards the support of the inmates of such a school, or towards the management of such a school, or towards the establishment or building of a school intended to be a certified day industrial school, or towards the purchase of land required either for the use of an existing certified day industrial school, or for the site of a school intended to be a certified day industrial school.

Provided—

1stly. That not less than 14 days previous notice of the intention of the school board, at a time and place to be mentioned in such notice; to take into consideration the making of such contribution, be given by advertisement in some one or more public newspaper or newspapers circulated within the

school district, and also in the manner in which notices relating to business to be transacted by the school board are usually given.

2ndly. That where the contribution is for alteration, enlargement, rebuilding, establishment, or building of a school or intended school, or for purchase of land, the approval of the Secretary of State be previously given for that alteration, enlargement, rebuilding, establishment, building, or purchase.

Power to establish and maintain school (39 and 40 Vict., c. 79, s. 16; 33 and 34 Vict., c. 75, s. 28; 39 and 40 Vict., c. 79, s. 15).

(b.) A school board may also, with the consent of the Secretary of State, establish, build, and maintain a certified day industrial school, and shall for that purpose have the same powers as they have for the purpose of providing sufficient school accommodation for their district; and may further, with the like consent, spread the payment of such establishment and building over a number of years not exceeding 50, and borrow money for that purpose; and for the purpose of such borrowing section 10 of the Elementary Education Act, 1873, shall be held to apply to the loan in like manner as if a Secretary of State were substituted therein for the Education Department, and such establishment and building shall be deemed to be a work for which a school board is authorized to borrow within the meaning of the first schedule of the Public Works Loans Act, 1875.

A certified day industrial school so established, built, or maintained by a School Board shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of State, and not of the Education Department, and shall be subject to the provisions of this order.

Provided always—

That none of the powers declared by this clause of this Order to be exercisable by a School Board shall be exercisable in the case of a certified day industrial school which the council of the borough, as the prison authority, has maintained during not less than six months before the election of the original board, so long as the council themselves continue to maintain such school.

Mode of obtaining approval of Secretary of State (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 13).

11. In order to obtain the approval of the Secretary of State as aforesaid where required, the managers of the school, or promoters of the intended school, shall forward to the Secretary of State particulars of the proposed establishment or purchase, and a plan of the proposed alteration, enlargement, rebuilding, or building drawn on such scale, and accompanied by such particulars and estimate of cost, as the Secretary of State thinks fit to require; and the Secretary of State may approve of the particulars and plan submitted to him, with or without modification, or may disapprove of the same, and his approval or disapproval shall be certified by writing under his hand.

CLASSES OF CHILDREN IN CERTIFIED DAY INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.

(39 and 40 Vict., c. 79, s. 16).

12. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, that any child authorised by the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, to be sent to a certified industrial school,

may, if the Court before whom the child is brought think it expedient, be sent to a certified day industrial school, it is hereby ordered and declared as follows :

Children sent under order of detention. (a.) Children under 14 years of age found begging, &c. (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 14).

(a.) Any person may bring before a court of summary jurisdiction any child apparently under the age of fourteen years that comes within either of the following descriptions, namely,—

That is found begging or receiving alms (whether actually or under the pretext of selling or offering for sale anything), or being in any street or public place for the purpose of so begging or receiving alms ;

That frequents the company of reputed thieves.

The court before whom a child is brought as coming within one of those descriptions, if satisfied on inquiry of that fact, and that it is expedient to deal with him under this Order, may by an order of detention order him to be sent to a certified day industrial school.

(b.) Children under 12 years of age charged with offences (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 15).

(b.) Where a child apparently under the age of twelve years is charged before a court of summary jurisdiction with an offence punishable by imprisonment or a less punishment, but has not been convicted in England or Ireland of felony, or in Scotland of theft, and the child ought, in the opinion of the court (regard being had to his age and to the circumstances of the case), to be dealt with under this Order, the court may, by an order of Detention, order him to be sent to a certified day industrial school.

(c.) Refractory children under 14 years of age in charge of parent, &c. (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 16).

(c.) Where the parent of a child apparently under the age of fourteen years represents to a court of summary jurisdiction that he is unable to control the child, and that he desires that the child be sent to a certified day industrial school, the court, if satisfied on inquiry that it is expedient to deal with the child under this Order, may by an order of Detention order him to be sent to a certified day industrial school.

Such Order of Detention shall be made in manner hereinafter provided in that behalf.

Children sent under attendance order.

13. Whereas by the 11th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted in the following terms :

If either—

(1.) The parent of any child above the age of five years who is under this Act prohibited from being taken into full time employment, habitually and without reasonable excuse neglects to provide efficient elementary instruction for his child ; or

(2.) Any child is found habitually wandering or not under proper control, or in the company of rogues, vagabonds, disorderly persons, or reputed criminals ;

it shall be the duty of the local authority, after due warning to the parent of such child, to complain to a court of summary jurisdiction, and such court may, if satisfied of the truth of

such complaint, or that the child do attend some certified efficient school willing to receive him and named in the order, being either such as the parent may select, or, if he do not select any, then such public elementary school as the court think expedient, and the child shall attend that school every time that the school is open, or in such other regular manner as is specified in the order.

An order under this section is in this Act referred to as an Attendance order.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse :

(1.) That there is not within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child any public elementary school open which the child can attend ; or

(2.) That the absence of the child from school has been caused by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

And whereas by the 16th section of the same Act it is declared that a certified day industrial school shall be deemed to be a certified efficient school within the meaning of the Act :

It is hereby ordered, and declared that in the event of the court determining to make an Attendance order requiring a child to attend a certified day industrial school, such Attendance order shall be made in manner hereinafter provided in that behalf.

Children sent under order of detention for non-compliance with attendance order.

14. Whereas it is enacted by the 12th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, in the following terms :

Where an Attendance order is not complied with, without any reasonable excuse within the meaning of this Act, a court of summary jurisdiction, on complaint made by the local authority, may, if it think fit, order as follows :

(1.) In the first case of non-compliance, if the parent of the child does not appear, or appears and fails to satisfy the court that he has used all reasonable efforts to enforce compliance with the order, the court may impose a penalty not exceeding with the costs five shillings ; but if the parent satisfies the court that he has used all reasonable efforts as aforesaid, the court may, without inflicting a penalty, order the child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, or if it appears to the court that there is no such school suitable for the child, then to a certified industrial school ; and

(2.) In the second or any subsequent case of non-compliance with the order, the court may order the child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, or if it appears to the court that there is no such school suitable for the child then to a certified industrial school, and may further in its discretion inflict any such penalty as aforesaid, or it may for each such non-compliance inflict any such penalty as aforesaid without ordering the child to be sent to an industrial school ;

Provided that a complaint under this section with respect to a continuing non-compliance with any attendance order shall not be repeated by the local authority at any less interval than two weeks.

It is hereby ordered and declared that if on non-compliance with an attendance order a court

of summary jurisdiction, in pursuance of the said 12th section of the said Act, order a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, such order shall be an order of detention within the meaning of this Order, and shall be made in manner hereinafter provided in that behalf.

Children attending school without order of court.

15. Whereas by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted to the effect that the managers of a certified day industrial school may upon the request of a local authority and of the parent of a child, and upon the undertaking of the parent to pay towards the industrial training, elementary education, and meals of such child such sum, not less than one shilling a week, as the Secretary of State from time to time fixes, receive such child into the school without an order of court:

It is hereby ordered that in such case as aforesaid the undertaking of the parent may be made as hereinafter provided in that behalf.

Duty of local authority as to taking proceedings.

16. Where as by the 13th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted as follows:

Where the local authority are informed by any person of any child in their jurisdiction who is stated by that person to be liable to be ordered by a court under this Act to attend school, or to be sent under this Act, or the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, to an industrial school, it shall be the duty of the local authority to take proceedings under this Act or the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, accordingly, unless the local authority think that it is inexpedient to take such proceedings.

Provided that nothing in this section shall relieve the local authority from the responsibility of performing their duty under the other provisions of this Act.

It is hereby ordered and declared that in any proceedings taken by a local authority with a view to obtaining an order of Detention ordering a child to be detained in a certified day industrial school, or an Attendance order requiring a child to attend a certified day industrial school, the provisions of this Order, so far as the same may be applicable, shall be strictly observed.

Child attending certified day industrial school in pursuance of license from the managers of certified industrial school.

17. Whereas by the 14th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted as follows:

Where a child is sent to a certified industrial school under this Act, or the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, upon the complaint or representation of the local authority under this Act, the managers of such school may, if they think fit, at any time after the expiration of one month after the child is so sent, give him a license under section 27 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, to live out of the school, but the license shall be conditional upon the child attending as a day scholar, in such regular manner as is specified in the license, some school willing to receive him and named in the license, and being a certified efficient school.

It is hereby ordered, that any child who in pursuance of such a license attends a certified day industrial school shall be subject to the provisions of this Order, relating to a child attending a certified day industrial school without an order of court.

PROVISIONS AS TO ORDERS OF DETENTION, ATTENDANCE ORDERS, CONTRIBUTIONS OF PARENTS, &c.

Provisions as to order of detention.

18. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, as follows:

Where a court of summary jurisdiction orders otherwise than by an attendance order under this Act a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, the court shall also order the parent of such child, if liable to maintain him, to contribute to his industrial training, elementary education, and meals in the school, such sum, not exceeding two shillings per week, as is named in the order; it shall be the duty of the local authority to obtain and enforce the said order, and every sum paid under the order shall be paid over to the local authority in aid of their expenses under this Act; if a parent resident in any parish is unable to pay the sum required by the said order to be paid, he shall apply to the guardians having jurisdiction in the parish, who, if satisfied of such inability, shall give the parent sufficient relief to pay the said sum, or so much thereof as they consider him unable to pay, and the money so given shall be charged to the parish as provided by this Act in the case of money given for the payment of school fees.

Hours during which child may be detained at school under order of detention.

And whereas by the same section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted that any child sent to a certified day industrial school by an order of a court (other than an Attendance order under that Act) may during the period specified in the order be there detained during such hours as may be authorised by the rules of the school approved by the said Secretary of State, in this Order referred to under the expression "school hours:"

Form and contents of order sending child to school
(29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 18).

It is hereby ordered that with respect to an order of Detention in a certified day industrial school the following provisions shall apply:

- (a.) The order of Detention shall be in writing signed by the magistrate or one of the justices constituting the court of summary jurisdiction; and shall specify the name of the school:
- (b.) The school shall be some certified day industrial school within two miles of the residence of the child (whether situate within the jurisdiction of the court making the order or not), the managers of which are willing to receive the child; and in determining on such school the court shall endeavour to ascertain the religious persuasion to which the child belongs, and shall if possible select a school conducted in accordance with such religious persuasion, and the order shall specify such religious persuasion:
- (c.) The order shall specify the period for which the child is during school hours to be detained in the school, being such period as to the court seems proper for the teaching and training of the child, but not in any case for more than three years or extending beyond the time when the child will attain the age of fourteen years:

Order to be warrant for detention (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 22).

- (d.) The order of Detention in a school shall be forwarded to the managers of the school; and

shall be a sufficient warrant for the detention of the child there during school hours; and the reception of the child by the managers of the school shall be deemed to be an undertaking by them to provide him with industrial training, elementary education, and one or more meals a day; but not lodging, during the whole period for which he is liable to be detained in the school, or until the withdrawal or resignation of the certificate of the school takes effect, or until the contribution to the school out of money provided by Parliament is discontinued, whichever shall first happen:

(29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 20.)

(e.) If the parent, step-parent, or guardian, or if there be no parent, step-parent, or guardian, then the god-parent or nearest adult relative of a child sent or about to be sent under an order of detention to a certified day industrial school which is not conducted in accordance with the religious persuasion to which the child belongs, states to the court of summary jurisdiction by whom the order of detention has been or is about to be made, that he objects to the child being sent to or detained in the school specified or about to be specified in the order, and names another certified day industrial school within two miles of the residence of the child which is conducted in accordance with the religious persuasion to which the child belongs, and signifies his desire that the child be sent thereto; then and in every such case the court shall, upon proof of such child's religious persuasion, comply with the request of the applicant, provided—

First, That the application be made before the child has been sent to a certified day industrial school or within 30 days after his arrival at such school:

Secondly, That the applicant show to the satisfaction of the court of summary jurisdiction that the managers of the school named by him are willing to receive the child.

Provisions as to attendance order.

19. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, that the managers of a certified day industrial school may, on the request of a local authority and of the parent of a child, and on the undertaking of the parent to pay towards the industrial training, elementary education, and meals of such child not less than one shilling a week, as a Secretary of State from time to time fixes, receive such child into the school under an Attendance order:

And whereas by the 11th section of the same Act it is enacted in effect that any child under an Attendance order requiring him to attend a certified day industrial school shall attend that school every time that the school is open; or in any other regular manner as is specified in the order:

It is hereby ordered that with respect to an Attendance order requiring attendance in a certified day industrial school, the following provisions shall apply:

- (a.) The Attendance order shall be in writing signed by the magistrate or one of the justices constituting the court of summary jurisdiction, and shall specify the name of the school, and the religious persuasion to which the child appears to the court to belong:
- (b.) The school shall be some certified day industrial school, the managers of which are

willing to receive the child, and shall be selected by the parent, and shall be situated within two miles of the residence of the child:

(c.) The attendance order shall specify the period for which the child is to attend the school, being such period as to the court seems proper, but not in any case for more than one year or extending beyond the time when the child will attain the age of 14 years:

(d.) Unless the order otherwise specifies, the child shall, so long as the Attendance order is in force, attend the school every time that the school is open:

(e.) The Attendance order shall be forwarded to the managers of the school, and the reception of the child by the managers of the school shall be deemed to be an undertaking by them to provide him with industrial training, elementary education, and one or more meals a day, but not lodging, during the whole period during which such Attendance order is in force, or until the withdrawal or resignation of the certificate of the school takes effect; or until the contribution to the school of money provided by Parliament is discontinued, whichever shall first happen: provided that such undertaking of the managers shall be suspended during any week with respect to which the contribution of the parent has not been paid in advance.

Provisions as to child attending without order of court.

20. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, that the managers of a certified day industrial school may, on the request of a local authority and of the parent of a child, and on the undertaking of the parent to pay towards the industrial training, elementary education, and meals of such child such sum, not less than one shilling a week, as a Secretary of State from time to time fixes, receive such child into the school without an order of the court; it is hereby ordered that the reception of the child by the managers of a school shall be taken to be an undertaking by them to provide him with industrial training, elementary education, and one or more meals a day, but not lodging, for the term agreed upon with the managers, or until the withdrawal or resignation of the certificate of the school takes effect, or until the contribution to the school of money provided by Parliament is discontinued, whichever shall first happen; provided that such undertaking of the managers shall be suspended during any week with respect to which the contribution of the parent has not been paid in advance.

The undertaking of the parent shall specify the religious persuasion to which the child belongs, and may be made in the form set forth in the schedule hereto.

PARLIAMENTARY GRANT TO AND MANAGEMENT OF SCHOOL.

Inspectors to see that conditions as to Parliamentary grant are observed.

21. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th and 17th sections of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, as follows:

There may be contributed out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the custody, industrial training, elementary education, and meals of children sent by an order of a court other than an attendance order under this Act

to a certified day industrial school such sums not exceeding one shilling per head per week, and on such conditions as a Secretary of State from time to time recommends ;

The managers of a certified day industrial school may, upon the request of a local authority and of the parent of a child, and upon the undertaking of the parent to pay towards the industrial training, elementary education, and meals of such child such sum, not less than one shilling a week, as a Secretary of State from time to time fixes, receive such child into the school under an attendance order or without an order of a court ; and there may be contributed out of moneys provided by Parliament in respect of that child such sum not exceeding sixpence a week and on such conditions as a Secretary of State from time to time recommends.

The conditions of a Parliamentary contribution to a certified day industrial school; to be recommended by the Secretary of State, shall provide for the examination of the children according to the standards of proficiency for the time being in force for the purposes of a Parliamentary grant to public elementary schools ; but may vary the amounts of the contributions to be made in respect of such standards respectively.

Any conditions recommended by a Secretary of State for the purposes of contributions to a day industrial school shall be laid before Parliament in the same manner as Minutes of the Education Department relating to the annual Parliamentary grant.

It is hereby ordered that it shall be the duty of the inspector of day industrial schools, acting under the directions of the Secretary of State, to ascertain that such conditions have been duly observed.

Inspector to see that certain provisions of Elementary Education Act, 1876, and regulations of Education Department as to certificates and registers are observed.

22. Whereas by the 5th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted that a person shall not take into his employment (except as thereinafter in the said Act mentioned) any child who, being of the age of 10 years or upwards, has not obtained such certificate either of his proficiency in reading, writing, and elementary arithmetic, or of previous due attendance at a certified efficient school (which includes a certified day industrial school) as is in that Act in

that behalf provided, unless in the circumstances specified in the said section :

And whereas by the 24th section of the same Act it is enacted as follows :

The certificates of proficiency of a child in reading, writing, and elementary arithmetic, and of the previous due attendance of a child at a certified efficient school for the purposes of this Act, shall be certificates of proficiency and previous due attendance ascertained according to the standards set forth in the First Schedule to this Act, and such certificate shall be granted to the child entitled to the same free of cost or charge to such child, or to the parent of such child.

The Education Department may from time to time by order make, and when made revoke and vary regulations with respect to certificates of age for the purposes of this Act and the persons by whom and the form in which certificates of the said proficiency and due attendance are to be granted, and with respect to other matters relating thereto, and with respect to the preservation of registers and other records of such proficiency and attendance, and such regulations shall be observed by the local authority and the managers of certified efficient schools.

All regulations made by the Education Department under this section shall be laid before Parliament in the same manner as Minutes of the Education Department relating to the annual Parliamentary grant.

And whereas the First Schedule to the said Act provides that for the purpose of employment the standards shall be the following :

- (1.) The standard of proficiency in reading, writing, and elementary arithmetic for the purpose of a certificate under this Act enabling a child to be employed shall be the standard of reading, writing, and elementary arithmetic fixed by standard four of the Code of 1876, or any higher standard.
- (2.) The standard of previous due attendance at a certified efficient school for the purpose of a certificate under this Act enabling a child to be employed shall be two hundred and fifty attendances after five years of age in not more than two schools during each year for five years, whether consecutive or not.
- (3.) During the four years next after the commencement of this Act, the standards for the purpose of enabling a child to be employed shall, instead of the foregoing standards, be those shown in the following table :

During the Year,	The Standard of Proficiency shall be the Standard of Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic fixed by the following Standard of the Code of 1876, or any higher Standard, namely.—	The Standard of previous due Attendance shall be.	
		The following Number of Attendances.	In not more than Two Schools during each Year for the following Number of Years, whether consecutive or not.
1877	Second	250	Two.
1878	Second	250	Two
1879	Third	250	Three.
1880	Third	250	Four.

Provided that—

(a.) In the case of a school district in which for not less than three years before the commencement of this Act bye-laws have been in force requiring, as a condition of total or partial exemption of a child from attendance at school, that such child must have passed a standard of proficiency corresponding to the fourth standard of the Code of 1876 or any higher standard, the same or a corresponding standard of proficiency (but not exceeding the standard which, under this schedule, will be required after four years from the commencement of this Act) shall be required for the purpose of a certificate under this Act enabling a child to be employed.

(b.) Where a child has been lawfully taken into employment in any year in consequence of having obtained a certificate in accordance with the above table, such child may in any subsequent year be taken into employment without any further certificate, notwithstanding that under the table a certificate requiring a higher standard is required for that year.

And whereas by the same schedule it is further provided that attendance for the purpose of the said schedule, where the attendance is at a certified day industrial school, includes such attendance as may be from time to time directed for the purpose by a Secretary of State; and that the Code of 1876 in the said schedule means, in England, the Code of the Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary grant to public elementary schools in England.

It is hereby ordered that it shall be the duty of the inspector of day industrial schools to see that the provisions of the said Act and the regulations of the Education Department as to certificates and registers, and other matters relating thereto, be strictly observed in certified day industrial schools.

28 and 29 Vict., c. 118, s. 25.

23. A minister of the religious persuasion which, as the case may be, is specified in the order of Detention or Attendance order as that to which the child appears to the court making the order to belong, or specified in the undertaking of the parent of a child attending the school without an order of court as that to which the child belongs, may visit the child at the school on such days and at such times as are from time to time fixed by regulations made by the Secretary of State for the purpose of instructing him in religion.

33 and 34 Vict., c. 75, s. 7 (1).

It shall not be required as a condition of any child being admitted into or continuing in a certified day industrial school, whether under an order of Detention, Attendance order, or otherwise, that he shall attend or abstain from attending any Sunday school or any place of worship, or that he shall attend any religious observance or any instruction in religious subjects in the school or elsewhere to which observance or instruction his parent objects, or that he shall, if withdrawn by his parent, attend the school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, and the parent may, on any such day, withdraw the child accordingly.

Rules of school to be approved by Secretary of State (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 29).

24. The managers of a certified day industrial school may from time to time make rules for the

management and discipline of the school, not being inconsistent with the provisions of this Order: but those rules shall not be enforced until they have been approved in writing by the Secretary of State; and rules so approved shall not be altered without the like approval.

A printed copy of rules purporting to be the rules of a school so approved and to be signed by the inspector of day industrial schools shall be evidence of the rules of the school.

Evidence as to reception in school, &c. (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 30).

25. A certificate purporting to be signed by one of the managers of a certified day industrial school or their secretary, or by the superintendent or other person in charge of the school, to the effect that the child therein named was duly received into and is at the signing thereof liable to detention in the school under an order of Detention, or required to attend thereat under an Attendance order, or has been duly discharged or removed therefrom, or otherwise disposed of according to law, shall be evidence of the matters therein stated.

School presumed to be certified (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 18).

26. The industrial school named in an order of Detention or an Attendance order shall be presumed to be a certified day industrial school until the contrary is shown.

Evidence of order of detention or attendance order (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 24).

27. An instrument purporting to be an order of Detention, or an Attendance order, and to be signed by two justices or a magistrate, or purporting to be a copy of such an order and to be certified as such a copy by the clerk to the court by whom the order was made, shall be evidence of the order.

OFFENCES AT SCHOOL, &c.

Penalty for child under detention order not attending school or not conforming to rules (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 32).

28. Where an order of Detention has been made ordering a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, then if whilst such order is in force the child wilfully neglects to attend thereat, or wilfully neglects or wilfully refuses to conform to the rules of the school, he shall be guilty of an offence against this Order, and may at any time before the expiration of his period of detention be apprehended without warrant, and brought before a court of summary jurisdiction, and on summary conviction of such offence shall be liable to be sent to a certified industrial school as if he were a child coming within the provisions of the 14th section of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, or in the discretion of the court to be so sent in default of the child finding a surety or sureties for his due attendance at school and conformity with the rules thereof for a period of six months. Provided that the court, if it think fit, may without proceeding to conviction dismiss the child with a warning.

Penalty for preventing child from attending school in accordance with order of detention (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 33).

29. Where an order of Detention has been made ordering a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, then if, whilst such order is in force, any person knowingly induces the child not to attend such school, or knowingly prevents or know-

ingly assists in preventing him from attending such school, or knowingly conceals the child in order that he may not be sent to such school, he shall be guilty of an offence against this Order, and on conviction thereof before a court of summary jurisdiction, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding 5*l*.

DISCHARGE, &c., OF CHILDREN FROM SCHOOL.

Discharge by Secretary of State or court of summary jurisdiction.

30. An order of discharge of a child from an order of Detention or an Attendance order may be made :

- a. By the Secretary of State ; or
- b. By the same court of summary jurisdiction as that which made the original order upon the application or with the consent, in the case of a child under an order of Detention, of the local authority or prison authority at whose instance such order of Detention was made, and, in the case of a child under an Attendance order, of the local authority.

Transfer by court of summary jurisdiction.

31. A child under an order of Detention or Attendance order may, by an order of transfer, made by a court of summary jurisdiction, be transferred to another certified day industrial school, the managers whereof are willing to receive him, subject to the following provisions :—

1. The court making the order of transfer shall be the same court as that which made the original order of Detention or Attendance order.
2. The order of transfer shall not be made, in the case of a child under an order of Detention, except on the application of the local authority or prison authority, or the parent of the child, and, in the case of a child under an Attendance order, except on the request of the local authority and the parent.
3. The residence of the child shall be either the same as at the date of the original order, or in a place under the jurisdiction of the same guardians.
4. The school, in the case of a child under an order of Detention, shall, if possible, be a school conducted in accordance with the religious persuasion specified in such order as that to which the child appears to belong ; and, in the case of a child under an Attendance order, shall be selected by the parent ; and in either case shall be within two miles of the residence of the child.
5. The order of transfer shall specify the religious persuasion to which such child belongs.
6. The order of transfer shall be forwarded to the managers of the school named therein.

Upon the making of an order of transfer the original order, and the undertaking (if any) made by the parent to contribute, shall continue to apply as if for the school named in the original order and undertaking there were substituted the school named in the order of transfer.

The power conferred by this clause of transferring a child under an order of Detention shall be in addition to the provision for transfer contained in the 18th clause of this Order.

WITHDRAWAL, &c. OF CERTIFICATE OF SCHOOL.

Power for Secretary of State to withdraw certificate (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 44).

32. Whereas it is enacted by the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, as follows :
If a Secretary of State is of opinion that, by

reason of a change of circumstances or otherwise, a certified day industrial school ceases to be necessary or expedient for the proper training and control of the children of any class of population in the neighbourhood of that school, he may, after due notice, withdraw the certificate of the school, and thereupon such school shall cease to be a certified day industrial school.

Provided that the reasons for withdrawing such certificate shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within one month after notice of the withdrawal is given, if Parliament be then sitting, or if not, within one month after the then next meeting of Parliament.

It is hereby ordered that such notice shall be under the hand of the Secretary of State, and shall be addressed to and served on the managers of such school, and shall declare that the certificate of the school is withdrawn as from a time specified in the notice, not being less than six months after the date thereof ; and at that time the certificate shall be deemed to be withdrawn accordingly, and the school shall thereupon cease to be a certified day industrial school.

Resignation of certificate by managers (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 45).

33. The managers or the executors or administrators of a deceased manager (if only one) of a certified day industrial school may give notice in writing to the Secretary of State of their intention to resign the certificate of that school, and at the expiration in the case of managers of six months, and in the case of executors or administrators of one month, from the receipt of that notice by the Secretary of State (unless before that time the notice is withdrawn) the certificate shall be deemed to be resigned accordingly, and the school shall thereupon cease to be a certified day industrial school.

Gazetting and evidence of withdrawal, &c. (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 46).

34. A notice of the withdrawal or resignation of the certificate of a certified day industrial school shall within one month be inserted by order of the Secretary of State in the London Gazette.

A copy of the Gazette containing such notice shall be conclusive evidence of such withdrawal or resignation.

A certificate shall be presumed to be in force until the withdrawal or resignation thereof is proved.

Cesser of reception of children on notice, &c. (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 47).

35. Where notice is given of the withdrawal or resignation of the certificate of a certified day industrial school, no child shall be received into the school under this Order after the receipt by the managers of the school of the notice of withdrawal, or after the date of the notice of resignation, as the case may be, but the obligation of the managers to provide industrial training, elementary education, and one or more meals a day, but not lodging, for the children who may at the time of such receipt or at the date of such notice be attending such school, whether under an order of detention, or under an attendance order, or without an order, shall, except as far as the Secretary of State otherwise directs, be deemed to continue until the withdrawal or resignation of the certificate takes effect, or until the contribution out of money provided by Parliament towards the school is discontinued, whichever shall first happen ; provided that in the case of a child attending school under an Attendance order, or without an order,

such obligation shall be suspended during any week in respect of which the contribution of the parent has not been paid in advance.

Discharge or transfer of children detained, &c. (29 and 30 Vict., cap. 118, s. 48.)

36. Where a school ceases to be a certified day industrial school the children who are under an order of detention or order of attendance at the school shall be discharged by order of the Secretary of State, or transferred in manner aforesaid to some other certified day industrial school by orders of transfer made by a court of summary jurisdiction.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Use of forms in schedule (29 and 30 Vict., c. 118, s. 52).

37. No summons, notice, or order made for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this Order shall be invalidated for want of form only; and the forms in the schedule to this Order annexed, or forms to the like effect, may be used in the cases to which they refer, with such variations as circumstances require, and when used shall be deemed sufficient.

Provided that any such form shall cease to be available in the event of the Secretary of State making obligatory the use of another form for the same purpose under the 16th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, by which the Secretary of State has power from time to time to make, and when made, to revoke and vary, the forms of orders for sending a child to a day industrial school, and the manner in which children are to be sent to such school.

Service of notices on managers (29 and 50 Vict., c. 118, s. 53).

38. Any notice may be served on the managers of a certified day industrial school by being delivered to any one of them personally, or by being sent by post or otherwise in a letter addressed to them or any of them at the school, or at the usual or last known place of abode of any of the managers, or of their secretary.

Legal proceedings (36 and 37 Vict., c. 86, s. 23).

39. The Summary Jurisdiction Acts shall apply to all offences, payments, and orders in respect of which jurisdiction is by this Order given to a court of summary jurisdiction, or which are by this Order directed to be prosecuted, enforced, or made in a summary manner or on summary conviction.

The court of summary jurisdiction, when hearing and determining an information or complaint or making an order under this Order, shall be constituted either of two or more justices of the peace in petty sessions, sitting at a place appointed for holding petty sessions, or of some magistrate or officer sitting alone or with others at some court or other place appointed for the administration of justice, and for the time being empowered by law to do alone any act authorized to be done by more than one justice of the peace.

Definitions (39 and 40 Vict., c. 79, s. 48).

40. In this Order—

The term "child" means a child between the ages of five years and fourteen years:

(33 and 34 Vict., c. 75, s. 3.)

The term "parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of a child:

(33 and 34 Vict., c. 75, s. 3.)

The term "borough" means any place for the time being subject to the Act of the session of the fifth and six years of the reign of King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-six, intituled "An Act to provide for the regulation of municipal corporations in England and Wales," and the Acts amending the same:

(36 and 37 Vict., c. 86, s. 27.)

The term "The Summary Jurisdiction Acts" means the Act of the session of the eleventh and twelfth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter forty-three, intituled "An Act to facilitate the performance of the duties of justices of the peace out of sessions within England and Wales with respect to summary convictions and orders," inclusive of any Acts amending the same:

(36 and 37 Vict., c. 86, s. 27.)

The term "court of summary jurisdiction" means any justice or justices of the peace, metropolitan police magistrate, stipendiary or other magistrate or officer by whatever name called, to whom jurisdiction is given by the Summary Jurisdiction Acts:

(28 and 29 Vict., c. 126).

The terms "Local Authority," "Parish," and "School District," have the same meaning as in the Elementary Education Act, 1876:

Special provision as to the county and city of Worcester (37 and 38 Vict., c. 47, s. 5).

The term "Prison Authority" has the same meaning as in the Prisons Act, 1865; provided that for the purposes of this Order the justices of the county of Worcester in quarter sessions assembled shall be deemed to be the prison authority for the county of Worcester at large, and the council of the city of Worcester shall be deemed to be the prison authority for the city of Worcester and county of the same city, anything in the Worcester Prison Act, 1867, or any other Act, notwithstanding.

Saving clause.

41. Nothing in this Order shall be construed to be contrary to any of the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

SCHEDULE.

Order of detention.

Be it remembered, that on the _____ day of _____, in pursuance of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, and of the Order in Council made thereunder, we, two of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the said [county, or borough, &c.] of

(a) [having had brought before us *A.B.*

of _____, a child apparently under 14 years of age, and being satisfied that he was found begging or receiving alms (whether actually or under the pretext of selling or offering for sale anything), or being in a street or public place for the purpose of so begging or receiving alms].

(b) [having had brought before us *A.B.*

of _____, a child apparently under 14 years of age, and being satisfied that he frequents the company of reputed thieves].

(c) [having had brought before us *A.B.*

of _____, a child apparently under 12 years of age, charged with the

offence of and being satisfied that he has not been previously convicted in England or Ireland of felony, or in Scotland of theft].

(d) [having had brought before us *A.B.* of , a child apparently under 14 years of age, and having had a representation made us by his parent *C.D.* that he is unable to control the said *A.B.* and is desirous that the said *A.B.* be sent to a Certified Day Industrial School].

(e) [having had brought before us *A.B.* of , a child apparently under 14 years of age, upon the charge of having, without reasonable excuse, failed to comply with an order of the day of requiring him to attend School, and being satisfied that such charge was proved, and that *C.D.* the parent of the said *A.B.* had used all reasonable efforts to enforce compliance with such order].

(f) [having had brought before us *A.B.* of , a child apparently under 14 years of age, upon the charge of having, without reasonable excuse, failed to comply with an order of the day of requiring him to attend school, and being satisfied that such charge was proved, and that such non-compliance was subsequent to a complaint for the like non-compliance of the said *A.B.* made by the local authority to a Court of Summary Jurisdiction].

Do order that the said *A.B.* (whose religious persuasion appears to us to be) be sent to the Certified Day Industrial School at and be there detained for the term of during such hours as may be authorised by the rules of the school approved by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

And we do also order *C.D.* the parent of the said *A.B.* , and liable to maintain him, to contribute to his industrial training, elementary education, and meals in the school the sum of per week.

(Signed)

Attendance order.

{Be it remembered, that on the to wit. } day of , in pursuance of the 11th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, and of the Order in Council made thereunder, we, two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said (county or borough) of

Do order that *A.B.* of , a child apparently under 14 years of age (whose religious persuasion appears to us to be), do attend the Certified Day Industrial School at for the term of , during such hours as may be authorised by the rules of the school approved by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

(Signed)

Undertaking of parent in the case of an attendance order.

WHEREAS a complaint has been made under the 11th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, against *A.B.* of , a child under the age of 14 years, with a view to an order being made requiring him to attend a certified efficient school, and whereas I, *C.D.* am the parent of the said *A.B.* and have selected the Certified Day Industrial School at as the school to which the

said *A.B.* should be sent under such attendance order, I hereby undertake that upon such attendance order being made I will pay to the managers of the said school towards the industrial training, elementary education, and meals of the said *A.B.* in the said school the sum of per week so long as such attendance order is in force.

Dated day of 18 . (Signed).

Undertaking of parent in the case of a child about to attend a school without any order of court.

I, *C.D.* of , being the parent of *A.B.* , a child under 14 years of age, and of the religious persuasion of , hereby undertake to pay to the managers of the Certified Day Industrial School at towards the industrial training, elementary education, and meals of the said *A.B.* in the said school the sum of per week for the term of , and for such further term as may be agreed upon between myself and the said managers and the local authority under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Dated day of 18 . (Signed)

Order of transfer.

{Be it remembered, that on the to wit. } day of , in pursuance of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, and of the Order in Council made thereunder, we, two of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the said [county or borough] of , do order that *A.B.* of (whose religious persuasion appears to be) be transferred from the Certified Day Industrial School at to which he was sent under an order of detention [or attendance order] of the day of to the Certified Day Industrial School at

(Signed)

C. L. Peel.

Foreign Office, March 21, 1877.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Herbert Murray, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be an Acting Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service while employed abroad.

Westminster, March 27, 1877.

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

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

(H. 2699.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, March 26, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting British Consul at Rio de Janeiro, stating that yellow fever has made its appearance at that place.

(H. 2700.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, March 26, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at The Hague, stating that in consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever at Bahia all arrivals from thence will be subjected to quarantine in Netherlands ports.

Admiralty, 27th March, 1877.

The Reverend William Oxland, B.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 19th March, 1877.

Admiralty, 28th March, 1877.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned promotions, dated 20th March, 1877, have taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery, viz. :—

Colonel and Second Commandant Henry Adair to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Digby, deceased.
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Way Mawbey to be Colonel and Second Commandant, vice Adair.

Captain and Brevet Major John Poore to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Mawbey.

Lieutenant William Campbell to be Captain, vice Poore.

Admiralty, 29th March, 1877.

The undermentioned Medical Officers have been promoted to be Deputy Inspectors-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, with the seniorities stated against their names :—

John Traill Urquhart Bremner, M.D., 6th March, 1877.

Thomas Colan, M.D., 11th March, 1877.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Cumberland.*

Jonas Lindow Burns-Lindow, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th March, 1877.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Fife.*

Charles Congalton Bethune, younger, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1877.

William Heriot Maitland Dougall, younger, R.N., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1877.

War Office, March 30, 1877.

The Secretary of State for War, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, hereby gives notice that the following situation is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870 :—

The situation of Temporary Nurse in Lock Hospitals under the War Department.

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 St. Martin-in-the-Fields, in the county of Middlesex, 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 city of Westminster and Liberties thereof, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at No. 24, Salisbury-street, Strand, W.C., on Tuesday, the 10th day of April, 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 St. Martin-in-the-Fields aforesaid.

Algernon West.

Chas. Keith-Falconer.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, March 28, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Dinam Chapel, situate at Nantymoel, in the parish of Llandyfdwng, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Bridgend, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 23rd day of March, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 26th day of March, 1877.

Samuel Cox, Superintendent Registrar.

WHITE, Mayor.

A Court of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of London, holden in the Inner Chamber of the Guildhall of the City of London, on Tuesday, the 27th day of March, in the year of our Lord 1877, and in the 40th year of the reign of Her present Majesty Victoria, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

WHEREAS it duly appears to this Court that, for the purposes of public convenience and accommodation, it is expedient and proper that the rules, orders, and regulations hereinafter contained in that behalf, for the better ordering and regulating of metropolitan stage carriages within the city of London and the liberties thereof, and for enforcing order at the place hereinafter mentioned, should be made and established.

Now, therefore, this Court doth, in pursuance and by virtue of the powers and authorities granted by a certain Act of Parliament, made and passed in the session of Parliament holden in the 6th and 7th years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for regulating hackney and stage carriages in and near London," and of all other powers and authorities enabling them in that behalf, hereby order and direct as follows :

1. That a standing or place for plying for passengers be established on the northern side of Liverpool-street, in the said city, such stand to commence about 100 feet to the eastward of the Great Eastern Railway Station.

2. Such standing shall be used by such metropolitan stage carriages only as commence their

journey there, and run or go on the journey from such standing to Hammersmith, Brompton, and Richmond.

3. That three metropolitan stage carriages, and no more, shall occupy such stand at any one time.

4. That this order shall be read as one with the order made by this Court on the 23rd February, 1864, and all the orders and regulations therein contained, shall be applicable to the stand appointed by this order.

5. The drivers and conductors of the metropolitan stage carriages, at the standing-place hereby appointed, shall obey the directions of the time-keepers on duty at the said standing as to their respective vehicles and the positions and places in which the same shall stand.

6. The several rules, orders, and regulations hereby made shall be forthwith advertized in the London Gazette, and in the two newspapers circulated in the said city of London, called the Times and the Morning Advertiser; and that a copy of the said several rules, orders, and regulations be forthwith hung up for public inspection in the Town Clerk's office, at the Guildhall of the said city.

7. These rules, orders, and regulations shall become and be in full force and effect on and from the 2nd day of April, in the year of our Lord 1877.

Monckton.

In the Court of the Vice-Warden of the Stanneries.
Stanneries of Cornwall.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the Wheal Grambler Mining Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court was, on the 23rd day of March

instant, presented to the Vice-Warden of the Stanneries by Robert Tweedy, Sir Frederick Martin Williams, Bart., M.P., William Tweedy, Robert Milford Tweedy, and Charles Tweedy, carrying on business as Bankers, at Redruth and elsewhere, in the county of Cornwall, under the style or firm of Tweedy, Williams, and Co., claiming to be creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Warden, at the Princes-hall, in Truro, in the county of Cornwall, on Thursday, the 12th day of April next, at twelve o'clock at noon. Any contributory or creditor of the Company may appear at the hearing and oppose the same, provided he has given at least two clear days' notice to the petitioners, their Solicitor, or his Agents, of his intention to do so, such notice to be forthwith forwarded to P. P. Smith, Esq., Secretary of the Vice-Warden, Truro. Every such contributory or creditor is entitled to a copy of the petition and affidavit verifying the same from the petitioners, their Solicitor, or his Agents, within twenty-four hours after requiring the same, on payment of the regulated charge per folio. Affidavits intended to be used at the hearing, in opposition to the said petition, must be filed at the Registrar's Office, Truro, on or before the 10th day of April next, and notice thereof must at the same time be given to the petitioners, their Solicitor, or his Agents.—Dated Truro, the 26th day of March, 1877.

Robert Mucleane Paul, Truro, Cornwall,
Solicitor for the Petitioners.

Gregory, Rowcliffes, and Rawle, 1, Bedford-row, London, Agents of the said Solicitor.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1877.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued	40,742,035	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	3,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	25,742,035
		Silver Bullion	—
	<u>£40,742,035</u>		<u>£40,742,035</u>

Dated the 29th day of March, 1877.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	15,502,035
Reserve	3,757,189	Other Securities	23,776,279
Public Deposits (including Exchequer, Savings Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	11,530,029	Notes	12,759,395
Other Deposits	22,615,486	Gold and Silver Coin	722,257
Seven Day and other Bills	304,262		
	<u>£52,759,966</u>		<u>£52,759,966</u>

Dated the 29th day of March, 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 17th day of March, 1877.

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THE LONDON GAZETTE, MARCH 30, 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	214462	440183	654645	405145	78566	483711
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	232406	451814	684221	533746	86096	619843
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	158038	357207	515245	199169	42034	241204
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	219991	534011	754002	475094	50304	525399
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	176283	404520	580804	425684	52840	478524
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	246965	494237	741202	369096	79357	448453
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen	70133	97193	111638	208832	161550	20172	181723
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	167150	164195	331345	201007	19457	220464
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	181826	330801	512627	319577	57861	377438
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank	Glasgow	72921	221081	419434	640516	596639	30232	626871
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	34553	70176	104729	60383	7321	67705

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 29th day of March, 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 17th day of March, 1877.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 27th day of March, 1877.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
Barnsley Banking Company ...	...	...	...	...	Barnsley	...	£ 9,036

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, March 29, 1877.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 28th March, 1877.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
France ...	3,971	...	3,971	449,531	8,600	458,131
British India ...	...	...	...	39,384	...	39,384
Australia ...	66,551	34,616	101,167	...	...	...
South America (except Brazil) ...	294	95	389	8,828	291,068	299,896
United States	24,000	58,585	82,585
Other Countries ...	2,839	1,690	4,529	11,372	20,274	31,646
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Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ...	73,655	36,401	110,056	533,115	373,527	911,642
Declared Value of the said } Importations ...	£ 294,257	£ 145,587	£ 439,844	£ 124,633	£ 88,463	£ 213,096

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
Germany ...	2,564	...	38,555	41,119	...	111,918	111,918	
France ...	...	330	14,619	14,949	...	84,280	98,720
Spain ...	...	...	...	...	...	542,364	542,364
West Coast of Africa ...	257	...	...	257	12,895	1,795	14,690
British India ...	73	...	...	73	...	146,081	168,417
Dutch Possessions in India ...	7,453	...	...	7,453	...	...	...
China and Hong Kong ...	...	...	...	...	342,821	...	342,821
South America (except Brazil) ...	9,509	9,509	
Other Countries ...	144	144	...	34,526	62,466	
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Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ...	20,000	330	53,174	73,504	12,895	610,370	2,233,901	
Declared Value of the said } Exportations ...	£ 77,847	£ 1,290	£ 207,845	£ 286,982	£ 3,543	£ 137,909	£ 530,416	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London, March 29, 1877.

S. SELDON, Principal.

Manchester Corporation Tramways.

Notice of Lease.

THE Corporation of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, hereby give notice that it is their intention to make a lease of the undermentioned tramways, about to be constructed by them under the powers contained in the Manchester Corporation Tramways Order, 1875, viz. :—

1st. Tramway No. 1. A single line commencing in the Bury New-road, at the boundary of the city of Manchester, near the Grove Inn, and passing along Bury New-road, Great Ducie-street, Hunt's Bank, and Deansgate, and terminating in Deansgate at a point in a line with the south side of St. Mary's-gate.

[The Salford Tramway, No. 1, from the Kersal Tollbar, connects with this line at the commencement thereof.]

2nd. Tramway No. 2. A double line commencing on the centre of Albert-bridge, and passing thence along Albert-place, Bridge-street, Lower King-street, and Deansgate, and terminating at the aforesaid point in Deansgate, in a line with the south side of St. Mary's-gate.

[The Salford Tramway, No. 2, from the junction of the Bolton and Eccles-road, opposite the Woolpack Inn, connects with this line at the commencement thereof.]

The following are the terms and particulars of the intended lease :

The lessees are William Turton, of the borough of Leeds, in the West Riding, of the county of York, Omnibus and Carriage Proprietor, and Daniel Busby, of the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Omnibus and Carriage Proprietor. The term of the lease is 21 years from the 1st May, 1877.

The rent reserved is a sum equivalent to £10 sterling per cent. per annum upon the cost of constructing the tramways.

The lessees' covenants are as follows :—

1. To pay the rent quarterly and in advance, if required.

2. To run at least two carriages of an approved size and construction each way, on each of the said lines of tramway, and on the said Salford Tramways, Nos. 1 and 2, connected therewith, every morning and every evening of the week (Sundays, Christmas Day, and Good Friday always excepted), for the conveyance of the labouring classes, with their tools and personal luggage, at such hours, not being later than seven A.M. nor earlier than six P.M. as the Corporations of Manchester and Salford may fix from time to time, at fares not exceeding one halfpenny per mile but so that no fare less than one penny need be taken.

3. As to use of the tramways : To run over each of the said lines of tramway and the said Salford Tramways Nos. 1 and 2 connected therewith, carriages of approved construction, at approved hours, for the conveyance of passengers and their personal luggage (not exceeding 28lb. in weight for every passenger), at fares not exceeding as follows :—

Inside Threepence.

Outside—Twopence.

Children's fares : Children on the lap, and under three years, not to be considered as passengers ; above three and under seven half fare. No half fares outside.

4. To observe all the Bye-laws and regulations of the Corporation.

5. Not to use the tramways or the carriages for the conveyance of any other goods or chattels

than passengers' luggage, not exceeding 28lb. in weight, and small parcels not exceeding 56lb. in weight.

6. Not to employ any motive power other than animal power, without the consent of the Corporation.

7. To save harmless the Corporation from loss and damage occasioned by the act or default of the lessees or their servants.

8. Not to remove or in any way interfere with the rails and plates of the tramways.

9. To be answerable for trespass and damage done to the tramways (reasonable wear and tear excepted).

10. To give the Corporation notice if the tramways become in any way in a dangerous or defective state.

11. To permit the Corporation to use the tramways at all reasonable hours for the conveyance of scavenging stuff, road metal, &c., free of toll.

12. Not to assign, underlet, or otherwise part with the user granted without the written consent of the Corporation.

The lessors' covenants are as follows :—

1. To construct the tramways forthwith.

2. For quiet enjoyment.

3. To maintain the tramways in repair.

The lease contains the following provisions and conditions :—

1. The Corporation may demand payment of the rent reserved in advance.

2. If the tramways are not completed and handed over to the lessees by the 1st May, 1877, a proportional deduction shall be made from the rent for the period between that day and the day when the tramways shall be completed and handed over to the lessees.

3. Powers of distress for rent in arrear.

4. Power to Corporation to enter into receipt of the tolls and profits of the tramways if rent not paid.

5. Lease to become void on the bankruptcy or insolvency of the lessees.

6. Power to Corporation to vacate the lease on non-payment of rent for twenty-one days and for breach of any covenant.

7. Reservation of the power of the Corporation to open and break up the roadway, and of every other power conferred upon or vested in the Corporation by Act of Parliament or otherwise.

8. Power for the Corporation to construct temporary tramways.

9. Additional crossings and other works to be constructed when necessary or expedient, and the lessees to pay an additional rent, equal to £10 per cent. per annum, upon the cost.

10. The lease and the terms thereof to be subject to the approval of the Board of Trade.

11. Disputes to be referred to arbitration.

A copy of the said lease is deposited at my office, at the Townhall, in the city of Manchester, where it may be inspected between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1877.

By Order,

Joseph Heron, Town Clerk.

Salford Corporation Tramways.

Notice of Lease.

THE Corporation of the borough of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, hereby give notice that it is their intention to make a lease of the undermentioned tramways, about to be constructed by them under the powers contained in

the Salford Tramways and Improvement Act, 1875.

The Tramways are as follows:—

1st. Tramway No. 1 (single line), commencing at the Kersall Toll Bar, in Bury New-road, in the said borough, and passing along Bury New-road to and terminating at the boundary of the city of Manchester, near the Grove Inn, in the same road.

[The Manchester Tramway No. 1 connects with this line, and will continue it along Bury New-road, through Great Ducie-street, and Hunt's Bank, to a point in Deansgate in a line with the south side of St. Mary's-gate.]

2nd. Tramway No. 2 (double line), commencing at the junction of the Bolton and Eccles roads, opposite the Wool Pack Inn, in Pendleton, in the said borough, and passing thence along Broad-street, the Crescent, Chapel-street, and New Bailey-street to and terminating at the boundary of the city of Manchester, in the centre of the Albert Bridge, in New Bailey-street aforesaid.

[The Manchester Tramway No. 2, connects with this line, and will continue it from Albert Bridge, along Albert-place, Bridge-street, Lower King-street, and Deansgate, to the aforesaid point in Deansgate, in a line with the south side of St. Mary's-gate.]

The following are the terms and particulars of the intended lease:

The lessees are William Turton, of the borough of Leeds, in the West Riding of the county of York, Omnibus and Carriage Proprietor, and Daniel Busby, of the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Omnibus and Carriage Proprietor. The term of the lease is 21 years from the 1st May, 1877.

The rent reserved is a sum equivalent to £10 sterling per cent. per annum upon the cost of constructing the tramways.

The lessees' covenants are as follows:—

1. To pay the rent quarterly, and in advance if required.

2. To run at least two carriages of an approved size and construction each way, on each of the said lines of tramway, and the Manchester Tramways, Nos. 1 and 2, connected therewith, respectively, every morning and every evening of the week (Sundays, Christmas Day, and Good Friday always excepted), for the conveyance of the labouring classes, with their tools and personal luggage, at such hours, not being later than seven A.M. nor earlier than six P.M., as the Corporations of Salford and Manchester may fix from time to time, at fares not exceeding one halfpenny per mile, but so that no fare less than one penny need be taken.

3. As to use of the tramways: To run over each of the said lines of tramways and the Manchester tramways connected therewith respectively, carriages of approved construction, at approved hours, for the conveyance of passengers and their personal luggage (not exceeding 28lb. in weight for every passenger), at fares not exceeding as follows:—

Inside—Threepence.

Outside—Twopence.

Children's fares: Children on the lap, and under three years, not to be considered as passengers; above three and under seven half fare. No half fares outside.

4. To observe all the Bye-laws and regulations of the Corporation.

5. Not to use the tramways or the carriages

for the conveyance of any other goods or chattels than passengers' luggage, not exceeding 28lb. in weight, and small parcels not exceeding 56lb. in weight.

6. Not to employ any motive power other than animal power without the consent of the Corporation.

7. To save harmless the Corporation from loss and damage occasioned by the act or default of the lessees or their servants.

8. Not to remove or in any way interfere with the rails and plates of the tramways.

9. To be answerable for trespass and damage done to the tramways (reasonable wear and tear excepted).

10. To give the Corporation notice if the tramways become in any way in a dangerous or defective state.

11. To permit the Corporation to use the tramways at all reasonable hours for the conveyance of scavenging stuff, road metal, &c., free of toll.

12. Not to assign, underlet, or otherwise part with the user granted without the written consent of the Corporation.

13. To accept, on the same terms and conditions, a lease of such additional lines of tramway as the Corporation may think fit to make during the term under their statutory powers.

The lessors' covenants are as follows:—

1. To construct the tramways forthwith.

2. For quiet enjoyment.

3. To maintain the tramways in repair.

4. To demise to the lessees, on the same terms and conditions, such additional tramways as the Corporation may think fit to make during the term under their statutory powers.

The lease contains the following provisoes and conditions:—

1. The Corporation may demand payment of the rent reserved in advance.

2. If the tramways are not completed and handed over to the lessees by the 1st May, 1877, a proportional deduction shall be made from the rent for the period between that day and the day when the tramways shall be completed and handed over to the lessees.

3. Powers of distress for rent in arrear.

4. Power to Corporation to enter into receipt of the tolls and profits of the tramways if rent not paid.

5. Lease to become void on the bankruptcy or insolvency of the lessees.

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7. Reservation of the power of the Corporation to open and break up the roadway, and of every other power conferred upon or vested in the Corporation, by Act of Parliament or otherwise.

8. Power for the Corporation to construct temporary tramways.

9. Additional crossings and other works to be constructed when necessary or expedient, and the lessees to pay an additional rent, equal to £10 per cent. per annum, upon the cost.

10. The lease and the terms thereof to be subject to the approval of the Board of Trade.

11. Disputes to be referred to arbitration.

The draft lease is deposited at the office of the Town Clerk, at the Townhall, in the borough of Salford, and may be inspected at any time between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 20th day of March, 1877.

Chris. Moorhouse, Town Clerk.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1177. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henry Rosenthal, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improvement in brushes," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of March, 1877, 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—

4530. To William Henry Hore, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Fire Insurance Manager, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus to indicate whether iron doors or shutters in a building or other structure are open or shut."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of November, 1876.

241. To John Clayton Mewburn, of 169, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent and Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for transmitting power and motion in differential pulleys and other hoisting apparatus."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas Aldridge Weston, of Stamford, Connecticut, in the United States of America.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of January, 1877.

333. To James Kent, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, Builder and Contractor, for the invention of "improvements in stench traps."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of January, 1877.

459. To William Clark, of 232, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "certain improvements in the construction of reaping, mowing, and shearing machinery."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of February, 1877.

789. To George Henry Smith, Engineer, residing at Derby, in the county of Derbyshire, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting and piercing wood known as fret work, and also applicable for cutting leather, cloth, and other like materials."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of February, 1877.

801. To James Pellatt Rickman, Glass Manufacturer, of the Falcon Glass Works, Blackfriars, London, for the invention of "improvements in self-acting gas generating furnaces, applicable to various uses."

810. To Charles John Petherick, of Church-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in box and smoothing irons."

812. To James Hamilton, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger, for the invention of "improvements applicable to chimneys or shafts used for purposes connected with heating and ventilating."

813. To Matthew Graham Dobson, of Halifax, in the county of York, Manager, for the invention of "improvements in sizing linen and other yarns for the weft of carpets, and in appliances therefor."

814. And to Carl Necker, of the firm of Necker & Co., of 29, Prinzenstrasse, Berlin, Prussia, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of February, 1877.

824. To Robert Turnbull, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in collecting and purifying sewage, and in the apparatus or means employed therefor."

826. To Warwick Brookes, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for treating photographs and other articles of paper so as to render them transparent."

830. To William Cromwell Hollowell, of Grovewood, in the town of Northampton, in the county of Northampton, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for manufacturing lifts for boot and shoe heels."

832. And to Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth & Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "an improved percussion fuze."—A communication from the "Gussstahl & Waffen-Fabrik Witten, Vormals, Berger & Co." (Cast-Steel-Works and Arms-Manufactory, Witten, late Berger & Co.), of Witten, on the Ruhr (Germany).

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 1st day of March, 1877.

838. To Dugald Drummond, of Cowlairst, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in axle boxes."

840. To Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth & Company, Patent-Agency, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "a new filling for gas-meters."—A communication from Ferdinand Brünjes and Hermann Jacobsohn, persons resident at Leopoldshall, near Sassfurt, in the Empire of Germany.

842. To Charles Kenneth Trull, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for lighting gas."

844. Thomas Forrest, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "a new or improved veneering press."

846. To Viccars Collyer, of the Highfield House, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, for the invention of "improvements in preserving raw meat, lard, and other fats, and in compounds or combinations of ingredients for the purpose."

848. To Frank Morris, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, for the invention of "an improved 'sideral' time piece."

850. To Carl Pieper, Civil Engineer, of Dresden, Saxony, for the invention of "improvements in filter presses."—A communication from Doctor Drevermann, a person resident at Hoerde, Prussia.

852. And to Jacob Butler, of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Manager of Iron Works,

and Frederic Edwin Lewis, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Iron Broker, for the invention of "improvements in utilizing waste or refuse cast iron."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of March, 1877.

854. To John Hart Tracy, of Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for plaiting or folding fabrics."

856. To George Henry Ellis, of 42, Hart-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "an improved portable hot air or vapour bath and apparatus for heating the same, such apparatus being applicable to other heating purposes."

858. To James Edwards Wilson, of Lavender Hill, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improved corkscrew."

860. To John Hanson, of Savile Town, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in treating sewage and other foul water, and in softening clarified water for re-use."

862. To James Apperly, of Dudbridge House, near Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of rotary steam engines."

864. To Alphonse Joly, of Boulevard Saint Denis, No. 1, at Paris, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved rocking fire-grate."

866. To Charles Thomas Evans Lascelles, of Somerville-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with apparatus or vessels for containing beers and other like liquids."

868. And to Joseph Rushton Turnock, of the Yspitty Iron and Tinplate Works, Llanelly, South Wales, for the invention of "improvements in pickling and swilling metal plates and in apparatus therefor."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of March, 1877.

870. To Joseph Edwards, of Chorley, in the county of Lancaster, Manager, for the invention of "improved apparatus for the extraction of foul air and gas from coal or other mines."

871. To Noémie Casper, of Bayswater, and Isaac Charles Breitbart, of Edgware-road, both in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved looking glass frame to be used for advertising, such improvement being applicable to other purposes."

879. To Samuel Bowen Bowen, of Nicholl-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Chemical Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in and in apparatus for the manufacture of sulphate of iron or copperas from 'pickle' and in the treatment of 'pickle.'"

882. To Thomas James Smith, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in the construction or build of wheels for railways, tramways, and the like."—A communication to him from abroad by Messrs. Brunon Brothers, residing at Rue-des-Halles, Paris, in the Republic of France.

884. And to William Mitchell, of Brandon, in the county of Suffolk, for the invention of "an improved stand for casks or barrels, and other receptacles."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of March, 1877.

887. To John Tattersall, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "improved stripping motion for carding engines."

888. To George Wrigglesworth, of Otley-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Timber Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in bits for mortising and boring."

890. To Thomas Frederick Hunt, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in what are commonly known as bicycles."

892. To Bowler Gedney and Jonathan Hall, both of Hull, in the county of York, for the invention of "an improved machine for peeling potatoes and other vegetables."

894. To Richard Bradbury, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improved portable and sanitary bed-commode."

898. To Joseph Sutcliffe Gabriel, of Grolliers and Canterbury Wharves, Belvedere-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in pavements."

902. To Cecil Wray and Leonard Wray, Junior, both of Walthamstow, in the county of Essex, Gentlemen, for the invention of "improvements in thermo-electric batteries."

906. And to William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in and apparatus for obtaining and applying motive power."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Simon Bouchotte, Engineer, of Paris, France.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of March, 1877.

907. To Samuel Firth, of Burley, and Joseph Kaye, of Kirkstall, both near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed for unfastening carriage doors."

908. To Orange McConnell Chamberlain, of Jewin-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus and arrangements for plaiting, folding, frilling, ruffling, goffering, gathering, and pinking."

910. To Ebenezer Entwistle, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for working railway and other signals."

912. To Richard Charles Hammer, of Bradford, in the county of York, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in the method of, and apparatus for securing yarn tubes upon the shuttle peg for weaving."

914. To Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in tramways and rolling-stock for use with the same, parts of which improvements are also applicable to railways and traction generally."—A communication to him from abroad by Gustave Palmer Harding and John Lawton Haddan, both of Rue de la Chaussée-D'Antin, Paris, in the Republic of France.

916. To Thomas Warr, of Lee, in the county of Kent, William Brown, of Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, and Alexander Russell, of Glasgow, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

918. To John Elsworth, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Ironmonger, for the invention of "a new or improved construction of bale-tie."—A communication to him from

abroad by John Henry Elsworth, Merchant, Galveston, Texas, in the United States of America.

920. To Richard Barker, of Nallyappa, Birkdale, in the county of Lancaster, Mining Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the sinking of shafts and wells and in apparatus therefor."

922. To William Brothers, of Livesey Fire Clay Works, near Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, for the invention of "new or improved apparatus to be used in the manufacture of clay pipes, gas, and other retorts, and other articles made of clay."

924. To Henri Balleni and John Webber Payne, both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in and appertaining to machines for aerial navigation."

926. And to James Warwick, of the City Sewing Machine Works, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Sewing Machine Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in shuttles for sewing machines."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of March, 1877.

928. To John Stanton, of No. 13, Clifton-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Gun-lock Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement in the main-spring bearing of the re-bounding back action safety gun, rifle, and pistol locks."

930. To Francisco de Camargo Pinto, of No. 2, Wallington-place, Kennington-road, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in slide gear and slides for steam and other fluid pressure engines."

932. To James Warwick Peirce, of St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in propelling or driving machinery, and for concentrating motive power."

934. To Richard Edwin Howard, of Blackheath Hill, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "an improvement in bicycles."

936. To John George Herbert Batchelor, of Penarth, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgau, for the invention of "improvements in governors for marine engines."

938. And to William Thomas Woodruff, of Golden-square, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved top or cover for ink and other bottles, applicable also to the eye pieces of optical instruments, and as a cigar cutter and candle holder."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of March, 1877.

940. To John McNay Rimington, of the town and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of buttons."

942. To Archer Edwards, of Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in sliding seats for rowing boats, and in apparatus for lubricating the same."

944. To Archibald Connal Stevenson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Glass Bottle Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in glass furnaces."

948. To Edward Alexander Jeffreys, of Low Moor, near Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with railway wheels."

950. To Miles Williams, of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of varnishes, paints, and other like compositions, and in the boiling of oil to be used therefor and for other purposes."

ments in the manufacture of varnishes, paints, and other like compositions, and in the boiling of oil to be used therefor and for other purposes."

952. To Samuel Hallsworth, of Arnley, near Leeds, and Richard Bailes, of Woodhouse Carr, Leeds, both in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or method of treating and clarifying sewage or other impure waters."

954. And William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved process for imparting to glass and other vitreous substances a nacreous, iridescent, or similar appearance."—A communication to him from abroad by Louis Clémandot, of Paris, France, Civil Engineer.

957. To Richard Price Williams, of 9, Great George-street, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in railway rails."

958. To Frederick Walton, of Heatham House, Twickenham, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of embossed fabrics suitable for wall decorations."

960. And to Lauchlan Rose, of 11, Curtain-road, Finsbury, London, in the county of Middlesex, Lime Juice Merchant, for the invention of "an improved stopper for bottles for containing gases or gases combined with liquids, such as aerated beverages, whereby improvements in stoppering bottles can be effected."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of March, 1877.

962. To Sam Moorehouse, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in shuttles employed in looms for weaving."

964. To Archibald Stewart Byers, of the firm of "Campbell & Byers," of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Dyers, for the invention of "improvements in scouring, bleaching, and dyeing yarns, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."

966. To William Cameron Sillar, of Saint James's Lodge, Kidbrooke Park-road, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in, and in apparatus for, separating the fluid from the solid portions of sewage-sludge, peat, and other matters."

967. To Gustavus Adolphus John Schott, of Bradford, in the county of York, Spinner, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of yarns or threads, and in the apparatus to be used therein."

968. To John Henry Hitchiner, Joseph Hargreaves Oddy, and George Samuel Wallis, all of Liversedge, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for coupling and uncoupling railway carriages, cars, and trucks."

969. To William Smith, David Marks, and William Alfred Midgley, all of Keighley, in the county of York, Machine Makers, for the invention of "improvements in washing, wringing, and mangling machines."

970. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in saddles and harness for horses, parts of which improvements are applicable to buckles and straps for other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Baron Richard Walterskirchen, of Pressburg, Kingdom of Hungary.

971. And to William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in fire-arms."—A communication to him from abroad by Baron Richard Walterskirchen, of Pressburg, in the Kingdom of Hungary.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of March, 1877.

973. To Michael Holroyd Smith, of Halifax, in the county of York, Wire Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in appliances connected with furnaces."

975. To Charles Smith, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for supplying fuel to steam boiler and other furnaces."

976. To Isaac Clegg Schofield, of Elland, in the county of York, Cotton Warp Maker, for the invention of "improvements in gullies or traps for preventing the escape of noxious gases from sewers and drains."

977. To William Alexander Brice, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved means for preventing the racing of marine engines."

978. And to William Bull, of Knight's Hill, Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "a new or improved portable combined miniature apparatus or machine for making and bottling aerated mineral waters or other aerated or effervescing liquids."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of March, 1877.

979. To Alan Charles Bagot, of Churchdale, Rugeley, in the county of Stafford, for the invention of "improvements in mining signals and in the apparatus employed therefor."

980. To William Nicholson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of shuttle tongues, the blades of table knives and other like articles, and in the machinery, apparatus, or means employed therein."

981. To Vincent Ernest Holder, of Evelyn-street, Deptford, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "a new and improved method of disconnecting pole chains or straps."

983. To Franklin Hocking, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for heating water and other liquids applicable for use, also as a condenser, cooler, or refrigerator."

984. To James Stear, of the Stafford Collieries, Barnsley, Engineer, and William Daniel, of the Steam Plough Works, Leeds, Engineer, both in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in engines worked by compressed air."

986. To William Edward Wiley, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in ever-pointed pencil cases."

987. To Edward Alfred Cowper, of No. 6, Great George-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in bobbin and flyer-spinning machinery."

988. To George Knowles, Junior, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, and Alfred Higgins, of Salford, in the said county, Machine Maker, for the invention of "improvements applicable to machinery for slubbing or roving cotton and other fibrous materials."

989. To Thomas Biggs, of Leigh Woods, near Clifton, in the county of Somerset, Colonel

Royal Artillery, for the invention of "improvements in chimney pots."

990. To Thomas Ashbury, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in door fastenings, applicable to the bottom doors of railway wagons and to other doors."

991. To Honourable Walter Stuart, Master of Blantyre, residing at Sciber's Cross, Sutherlandshire, & George Greig, Harvieston, Stonehaven, for the invention of "an improvement in wire and other fences."

992. And to Captain William Henry Cutler, of Salthill House, near Slough, in the county of Bucks, for the invention of "improvements in turbines."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of March, 1877.

993. To Samuel Richard Smyth, Managing Director of the Standard Iron and Steel Company Limited, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in consuming the smoke and other waste products of combustion, and in the apparatus employed therefor, such improvements being applicable to boiler and other furnaces or heating apparatus."

994. To Ernest Leman, of Trowse Newton, in the county of Norfolk, for the invention of "improvements in machines for pasting labels and putting them on tins, bottles, or other articles."

995. To Archibald Caldwell, of Strathbungo, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for measuring and controlling or regulating the flow or supply of water."

996. To Henry Moy Thomas, of 10, Albion-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in chucks or appendages to the mandrels of lathes for attaching work or drills of different dimensions."

997. To Lucien Brémont, Engineer, of the Gas Works, Versailles, France, for the invention of "improvements in means to be employed for preventing the deposit of naphthaline in gas apparatus, mains, and fittings."

999. To John Hyslop, of No. 8, Poplar Walk-road, in the county of Surrey, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in feed-water heaters."

1000. To Thomas Chadwick, of Bradbury and Company Limited, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in appliances for use in and in connection with sewing machines."

1001. To Richard Jex Crickmer, of No. 13, Bentham-road, Homerton, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in steam and other cocks or taps."

1002. To Thomas Abbot, of the city and county of Bristol, for the invention of "certain new or improved applications of manual power."

1003. To Edward Alexander Rippinggill, of Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, and of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in lamps and lamp stoves, and in coronets or covers for lamps."

1004. To James Pickup, of Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in furnace bars."

1005. To William Sumner, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for drying yarn, woven fabrics, and other materials."—A communication to him from abroad by Mes-

- siieurs Tulpin Brothers, of Rouen, France, Machine Makers.
1006. To Henry Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in travelling bags."—A communication to him from abroad by Gustave Louis Keller, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1007. To Sydney Pitt, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of ice."—A communication to him from abroad by Theodore Benedict Edouard Turrettini and Raoul Pierre Pictet, both of Geneva.
1008. To Sydney Pitt, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in elastic fish bolt washers, dust guards, or packings for oil boxes of railway cars, washers, gaskets for pipes, pumps, boilers, and such like condenser, ferrules, chair seats, trunks, and boxes, loom picks, harness loops, bearings for machinery, and such like, and in the preparation of a material for these and other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by the Vulcanized Fibre Company, of Wilmington, Delaware, in the United States of America.
1009. To John Moysey, of the Central India Rubber Company, 19, London-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in pumps."
1010. And to Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in mills for grinding grain and other substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Victor Semonin, of Paris, France.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of March, 1877.
1011. To Richard Bennett, of Derby, in the county of Derby, Brick Manufacturer, and William Sayer, of Hopton, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for pressing bricks, tiles, quarries, and other similar articles formed of clay or other plastic material."
1012. To Thomas Black, of Liverpool, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in safety valves, and in the apparatus or means connected therewith."
1013. To Russel Aitken, of 36, Great George-street, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces for melting steel, and for metallurgical and other operations, and for producing coke."
1014. To Charles Harris, of the firm of Skidmore & Harris, of the city of Manchester, Paper Manufacturers, and Joseph Fletcher, of the same place, Foreman in the employ of the said firm, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for the manufacture of paper bags."
1015. To Edward Jamieson and Henry Collins, both of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in, and apparatus for, shrinking textile fabrics."
1016. To Bernard Lietar, of Molembeck, Saint Jean, near Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in safety lamps for burning petroleum oil."
1018. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improved apparatus for buoying horses in water."—A communication to him from abroad by Feodor de Zubovits, of Vienna, Austria, Lieutenant of the Royal First Honved Hussars.
1019. To Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in braces and frames for rollers for calendering and similar machinery."—A communication from Friedrich Voith, of the firm of T. M. Voith, a person resident at Heidenheim, in the Kingdom of Württemberg.
1020. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved musical wind-instrument."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas Zach, of Vienna, Austria, Manufacturer of Musical Instruments.
1023. To Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agent, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for electro-plating wire."—A communication to him from abroad by William Wallace, of Ansonia, in the county of New Haven and State of Connecticut, United States of America, Manufacturer.
1024. To John Lacey, of No. 2, Maugham-terrace, Penarth, in the county of Glamorgan, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for stopping up or closing the tubes of steam boilers and parts of the tube plates."
1025. To Auguste Pierre Potel, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in chairs for connecting the rails of railways and trainways to metal, and other sleepers."
1026. And to Alexander Wilson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for the invention of "an improved mode of manufacturing armour plates."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of March, 1877.
1029. To John Rogers, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, Felt Mill Manager, for the invention of "improvements in the preparation of fibrous and filamentous substances for manufacture, and in machinery therefor."
1033. To James Livesey, of No. 9, Victoria-chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in filters for water and air."
1037. To Henry John Cubitt Keymer, of Norwich, in the county of Norfolk, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of brooms and brushes, and in apparatus for the same."
1039. To John Charles Wilson, of No. 8, Grove Park, Redland, in the city of Bristol, for the invention of "improvements in tram cars."
1041. To Henry Witton, of Hanover-street, St. Peter's-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the actions of pianofortes."
1043. To William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for splitting or rending wood for laths, rails, fire-wood, and other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Hyppolite André, fils, of St. Pancras (Vaucluse), France.
1045. To William Farvis, of the city and county of Bristol, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for opening and shutting window sashes, 'lights' and casements in greenhouses, factories, and other buildings."

1047. And to Richard Russell Gubbins, Engineer, and James Whitestone, Civil Engineer, both of Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in valves and in the machinery used for grinding the seats of such valves and other articles requiring such an operation."
On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of March, 1877.
1051. To John Piddington, of Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "an improvement in breech loading fire arms."—A communication to him from abroad by Auguste Francotte, of Liège, in the Kingdom of Belgium.
1053. To John Morris, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of union joints for hose pipes."
1055. To Samuel Cunliffe Lister, Manufacturer, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing & combing fibrous material."
1057. To George Hopewell, of Topsham, near Exeter, in the county of Devon, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in fire bars and bearing bars for steam boilers and other furnaces."
1059. To Thomas Granville Sharp McCarthy, of No. 12, Montpelier-row, Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in invalid beds, couches, and chairs."
1061. To William Spence, of 8, Quality-court, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of umbrellas."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Macé, of Paris, France, Manufacturer.
1063. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in gas motor engines."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Wertheim, of Bornheim, near Frankfort-on-the-Main, Germany.
1065. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for the manufacture of artificial fuel, and for other similar purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Albert Michel Jouët-Pastré, Manager of the Société Nouvelle des Forges et Chantiers de la Méditerranée, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1067. To John Knight Stead, of the firm of J. Knight Stead and Company, of the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in bulls eye lanterns."
1069. To William Goad Threlfall, Cotton Spinner, William Wainman, Manager, and Thomas Farrington, Carder, all of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for carding cotton and other fibrous substances."
1071. To John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in arranging and applying propelling apparatus to boats or vessels for navigating rivers and canals."—A communication to him from abroad by Paul Jacquél, Engineer, Paris, France.
1073. And to George Oswald Murry, of Woolwich, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in fire escapes and ladders." On their several petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of March, 1877.
1075. To James Gledhill, of No. 41, Flint-street, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, Surveyor, for the invention of "improvements in carts to facilitate the reception, conveyance, and discharge of road sweepings, sewage, liquid manure, water, and other matters."
1079. To Frederick William Schäfer, of Golden-square, London, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in pocket scissors."
1083. To John Bromilow, Manager of Steel Furnaces, Newton, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in purifying iron and in 'regenerative' heating arrangements or apparatus therefor, and for otherwise applying high temperatures."
1085. To John Keats, of Wood Green, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machinery."
1093. And to William Webster, of San Francisco, State of California, United States of America, now of Dundee, Scotland, for the invention of "improvements in and relating to over-edge stitch sewing machines, chiefly designed for the manufacture of sacks and similar articles."
On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of March, 1877.
1097. To Samson Fox, of the Leeds Forge, Leeds, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction or formation of metal plates for internal flues and fireboxes of steam boilers."
On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of March, 1877.
1101. To William Ford Smith and Arthur Coventry, of Gresley Iron Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers and Tool Makers, for the invention of "improvements in lathes."—A communication to them from abroad by William S. Cooper, of the firm of Cooper, Jones, and Cadbury, of Philadelphia, United States.
1105. And to George Bohn, Civil Engineer, of Kingston-upon-Hull, and William Smith, Consulting Engineer, of Salisbury-street, Adelphi, London, for the invention of "improved apparatus for taking sounding at sea, and for indicating the depth of liquids under various conditions."
1107. To Clapham Holmes, Israel Pearson, William Henry Murton, and Nathan Midgley, all of Keighley, in the county of York, Machine Makers, for the invention of "improvements in washing machines."
1111. And to Gerard Wenzeslaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of "J. Brandt & G. W. v. Nawrocki," Civil Engineers and Patent Agents, of Berlin, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in spinning machinery."—A communication from Heinrich Moritz Schön, of Crimmitschau, in Germany aforesaid.
On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of March, 1877.

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 24th day of March, 1877.

955. Harry Barrett, of 2, Brecknock-road, Camden-road, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "a new or improved detachable spring brooch back."—Dated 18th March, 1874.
958. John Bailey, of the city of Dublin, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for working and locking points on railways."—Dated 18th March, 1874.
960. Benjamin Wood, of No. 40, Trinity-square, Southwark, in county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in cases or boxes, and in arrangements of flaps or leaves thereon or thereto for exposing advertisement and other sheets or things."—Dated 18th March, 1874.
961. Cesare Carobbi and Giuseppe Bellini, both of Pistoja, Tuscany, in the Kingdom of Italy, for an invention of "improvements in locomotive and other motive power engines to be worked by means of atmospheric air compressed by the combustion of fulminating matters."—Dated 18th March, 1874.
964. Edward Fanning Kingsley, of No. 3, Bedford-place, Russell-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "an improved telegraph."—Communicated to him from abroad by Merritt Gally, of Rochester, New York State, United States of America.—Dated 19th March, 1874.
967. Joseph Tangye, of Ticknell Bewdley, in the county of Worcester, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for raising or lifting the permanent way of railways, and for lifting heavy bodies for various purposes."—Dated 19th March, 1874.
968. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "an improved thrust-bearing for screw-propeller shafts."—From abroad by Cornelius Godfrey, of Huntington, New York, United States of America.—Dated 19th March, 1874.
969. Joseph Evans, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in anvils."—Dated 19th March, 1874.
976. Elizabeth Marriott, of Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "an improved artificial fuel."—The said invention has been communicated to her from abroad by John Thompson Dudley, of Sydney, New South Wales.—Dated 19th March, 1874.
977. Thomas Moy, of 37, Farringdon-street, in county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in rings, applicable to pistons and valves."—Dated 19th March, 1874.
979. William Edgar Prall, of the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, and United States of America, for an invention of "an improved method of and apparatus for utilising compressed air in the management of railways, in signalling trains, elevating water, protecting telegraph wires, and for other purposes."—Dated 19th March, 1874.
983. John Tugwood, of Beale-street, Dunstable, in the county of Bedfordshire, for an invention of "improvements in railway keys for securing railway line in chairs, and in the cement employed, which is applicable to similar purposes and to structures."—Dated 20th March, 1874.
984. Edwin Heywood, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in self-acting temples for looms."—Dated 20th March, 1874.
985. Joseph James Coleman, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention "improvements in the preparation of fibres for spinning and weaving operations."—Dated 20th March, 1874.
987. Alexandre Thuillard, of Paris, in the Department of the Seine, and Republic of France, Veterinary Surgeon, for an invention of "improvements in horse-shoes."—Dated 20th March, 1874.
988. Robert May Caffall, of Alton, in the county of Hants, and of No. 75, Fleet-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improved construction of portable and other commodes."—Dated 20th March, 1874.
989. James Davidson Kerr, of Bishopwearmouth, in the county of Durham, Staith Master, for an invention of "a self trimming apparatus adapted for loading vessels with coal, broken stones, grain, or other freight."—Dated 20th March, 1874.
991. John Howard, of Nineteen, Peckham-grove, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "a new self acting apparatus for regulating the supply of water, and disinfectant for flushing and disinfecting water closets."—Dated 21st March, 1874.
992. Edward Tyzack, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in securing the handles of table cutlery and other similar articles."—Dated 21st March, 1874.
993. William Lockwood, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in valves for regulating the pressure of steam, air, water, or other fluid."—Dated 21st March, 1874.
994. John Reading, of Harborne, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in attaching or connecting ornaments to collar and other studs, solitaires, and other dress fastenings and articles of jewellery."—Dated 21st March, 1874.
995. William Wilkinson, of Moat Hall, in the county of Salop, Farmer, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of the hood or guard for the drum mouth of thrashing machines, and in fencing or shielding the same."—Dated 21st March, 1874.
998. David Payne, of Otley, in the county of York, Printing Machine Maker, for an invention of "improvements in printing machines."—Dated 21st March, 1874.
1000. John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in book sewing machines."—From abroad by Henry Graham Thompson, of Milford, in the county of New Haven, and State of Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 21st March, 1874.
1002. Arthur Smith, of Pera Lodge, Loughborough-road, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in the means for purifying water, also applicable for preventing incrustation in steam boilers, and for detergent purposes."—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1003. 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 an invention of "a new and improved instrument to be used in war to measure the distance of an enemy by observing the shooting and noting the time between the appearance of the smoke of the gun and hearing the report"—Is a communication from Paul Emile Le Boulengé, a person resident at Liege, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Captain Commander in Belgian Artillery.—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1004. 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 an invention of "a new and improved apparatus for ascertaining and registering the distance which railroad and other carriages have travelled."—It is a communication from Achille Alfred Brunot, a person resident at Amiens, France, Inspector to Northern Railway.—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1006. Robert Milburn, of 76, Church-lane, White-chapel, in the county of Middlesex, and Henry Jackson, of 16, Park-square, Leeds, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in steam generators, and in the fire-grates of steam-generators and some other furnaces, applicable in part to water heating apparatus."—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1007. Gustave Adolphe Danet and Xavier Charles Etienne Feullant, both of No. 10, Rue de Rome, Paris, in the Republic of France, Gentlemen, for an invention of "improvements in the means and apparatus for preserving animal and vegetable matters."—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1008. Victor Lutschaignig, of Trieste, in the Empire of Austria, Professor of Naval Architecture, for an invention of "augmenting and improving the steering-power of screw steamers."—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1010. Eduardo Giampietro, of Naples, in the Kingdom of Italy, Doctor of Medicine, for an invention of "an artificial tympanum."—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1011. Pierre Jean Hendrix, of Zolder, near Hasselt, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Propriétaire, for an invention of an "improved means or appliances for protecting or preserving from explosion lamps, cans and holders, containing petroleum or other explosive liquid or gas."—Dated 23rd March, 1874.
1014. Benjamin Franklin Stevens, of Henrietta-street, Covent Garden, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for facilitating the transport of casks and other articles."—From abroad by William Johnson Reid, of the city of New York, United States of America.—Dated 24th March, 1874.
1016. William Walker Fyfe, of the firm of Walker Fyfe and Company, of Aberdeen, in the county of Aberdeen, North Britain, Brass-founders and Plumbers, for an invention of "improvements in hydraulic rams."—Dated 24th March, 1874.
1019. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in preparing grain for manufacture into flour."—A communication to him from abroad by Oren Fritzzello Cook, of Grand Island, in the county of Colusa, and State of California, United States of America.—Dated 24th March, 1874.
1024. James Evans, of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Tube Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in machinery to be employed in bending or turning up the strips or skelps of metal to be made into tubes."—Dated 24th March, 1874.
1026. Charles Vincent Walker, Fellow of the Royal Society, of Fernside, Red Hill, in the county of Surrey, Telegraph Engineer, for an invention of "an electrical train describer for indicating on a distant dial the names of trains applicable also for other purposes."—Dated 24th March, 1874.

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802. Charles Janicot, of Rue Le Peletier, No. 30, at Paris, Photographer, for an invention of "improvements in producing photographic pictures on tissues or fabrics."—Dated 18th March, 1870.

806. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in crimping machines."—Communicated to him from abroad by Samuel W. Jamison, of New York, United States of America.—Dated 18th March, 1870.

809. James Murdoch Napier, of York-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for running or pouring metals, and for moulding and forming the same."—Dated 18th March, 1870.

810. Sir William Fairbairn, Baronet, of Manchester, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—Dated 18th March, 1870.

813. William Austin, of Greville-street, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Box and Match Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of boxes and cases, and in the modes or means of ornamenting and rendering the same wet-resisting or damp proof."—Dated 18th March, 1870.

814. William Guest, of Great Saffron-hill, Farringdon-road, in the county of Middlesex, Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of ropes, cords, and wire-ropes."—Dated 18th March, 1870.

816. Thomas Keely, of the firm of Keely, Shaw, and Lambert, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Manufacturers, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of looped fabrics."—Dated 19th March, 1870.

819. George Wakefield Fox, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Colliery Furnisher, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of cod liver, castor, and other medicinal oils, in order to render the same more palatable."—Dated 19th March, 1870.

823. James Staniland Stocks and Benjamin Stocks, of Leeds, in the county of York, Leather Dressers, and Samuel Hutchinson, of the same place, Manager, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for scouring and shaving hides, skins, or leather."—Dated 19th March, 1870.

835. Jesse Ascough, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of candles, and in apparatus to be employed therein."—Dated 21st March, 1870.

846. Sidney Stevens Turner, of Westborough, in the county of Worcester, State of Massachusetts, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in machines for sewing straw."—Dated 22nd March, 1870.

847. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in locomotion, and in the means to be employed therein."—Communicated to him from abroad by Nicolas Joly, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Chemist.—Dated 22nd March, 1870.

856. William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of bars, plates, and sheets of steel, or steel and iron combined, and in the process of welding employed in such manufacture."—Communicated to him from abroad by John Absterdam, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, Scientific and Mechanical Engineer.—Dated 23rd March, 1870.

863. Henry Richardson Fanshawe, of the Patent Office, No. 14, Finsbury-place, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist, and William Henry Smith, of No. 12, St. Ann's-gardens, Haverstock Hill, in the same county, Arist, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of hides and skins, in tanning and otherwise utilizing all portions or pieces thereof, and in the treatment of goods already tanned."—Dated 24th March, 1870.

867. Gustav Adolph Buchholz, of Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improved machinery for manufacturing semolina and flour."—Dated 24th March, 1870.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Master of the Rolls.

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

BY an Order made by the Master of the Rolls in the above matters, dated the 24th day of March, 1877, on the petition of the above-named Horrocks and Company Limited, it was ordered that the said Horrocks and Company Limited be wound up by this Court under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

J. Rand Bailey, 8, Tokenhouse-yard, London, Solicitor for the above-named Company, the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Trust Association Limited.

BY an Order made by his Honour the Master of the Rolls in the above matters, dated the 24th day of March, 1877, on the petition of William Weatherall Wilson and Thomas Wilson, both of 103, Cheapside, in the city of London, Wholesale Stationers, trading under the style or firm of William Wilson and Co., it was ordered that the said Trust Association Limited be wound up by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867. And it was ordered that the costs of the petitioners of the said petition be taxed by the Taxing Master, and be paid out of the assets of the said Association.

Truefit and Gane, 54 $\frac{1}{2}$, Bishopsgate-street Within, London, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Regent Iron-works Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Master of the Rolls has fixed Tuesday, the 10th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his

chambers, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

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

In the Matter of the Vale Mill Cotton Spinning, Manufacturing, and Mining Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon has fixed Tuesday, the 10th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his chambers, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

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Printing (including Paper) certain Reports for Presentation to Parliament, and Books and Pamphlets, for the Public Service in Scotland.

Samples of the Paper and Printing, with relative particulars of Contract and descriptive Schedules, may be seen, and forms of tender obtained at the Stationery Office, Princes-street, Storey's Gate, between the hours of ten and four, down to the 14th of May next, and on the following day (the 15th of May, 1877), by twelve o'clock noon, tenders must be delivered at this address.

H. M. Stationery Office, Princes-Street,
Storey's Gate, Westminster, March 17, 1877.

BRUSHES, BROOMS, MOPS, &c.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, March 21, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Monday, the 9th April, for about

- 10,000 Hair Brooms.
- 25,000 Birch-Brooms.
- 34,000 Bass Brooms.
- 20,000 Bass Deck Scrubbers.
- 67,000 Bass Hand Scrubbers.
- 5,200 Hair Hand Scrubbers.
- 6,800 White Wool Mops.
- 4,500 Coloured Worsted Mops.
- 23,500 Paint, &c., Brushes.
- 6,000 Flue and Tube Brushes.
- 5,500 Tar Brushes.
- 9,000 Whitewash Brushes.
- 2,000 Clothes Brushes.
- 7,000 Shoe Brushes.
- 5,200 Dust or Sweep Brushes.
- 2,300 Button Brushes.

and quantities of

Hair Pencils, Steel Graining Combs,
Banister, Hearth, Plate, Crumb, Stove, Clamp,
and Flating Brushes.

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 on personal application at this Office, or to Mr. A. E. Rule, Royal Small Arms Repair-

ing Factory, Bagot-street, Birmingham, or by letter addressed to "The Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

WOODEN CASES.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, March 20, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Thursday, the 5th April, for

- 10,000 Tin-lined Biscuit Cases.
- 12,000 Chocolate Cases.
- 15,000 Soap Cases.
- 1,684 Packing Cases.
- 24 Mahogany Water-Closet Boxes.

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Forms of tender containing all particulars, may be obtained on personal application at this office, or by letter addressed "The Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

MIXED PAINTS, DRY COLOURS. ACIDS, NAPHTHA, SPIRITS, POLISH, SODA, SODA ASH, &c. SHEET AND PLATE GLASS AND ILLUMINATORS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, March 23, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Thursday, the 5th April, for about

- 6,500 cwt. Mixed Paints, Quantities of Colours and Drysaltery.
- 490 cwt. Sulphuric, Muriatic, and Nitric Acids.
- 266 cwt. Powdered Litharge.
- 480 gals. Mineral Naphtha.
- 1,000 gals. Methylated French Polish.
- 650 gals. Methylated Spirit.
- 72 cwt. Potash.
- 230 cwt. Rosin.
- 83 cwt. Borax.
- 88 cwt. Sal Ammoniac.
- 535 cwt. Common Soda.
- 1,200 cwt. Soda Ash.
- 1,700 Prismatic, Convex, and Flat Illuminators (Deck and Side Lights).
- 2,000 panes British Sheet Glass, Thirds.
- 10,000 panes British Plate Glass, Ordinary Glazing.

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Forms for the Glass may also be obtained on personal application to Mr. A. E. Rule, Royal Small Arms Repairing Factory, Bagot-street, Birmingham, where patterns of the Illuminators may be seen.

CUTLERY, &c., CANDLES, TABLE GLASS, TURNERY, AND BASKETS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, March 27, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on the following days, for

- Table Cutlery, } on 13th
- Clasp Knives, Razors, and Scissors, } April.
- Candles, } on 17th April.
- Tables Glass, }
- Turnery, }
- Baskets, }

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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 on personal application at this Office, or by letter addressed "The Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

Patterns of Cutlery can be seen at the Cutlers' Hall, Sheffield; of Table Glass at the Royal Small Arms Factory, Bagot-street, Birmingham, on application to Mr. Rule; and of all articles, except Candles, at the Admiralty Pattern Rooms, 19, Hemming's-row, W.C.

COTTON WASTE, FENTS, AND LAMP WICKS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, March 26, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Monday, the 9th April, for

- 2,740 cwt. Cotton Waste.
- 8,000 yards Printers' Fents.
- 2,490 lbs. Lamp Cotton in Balls, and Wicks for Moderator and other Lamps.

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.

Patterns and forms of tender containing all particulars may be obtained on personal application at this office, to the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Manchester, or by letter addressed "The Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

HARDWARE CONTRACTS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, March 23, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on the undermentioned days, for

- Screws, } on the 6th April.
- Ash Helves, }
- Wire, }
- Tools, } on the 17th April.
- Tin and Japanned Wares, }

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 by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W.," or on personal application to Mr. Rule, Royal Small Arms Factory, Bagot-street, Birmingham; or at the Admiralty Pattern Room, 19, Hemming's-row, Trafalgar-square, W.C.

Patterns of all articles, for which patterns are necessary, can be seen both at the Royal Small Arms Factory, and at the Admiralty Pattern Room.

To the Members of the National Life Assurance Society.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Court of the Members of the National Life Assurance Society will be held at the office of the Society, No. 2, King William-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 9th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the purpose of electing a Director in the room of George Nicholas, Esq., deceased.

By order of the Court of Directors,
Henry John Puokle, Secretary.

To the Members of the National Life Assurance Society.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of the Members of the National Life Assurance Society will, in accord-

ance with the provisions of the Deed of Settlement, be held at the office of the Society, No. 2, King William-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

By order of the Court of Directors,
Henry John Puckle, Secretary.

Rock Life Assurance Company.

15, New Bridge-street, Blackfriars,
London, March 30, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Court of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at this office, on Thursday, the 12th day of April next, at twelve o'clock precisely, for the purpose of making new laws, regulations, and provisions for the Company, or of amending, altering, or repeating all or some part of the existing laws, regulations, and provisions of the Company, so far as regards the compulsory assurances required of Proprietors in respect of their shares, or the payment of fines in lieu thereof. A copy of the Special Resolution, which will be submitted to the Extraordinary General Court upon this subject, pursuant to the recommendations of the Court of Directors of the 16th day of September, 1875, and the 5th day of February, 1877, may be obtained on application at this office.

By order of the Court of Directors,
H. W. Porter, Actuary.

Bradford Newspaper Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the office of the Company, situate in Chapel-lane, in Bradford, in the county of York, on the 23rd day of February, 1877, 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 13th day of March, 1877, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That this Company be voluntarily wound up as and from the 31st day of March, 1877, or such earlier day as the arrangements of the Liquidator may permit; and that Mr. William Stammers Brathwaite Cheveley, of Bradford, in the county of York, Banker, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the said Company."

John Taylor, Chairman.

Walsh, Lovett, and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 10, Ludgate-hill, Birmingham, on the 8th day of March, 1877, it was unanimously resolved:—

1. "That Walsh, Lovett, and Company Limited be wound up voluntarily."

2. "That Mr. Charles Banks Cooper, of Edgbaston, Gentleman, be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing its property."

3. "That the Liquidator be authorised to transfer the Company's business and property to Messrs. William Lovett and Theodore Jackson Walsh, on their discharging all the liabilities of the Company, and repaying to each Shareholder his capital and interest on such terms as have been agreed upon."

And at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 10, Ludgate-hill aforesaid, on the 23rd day of March, 1877, the said Resolutions were

unanimously confirmed.—Dated the 23rd day of March, 1877.

C. B. Cooper, Chairman.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Company will be held at 33, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 3rd day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before the Company, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation with respect thereto that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

E. J. Burgess, Liquidator.

Maugham's Mineral Waters Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of Maugham's Mineral Waters Company Limited, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, 47, Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, on the 7th day of March, 1877, Special Resolutions were duly passed resolving that the Company was thereby declared to be dissolved, and that the affairs thereof be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Richard Collins Smith be and he was thereby appointed Liquidator to carry into effect such voluntary winding up; and that at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the said place, on the 26th day of March, 1877, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed.

R. Collins Smith, Chairman.

Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.

Co-operative Cattle Importation and Meat Supply Association Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Company will be held, under s. 142 of 25 and 26 Vic., cap. 89, at No. 57, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May next, at twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing an explanation from the Liquidator.

Charles Stewart, Liquidator.

The New Mellanear Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the New Mellanear Mining Company Limited will be held at the Company's offices, Bartholomew House, Bartholomew-lane, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 1st day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having laid before it an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 27th day of March, 1877.

John Howard, Liquidator.

The Stanley Kilburn Colliery Company Limited.
In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held on Saturday, the 5th May next, at ten o'clock in the morning, at No. 8, Laurence Pountney-lane, Cannon-street, London, for the purpose of receiving the accounts of the liquidation.

Geo. Edwin Swithinbank, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Thermo-static Cooker and Heat Retention Company Limited, of 271 and 272, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 11th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to William Oscar Tibbetts, of No. 14, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, to prove their debts to his satisfaction, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

William Oscar Tibbetts, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Voluntary Winding up of the Drury Buildings Estate Company Limited.

NOTICE.—The affairs of the Company being fully wound up, a General Meeting of the Company will be held on Tuesday, the 1st day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the offices of the Company, No. 1, Old Hall-street, Liverpool, for the purpose of having an account laid before the meeting showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company been disposed of, and for hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator under sec., 142 of 25 and 26 Vict., c. 89.—Dated 26th March, 1877.

John Bouch, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, William Wicks and Vincent Radley, carrying on business as Boat Builders and Proprietors, at Lea Bridge, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Wicks and Radley, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 25th day of March instant.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

Wm. Wicks.
Vincent Radley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Myers and Walter Curl, carrying on business as Bread Bakers, at the Pack Horse-yard, in Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Myers and Curl, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said William Myers, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

William Myers.
Walter Curl.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Charles Green and Samuel Stembridge, under the firm of Green and Stembridge, at No. 22, Bow-street, Covent Garden, in the trade or business of Pickle and Sauce Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or by the firm will be received and paid by the said Samuel Stembridge, by whom the business will be continued.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

Charles Green.
Samuel Stembridge.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore carried on by Thomas Abraham Atterbury and David Larbey, at Elisha-yard, Old Bethnal Green-road, under the style or firm of Atterbury and Larbey, Chair and Couch Manufacturers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The said Thomas Abraham Atterbury will continue to carry on the same, and will receive all debts due to and pay all debts and claims from the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 26th March, 1877.

Thomas Abraham Atterbury.
David Larbey.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, trading at No. 15, New Cannon-street, Manchester, as Paper Merchants, under the style of Stones and Foster, expired, by effluxion of time, on the 18th day of March instant. It is mutually arranged that all debts owing to and by the concern will be received and paid by the undersigned Jeffrey Stones.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

Jeffrey Stones.
George Foster.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Ebenezer Holy Parker and Alexander Parker, carrying on the business of Merchants, in George-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the firm of Ebenezer Parker and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alexander Parker, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1877.

Ebenezer Holy Parker.
Alexr. Parker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Peter Laurie, Frederick Henry Milbank, Victor Chevalley de Rivaz, and Alfred St. George McAdam Laurie, as Stock and Share Brokers, carried on at No. 22, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Laurie, Milbank, and Co., was, on the 30th day of September, 1876, dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Frederick Henry Milbank, who at that date retired therefrom. And notice is hereby further given, that the said partnership will be henceforth carried on by the said Robert Peter Laurie, Victor Chevalley de Rivaz, and Alfred St. George McAdam Laurie alone, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

Robt. P. Laurie. V. C. de Rivaz.
F. H. Milbank. A. St. G. McA. Laurie.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Thomas Leigh and William Richardson, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Mineral Water Manufacturers, carrying on business there under the style or firm of Thomas Leigh and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Leigh, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 19th day March, 1877.

Thomas Leigh.
William Richardson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Powell and Henry Green, as Railway and General Carriers, at Neath and elsewhere, under the style or firm of Powell and Green was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business of the said late partnership will henceforth be carried on by the said William Powell alone, and on his own account, and that all debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Powell.—Dated this 15th day of March, 1877.

Wm. Powell.
Henry Green.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Harris and James Thomas, carrying on business as Lace and Trimming Manufacturers and General Fancy Warehousemen, at Nos. 4 and 5, Temple-row, and at the Temple-row end of the Arcade, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the name or style of Harris and Thomas, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or from the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said James Thomas, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

Francis Harris.
James Thomas.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, as Mount Cutters and Dealers in Works of Art, and carried on by us at No. 18, Nassau-street, Middlesex Hospital, in the county of Middlesex, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that all moneys owing to and all debts due from the late partnership will be received and paid by Hugh Kemp, by whom, in future, the said business will be carried on.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

Hugh Kemp.
Edward Kemp.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Chapman and William Mathews, carrying on business as Licensed Victuallers, at the Green Man and French Horn Public House, Dean-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Mathews and Chapman, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said William Mathews, who will henceforth carry on the said business on his separate account.—Dated the 16th day of March, 1877.

*W. Chapman.
W. Mathews.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Wright and William Mallinson, who have carried on the trade or business of Veneer Cutters and Veneer Merchants, under the style of John Wright and Co., at Arlington Wharf and Union Wharf, New North-road, in the county of Middlesex, was, on the 18th day of February, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts owing by and due to the said firm will be respectively paid and received by the undersigned John Wright.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

*John Wright.
Wm. Mallinson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, James Perry and William Thomas Hosey, as Polish and Varnish Makers and Shellac Bleachers, carrying on business under the style or firm of Perry and Hosey, at No. 6, High-street, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 19th day of March, 1877.

*James Perry.
William T. Hosey.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Elias and Thomas Morgan Phillips, carrying on business together as Brewers, at Abercarn, in the county of Monmouth, under the firm of Elias and Phillips, was, on the 14th day of July, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

*John Elias.
T. M. Phillips.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Robert Robinson Dodds, of Norman Grove, Longsight, in the city of Manchester, William Syme Mackie, of 19, Albany-square, Seedley, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, George Carrington, of 106, Bury New-road, in the said city, and William Lister, of 150, Broughton-road, Salford aforesaid, carrying on business at Market-street-chambers, in the said city, as Publishers, under the style or firm of Dodds and Mackie, is dissolved as from this date. And that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Robert Robinson Dodds and George Carrington, under the style or firm of Dodds and Carrington. And that all debts due to and owing from the said late firm of Dodds and Mackie will be received and paid by the said firm of Dodds and Carrington.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

*Robert Robinson Dodds. George Carrington.
Will. S. Mackie. W. Lister.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting betwixt us the undersigned, Thomas Middleton and James Middleton, carrying on business at the Victoria Ironfoundry, Rolfe-street, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, as Ironfounders, and at the Britannia Works, Brook-street, Smethwick aforesaid, as Bedstead Manufacturers, under the style or firm of T. and J. Middleton, 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 James Middleton, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

*Thomas Middleton.
James Middleton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Stephenson Rowntree, Joseph Rowntree, Thomas Hills, and William Rowntree, as Grocers and Tea Dealers, at Nos. 26, 27, and 28, Pavement, in the city of York, and No. 1, Watson-street, Holgate-road, in the suburbs of the city of York, under the style or firm of Rowntree, Hills, and Co., was dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as the said Joseph Rowntree was concerned, on the 1st day of January last.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

*John Stephenson Rowntree. Thomas Hills.
Joseph Rowntree. William Rowntree.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Pollard, Edmund Ackroyd, John Charles Foster, and Joseph Robert Leves, carrying on business in copartnership together as Stuff Merchants, at 27, Bentley-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Piccadilly, Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster, and at 91, Watling-street, in the city of London or elsewhere, under the style or firm of Joshua Pollard, Son, and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on under the style or firm of Ackroyd, Foster, and Co., by the said Edmund Ackroyd, John Charles Foster, and Joseph Robert Leves alone, by whom all debts and accounts due to and from the said partnership will be received and paid.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

*Henry Pollard. John Charles Foster.
Edmund Ackroyd. J. R. Leves.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, William Lancefield and Thomas James Wentworth, who carried on the business of Hide and Skin Salesmen, under the style or firm of Samuel Cook and Co., at the Bermondsey Skin Market, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 24th day of March, 1877. And the said business will be continued by the said William Lancefield alone, at the Bermondsey Skin Market aforesaid, as heretofore, and he will receive all debts due to and pay all debts owing from the late firm.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

*William Lancefield.
T. J. Wentworth.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Crossley Ward and William Henry Shore, carrying on business as Cabinet Makers, under the style of Ward and Shore, at Beaver-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Thomas Crossley Ward, by whom the business will in future be carried on on his own account.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

*Thomas Crossley Ward.
William Henry Shore.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, John Portsmouth and Francis William Jerrard, lately carrying on business as Grocers, Bakers, Drapers, and Outfitters, at Chievely, near Newbury, in the county of Berks, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 24th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 15th day of March, 1877.

*John Portsmouth.
Francis W. Jerrard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by William Walkinton and William Marmaduke Walkinton, under the firm of Walkinton and Son, at Tenby, in the county of Pembroke, in the trade or business of Chemists and Druggists, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 21st day of March, 1877.—As witness our hands this 27th day of March, 1877.

*William Walkinton.
William Marmaduke Walkinton.*

WE, the undersigned, Charles Gregson and Robert Fielding, both of Southport, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Gregson and Fielding, as Joiners and Builders, at 75, William-street, Southport aforesaid, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said Robert Fielding, who will receive and pay all debts due and owing to and by the late firm of Gregson and Fielding.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

*Charles Gregson.
Robert Fielding.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Tipping and Henry Cochrane, carrying on business as Fustian Manufacturers, at No. 7, York-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Tipping, Cochrane, and Co., was dissolved, on the 31st day of January last, by mutual consent. All accounts due to and owing by the said concern will be received and paid by the said William Tipping, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

*W. Tipping.
H. Cochrane.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, William Poole and Matthew Larcombe, carrying on business as Ironfounders, at Sidmouth, in the county of Devon, under the style or firm of Poole and Larcombe, was dissolved this day by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Poole, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated the 20th day of March, 1877.

William Poole.
Matthew Larcombe.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Edward James Ruegg and James Hollis Randell, in the trade or business of Coal Merchants, carried on by them at Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of Ruegg and Randell, has been dissolved by mutual consent. And notice is hereby also given, that all the assets and liabilities of the copartnership trade have become and are the sole property of the said Edward James Ruegg, by whom all claims on the copartnership will be discharged, and to who all moneys due to the copartnership are to be paid.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

Edward Jas. Ruegg.
J. Hollis Randell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Glover the younger, James Glover the younger, and William Leggott, as Worsted Spinners, at Ripley's Mills, Bowling, near Bradford, in the county of York, under the firm of J. and J. Glover and Co., has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said John Glover. And the business will in future be carried on by the said James Glover and William Leggott, in partnership, under the firm of Glover and Leggott.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

John Glover, jun.
James Glover, jun.
Wm. Leggott.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Bracher and Edward Northcott Smith of Cranborne, in the county of Dorset, Grocers and Drapers, carrying on business at Cranborne aforesaid, under the firm of Bracher and Smith, was, on the 1st day of March, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Bracher, by whom the said business will in future be carried on, on his own account.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

Edward Bracher.
Edward Northcott Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Hannah and Elizabeth Boardman, now carrying on business at 198, Derby-street, Bolton, and formerly at Bradshaw-gate, Bolton, as Outfitters and Dealers in Ladies' and Children's Underclothing, under the style or firm of Hannah and Elizabeth Boardman, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Elizabeth Boardman, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

Hannah Boardman.
Elizabeth Boardman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Joseph Pedley, Samuel Carpenter Stevens, and Walter Wright Stevens, trading as Pedley and Stevens, of Bull-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Wholesale Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as relates to the said Walter Wright Stevens. All debts due and owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said George Joseph Pedley and Samuel Carpenter Stevens, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 13th day of March, 1877.

George Jos. Pedley.
Samuel Carpenter Stevens.
Walter Wright Stevens.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Bromley and Benjamin Twigg, carrying on business as Engineers and Millwrights, at Belinda-street and Church-street, Hunslet, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Bromley and Twigg, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the undersigned, John Bromley, who will receive and pay all debts due to and from the late partnership.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

John Bromley.
Benj. Twigg.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Stone, Samuel Sharp, Henry Story Perrin, and Rowland Neate Perrin, as Wholesale Warehousemen and Outfitters, at Old Change, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Sharp, Perrin, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 23rd day of December, 1876, so far as regards the undersigned, Thomas Stone, who retires from the said firm. All debts owing to and by the said firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, Samuel Sharp, Henry Story Perrin, and Rowland Neate Perrin, who will henceforth carry on the said business on their own account, under the same style or firm of Sharp, Perrin, and Co.—As witness the hands of the said parties this 28th day of March, 1877.

Thomas Stone.
Samuel Sharp.
Henry S. Perrin.
Rowland N. Perrin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Goode, and Thomas Gilbert, as Innkeepers and Pork Butchers, at Rugby, in the county of Warwick, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said William Goode, by whom the business will henceforth be carried on alone.—Witness our hands this 28th day of March, 1877.

William Goode.
Thomas Gilbert.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Webb and Edward Grew, as Factors and Commission Agents, at Summer-row, Birmingham, under the firm of Webb and Grew, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All the debts and engagements of the partnership will be paid and discharged by the said Edward Grew, who is also entitled to receive all debts owing to the firm.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

John Webb.
Edwd. Grew.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on between us the undersigned, Joseph Fawcett and Thomas George Greenwell, at No. 50, West Sunnyside, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, as Shipowners and Shipbrokers, under the style or firm of Fawcett and Greenwell, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 17th day of March, 1877.

Joseph Fawcett.
Thomas G. Greenwell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto carried on by us the undersigned, as Coach Builders, in Read-street, North Shields, under the firm of Noble, Bradley, and Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

John Noble.
Peter Bradley.
Joseph Holmes.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between the undersigned, William Naylor and William Clark, as Electro Plate Manufacturers, in Vittoria-street, Birmingham, was determined on the 1st day of January, 1876.—Dated this 16th day of March, 1877.

Wm. Naylor.
William Clark.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned John Driver and Aaron Driver, heretofore carrying on business at Keighley, in the county of York, as Painters and Decorators, under the style of J. and A. Driver, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

John Driver.
Aaron Driver.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Levi Cohen and Alexander Lewis Samuel, in the business of Stock and Share Brokers, carried on at 15, Angel-court, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

Levi Cohen.
Alex. Lewis Samuel.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jesse Carter and Henry John Harvey, at Queen's-road, Weybridge, in the county of Surrey, as Ironmongers, under the style or firm of Harvey and Company, was, on the 19th day of March last, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 20th day of March, 1877.

Jesse Carter.
Henry John Harvey.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Butters and William Burgess, carrying on the business of Licensed Victuallers, at the Goat Public-house, Buckingham Palace-road, in the county of Middlesex, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Thomas Butters.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

Thos. Butters.
Wm. Burgess.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Barclay Reynolds, Charles Henry Reynolds, and Joseph Gurney Fox, carrying on business as Merchants, under the style of Reynolds and Co., at East India-avenue, London, and in Liverpool, and under the style of Pelly and Co., in Bombay, was, on the 31st December last, dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as the said Robert Barclay Reynolds is concerned.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

R. Barclay Reynolds.
C. H. Reynolds.
J. Gurney Fox.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of March 20, 1877.]

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Copartnery of Adam Walker and Company, Ship and Insurance Brokers and Commission Merchants, Glasgow and London, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been dissolved of mutual consent, under amicable arrangement, as upon the 16th March, 1877.

The Subscriber, James Donald, is authorized to collect all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by, the late firm.

The Subscriber, Adam Walker, will continue the business in London, for his own behoof, under the old firm or style of Adam Walker and Company, and the said James Donald will continue the business in Glasgow, for his own behoof, under the firm or style of Walker, Donald, and Company.

Adam Walker.
James Donald.

JOHN ROBERTSON, Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.

PETER S. YOUNG, Law-Clerk, Glas-
gow, Witness.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of March 27, 1877.]

THE Company of R. Maconechy and Company, Metal and Chemical Merchants and Agents, in Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the only Partners, has been dissolved, of mutual consent, as on 30th December, 1876.

The Subscriber, Mr. Maconechy, who continues the business for his own behoof, will collect the debts due to, and pay the debts due by, the Company.

R. Maconechy.

ARTHUR FORBES, Writer, 146, Buchanan-
street, Glasgow,

HUGH M'VEAN, Clerk - at - Law, 146,
Buchanan street, Glasgow,

Witnesses to the Signature of Robert
Maconechy.

Thomas Richardson.

W. W. TENNANT, Farmer, Ballinard,
Co. Tipperary,

EDWARD GREENE, Groom, Ballinard,
Co. Tipperary,

Witnesses to the Signature of Thos.
Richardson.

SAM ODDY, 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 Sam Oddy, late of Bradford, in the county of York, Painier and Paperhanger (who died on the 18th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, on the 20th day of October, 1876, by William Oddy, Richard Dobson Holgate, in the said will called Richard Holgate, and Thomas Johnson, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the who's estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the said estate, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or

demand they should not then have had notice; and all persons indebted to the said Sam Oddy, deceased, are requested immediately to pay such debts to the said executors at No. 55, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Popplewell's-chambers,
9, Market-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said
Executors.

JOHN BARK, 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 John Bark, late of No. 12, Priestman-terrace, Manningham, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 19th day of December, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, on the 8th day of January, 1877, by Susannah Ambler Sharp, Moses Sharp, and John Crowther, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 26th day of April next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the whole estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the said estate, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Popplewell's-chambers,
9, Market-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said
Executors.

Mr. JOSIAH DODGSON, 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 debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Josiah Dodgson, late of Hardington, in the county of Northampton, Managing Director to a Coal, Iron, and Wagon Company (who died on the 14th day of September, 1876, and whose will was, on the 21st day of November, 1876, duly proved in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Northampton, Probate Division, by Alfred Barrowclough, of Morley, near Leeds, the executor therein named), are hereby requested to send in writing, particulars of their respective debts, claims, and demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors acting for the said executor, at our offices, No. 20, Market-square, Northampton, on or before the 25th day of May, 1877; and notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executor will not be answerable or liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

BECKE and GREEN, Northampton, Solicitors to
the Executor.

CHARLES JOSEPH DRIFFIELD, Deceased.

22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35.

ALL creditors and persons having any claim or demand upon the estate of Charles Joseph Driffield, late of Tolleshunt D'Arcy, Essex, deceased (who died on the 3rd October, 1876), are requested to send particulars of such claims to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for Robert Seabrook and William Lawrence Otway, the executors named in the will of the said deceased, on or before the 20th April next, after which day the said executors will proceed to apply the assets of the testator in accordance with his said will, and for the assets so applied they will not be liable to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th of March, 1877.

ALEXANDER M. WHITE, 4, North-hill, Col-
chester, Solicitor for the said Executors.

THOMAS KENDALL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any claims, debts, or demands against or affecting the estate of Thomas Kendall, late of Wiloughby-street, Lenton, in the county of Nottingham, Forging Smith (who died on the 13th day of February, 1876, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted, on the 29th day of February, 1876, by Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at the District

Registry thereof at Nottingham, to Mary, the wife of Byron Burgoyne, of Lenton aforesaid), are requested to send written particulars of such claims, debts, or demands to the said Mary Burgoyne, before or on the 1st day of May next, after which date the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which she shall then have had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim, debt, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of March, 1877.

GEORGE BELK, 7, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, Solicitor.

SAVILLE ALLWOOD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any claims, debts, or demands against or affecting the estate of Saville Allwood, late of the town of Nottingham, Coal and Timber Merchant (who died on the 16th day of February, 1877, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted, on the 10th day of March, 1877, by Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at the District Registry thereof at Nottingham, to me, the undersigned, one of the executors in the said will named), are requested to send written particulars of such claims, debts, or demands to me, on or before the 1st day of July, 1877, after which date I, as such executor, shall distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice; and that I shall not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim, debt, or demand I shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

GEORGE BELK, 7, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, Solicitor.

The Right Honourable Sir JOSEPH LITTLEDALE, Knt., 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 upon or against the estate of the Right Honourable Sir Joseph Littledale, Knt., late of Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, formerly one of the Justices of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench, deceased (who died on the 26th day of June, 1842, and whose will, with seven codicils thereto, was proved in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, on the 4th day of July, 1842, by Sir John Patteson, Knt., Peregrine Dealtry, John Palfrey Burrell, Edward Littledale, and Thomas Coventry, five of the executors therein named, all of whom are now deceased), are required to send the particulars of such claims and demands to Mr. Robert Summers, of 5, New Bridge-street, in the city of London, on behalf of himself, as the surviving general executor, and of Harold Littledale, Esq., and the Reverend Thomas Staniforth, as the executors (limited to the estate of the said Sir Joseph Littledale, deceased) of the will of the above-named Thomas Coventry, who died on the 19th day of April, 1869, and who was the last surviving executor of the said testator, Sir Joseph Littledale, on or before the 26th day of April, 1877, after which time the assets of the said Sir Joseph Littledale, deceased, now remaining undistributed will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for any claim or debt of they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 26th day of March, 1877.

SUTCLIFFE and SUMMERS, 5, New Bridge-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

PHILLIP JAMES PICKERING, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any debts or claims against or upon the estate of Phillip James Pickering, late of the city of Coventry, Wine Merchant, deceased (who died on the 19th day of November, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Birmingham, on the 7th day of December, 1876, by Mary Westall (wife of Richard Westall, of Stoke Priory, near Bronsgrove, Gentleman), Oliver Minster, of the city of Coventry, Gentleman, and Thomas Anstey, of the same city, Banker's Clerk, the sole executors therein named), are hereby required to send in their claims to me, the undersigned, Oliver Minster, No. 27, Trinity Church-yard, Coventry, on or before the 1st day of May next, at

the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Phillip James Pickering among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts or claims only of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim, debts or claims, they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

OLIVER MINSTER, Solicitor to the Executors.

Re WILLIAM GUMMERSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, section 29, 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 affecting the estate of William Gummerson, late of 23, Pavement, in the city of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer (who died on the 10th day of September, 1876, and probate of his will was, on the 18th day of September aforesaid, granted by the York District Registry attached to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, to Stephen Upton, of the city of Lincoln, Law Clerk, James Gummerson, of Castlethorpe Mills, in the county of Lincoln, Corn Miller, and William Henry Gainforth, of the said city of York, Provision Dealer, the three executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims or demands, addressed to the said executors, at the office of us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 10th day of May next. And notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that such executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed as aforesaid, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said William Gummerson are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective debts to the said William Henry Gainforth, at No. 23, Pavement aforesaid, forthwith.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

MANN and SON, 1, New-street, York, Solicitors to the Executors.

Admiral HENRY GOSSET, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Gosset, late of No. 11, Old Quebec-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, an Admiral in Her Majesty's Navy (who died on the 1st day of March, 1877, and whose will was proved, on the 16th day of March last, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Major Arthur Gosset and Captain Arthur Wellesley Gosset, two of the executors therein named), and all others having any claims or demands against the estate of the said Henry Gosset, are to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Dimond and Son, No. 10, Henrietta-street, Cavendish-square, W., on or before the 26th day of April next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have received notice.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

DIMOND and SON, 10, Henrietta-street, Cavendish-square, W.

CATHARINE EVANS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and all other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Catharine Evans, late of Thorneloe House, in the city of Worcester, Widow, deceased (who died on the 21st day of February, 1877, to whose estate administration was granted out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of March, 1877, to Edward Bickerton Evans, of Whitbourne Hall, in the county of Hereford, Esq., the son of the deceased), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of May next, after which day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the deceased's assets among those entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said administrator will not be answerable to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

WORTHINGTON EVANS and COOK, 34, East-cheap, in the city of London, Solicitors to the said Administrator.

WILLIAM BURTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of William Burton, late of Northill, in the county of Bedford, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of August, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Northampton of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 8th day of October, 1875, by Joshua John Malden and Henry Dillamore, two of the executors therein named), are required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to Messrs. Hooper and Co., of Biggleswade, in the said county of Bedford, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable in respect of the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

HOOPER and CO., Biggleswade, Beds., Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re RICHARD SALTNER, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Richard Saltner, late of Scarborough, in the county of York, Livery-stable Keeper, deceased (who died on the 17th day of November, 1876, and whose will was proved by Charles Ezard and Henry Merry Cross, in the District Registry at York of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 6th day of January, 1877), are hereby required, pursuant to the 29th section 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," to send, in writing, particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, William Benson Richardson, the Solicitor of the said Charles Ezard and Henry Merry Cross, at his office, No. 7, Queen-street, in Scarborough aforesaid, on or before the 21st day of April next. And notice is hereby also given, that after the said last-mentioned day the said Charles Ezard and Henry Merry Cross will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Richard Saltner among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands of which they, the said Charles Ezard and Henry Merry Cross, have then had notice; and that they will not be answerable or responsible for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they, the said Charles Ezard and Henry Merry Cross, have not had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

W. BENSON RICHARDSON, 7, Queen-street, Scarborough, Solicitor to the Executors of the late Richard Saltner.

JAMES CHAMBERLIN, 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 against or upon the estate of James Chamberlin, late of the city of Norwich, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Grocer, deceased (who died on the 6th day of December, 1874, and probate of whose will was granted to Henry Trevor, of the city of Norwich, Upholsterer, and Edward Boardman, of the same city, Architect, two of the executors therein named, on the 23rd day of February, 1875, by the Norwich District Registry of the then Court of Probate), are hereby required to send in particulars of such claims or demands to the said Henry Trevor, Post Office-street, Norwich, or to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 30th day of April, 1877, and in default thereof the said executors will after that day proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said James Chamberlin, deceased, are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective debts to the said Henry Trevor forthwith.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

J. O. TAYLOR and SONS, Old Bank-buildings, Norwich, Solicitors to the said Executors.

HENRY EDWARD WILLIAMS, Esq., Deceased.
Pursuant to an 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 all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Edward Williams, late of Fairford, in

the county of Gloucester, Esq. (who died on the 21st day of December, 1875, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by Elizabeth Williams, of East End House, Fairford, aforesaid, Widow, and John Francis Greawold-Williams, of Henwick Grange, near the city of Worcester, Esq., the executrix and executor therein named, on the 8th day of June, 1876, in the Gloucester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, Francis Parker, Solicitor to the said executrix and executor, on or before the 23th day of April next; and notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executrix and 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 executrix and executor 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 26th day of March, 1877.

FRANCIS PARKER, 3, Foregate-street, Worcester, Solicitor to the said Executrix and Executor.

Re JAMES HARRIS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Harris, late of Middlesbrough, in the North Riding of the county of York, and of East Coatham, in the same Riding, Sailmaker and Ship Owner, deceased (who died on the 4th day of January, 1877, and whose will was proved by James Hogg, of Middlesbrough aforesaid, Merchant, and Benjamin Coulson Atkinson, of the same place, Coal Fitter, the executors mentioned therein, in the District Registry, at York, attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of February, 1877), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands, addressed to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. John T. Belk and Parrington, Post Office-chambers, Marton-road, Middlesbrough aforesaid, on or before Friday, the 4th day of May 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 the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

JNO. T. BELK and PARRINGTON, Post Office-chambers, Middlesbrough, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN CHARLES ALLAN, 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 other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of John Charles Allan, trading under the style or firm of John Allan and Son, at the Wick Lane Works, Old Ford, and of Engleburgh House, Upper Clapton, both in the county of Middlesex, Paper Stainer, deceased (who died on the 26th day of July, 1876, and whose will and a codicil thereto were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of August, 1876, by Jonathan Crocker, of No. 181, Amlurst-road, Hackney, in the said county of Middlesex, Auctioneer, and James Bennett, of No. 131, City-road, in the said county of Middlesex, Grocer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective debts, claims, and demands to the said Jonathan Crocker and James Bennett, or to us the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 10th day of June, 1877, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and such executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of March, 1877.

G. ASHLEY and TEE, of 7, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN HAMERTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to an 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 all persons having any claims upon the estate of John Hamerton, late of Billand, in the parish of Halifax, and county of York, Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 8th day of May, 1876,

and whose will, with one codicil thereto, was proved on the 21st day of June, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by John Wilkinson, of Beech Grove, in Elland aforesaid, Esq., the sole executor, are required, on or before Saturday, the 5th day of May next, to send to us, the undersigned, the particulars of their claims upon the said estate; and that at the expiration of such time the executor will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated the 24th day of March, 1877.

INGRAM and HUNTRISS, Halifax, Solicitors to the said Executor.

MARIANA JACOBS, 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 persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Mariana Jacobs, late of the Heron's Nest, Forest Gate, Chingford, in the county of Essex, Widow (who died on the 25th day of July, 1872, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 30th day of January, 1875, by Robert Stapleton, James Nash Thurgood, and John Mills, the executors named in the said will), are required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the executors, at our offices, No. 2, Brunswick-place, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 21st day of May next, after the expiration of which time the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they may then have had notice; and they will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

MILLS and LOCKYER, 2, Brunswick-place, City-road, London, Solicitors to the Executors.

Mr. JOHN BROADLEY, 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 all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Broadley, late of Ringstenhalgh, in Clayton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Colour Mixer, deceased (who died on the 11th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Lancaster, on the 16th day of October, 1876, by his executors, John Broadley, of Stansfield, in Calderbrook, in the said county, Chemist, son of the said deceased, and John Broadley, of 35, Enfield-street, in Clayton-le-Moors aforesaid, Printer), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, George William Barlow, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 12th day of May next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

GEO. WM. BARLOW, Dutton-street, Accrington, Solicitor to the Executors.

MARK MORAN, 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 debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Mark Moran, late of Inge-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Hardware Merchant, deceased (who died on the 4th day of March, 1877, and whose will was duly proved by the Reverend Edward Francis Fenn, of Birmingham aforesaid, Clerk, the sole executor therein named, in the District Registry at Birmingham of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of March, 1877), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their respective debts, claims, or demands to the office of the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 12th day of May next, at the expiration of 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 debts, claims, and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for

the assets of the said deceased to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

COLDICOTT and CANNING, 259, Castle-street, Dudley, Solicitors for the said Executor.

HENRY JONES, 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Henry Jones, late of No. 5, Abbey-street, Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, Drover (who died on the 29th day of July, 1876, at No. 5, Abbey-street aforesaid, and whose will was proved on the 4th day of October, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by his sons, William Jones and Benjamin Jones, two of the executors (power being reserved to make the like grant to Henry Prockter, the other executor in the said will named), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 7th day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not have had such notice aforesaid.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

DONNE, ANDREWS, and CO., 1, Prince's-street, Spitalfields, Solicitors for the above-named Executors.

ANNE FARR, 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Anne Farr, deceased, formerly of No. 13, Bouverie-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, and late of No. 14, Silvester-terrace, Walthamstow, in the county of Essex, Widow (who died on the 16th day of October, 1876, at No. 14, Silvester-terrace aforesaid, and whose will was proved on the 22nd day of November, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by her sons, George Thomas Adams Farr and Edgar William Farr, the executors named in the said will), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 7th day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or person of whose claim and demand they shall not then have received notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

DONNE, ANDREWS, and CO., 1, Prince's-street, Spitalfields, Solicitors for the above-named Executors.

WILLIAM JAMES CADETT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of William James Cadett, late of No. 8, Finsbury-chambers, London-wall, in the city of London, Civil Engineer (who died on the 22nd day of October, 1876, at Bisham Park Farm, near Maidenhead, in the county of Berks, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of January, 1877, by George Clark the younger and Thomas James Cadett, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executor, at my office, No. 1, New-inn, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 8th day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed, the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased

are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts respectively to the said executors.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

W. B. BROOK, 1, New-inn, Strand, London, W.C.,
Solicitor to the said Executors.

THOMAS JACKSON MARKHAM, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of Thomas Jackson Markham, late of Grove-street, in the borough of Halifax, in the county of York, Gardener, deceased (who died on the 24th day of September, 1876, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of October, 1876, to Jane Ann Markham, of Silver-street, in Halifax aforesaid, Spinster), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor of the said administratrix, on or before the 10th day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and the said administratrix will not be liable for any part of the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

JOSEPH WALSHAW, Crown-street-chambers,
Halifax, Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

STEPHEN STEVENSON ROGERS, 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 or affecting the estate of Stephen Stevenson Rogers, late of the town of Nottingham, Hosier, deceased (who died on the 20th day of March, 1874, and whose will was proved by Richard Ellison Strahan, Edmund Pratt, and Jesse Hind, the executors therein named, in the Nottingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of June, 1874), are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the executors, on or before the 19th day of April next, and notice is hereby further given, that after the last-mentioned 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 and demands of which they shall have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

WELLS and HIND, Nottingham, Solicitors.

THOMAS BAYLEY, 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 or affecting the estate of Thomas Bayley, late of Lenton, in the county of Nottingham, Fellmonger, deceased (who died on the 9th day of August, 1874, and whose will was proved by Charlotte Bayley, Thomas Bayley, and Joseph Moore, three of the executors therein named, in the Nottingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of December), are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the executors, on or before the 19th day of April next; and notice is hereby further given, that after the last-mentioned 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 and demands of which they shall have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

WELLS and HINDS, Nottingham, Solicitors.

Re HANNAH ELL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Hannah Ell, late of Clifton, in the county of Bedford,

Widow, Butcher and Farmer, deceased (who died on the 31st day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of March, 1877, by Jesse Wilson, of Clifton aforesaid, Farmer, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor of the said executor, the particulars in writing of their claims and demands, on or before the 1st day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall have then had notice; and such executor will not be liable for such assets or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

ARTHUR S. WADE-GERY, Shefford, Beds.,
Solicitor.

MARIA LOUISA HOTCHKYS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the late Maria Louisa Hotchkys, formerly of Blatchborough, in the county of Devon, but late of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Widow, deceased (who died on or about the 7th day of December, 1875, and whose will was proved by Daniel Ames Clarke, of 63, Shakespeare-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, one of the executors therein named, on the 19th day of January, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Daniel Ames Clarke, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 25th day of April; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day 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 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 24th day of March, 1877.

HUGHES and KING, Solicitors, Maidstone.

HARRIET CUTLER, 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 other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Harriet Cutler, late of the town and county of the town of Southampton, deceased (who died on or about the 13th day of January, 1877, and whose will was proved by Edward Cushen, Gentleman, the executor therein named, on the 22nd day of February, 1877, in the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Winchester), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Coxwell, Bassett, and Stanton, of No. 7, Gloucester-square, Southampton, Solicitors, on or before the 9th day of June next, and notice is also hereby given, that after that day 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 assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice.—Dated the 9th day of March, 1877.

COXWELL, BASSETT, and STANTON, 7,
Gloucester-square, Southampton, Solicitors for
the said Executor.

DANIEL RADCLIFFE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, sec. 29, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Daniel Radcliffe, late of Dilston House, Cressington Park, Aigburth, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 7th day of October, 1876, and whose will was duly proved on the 21st day of November, 1876, by Elizabeth Radcliffe and Thomas Henry Love, the executrix and executor therein named, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Liverpool), are hereby required to send in the particulars of such claims and demands to the said executrix and executor, at the office of us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or

before the 30th day of June next, after which date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which such executrix and executor shall then have had notice; and will not afterwards be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

BRADLEY and STEINFORTH, 4, York-buildings, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Executors.

GEORGE CHARMBURY MANN, Deceased.
22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Charmbury Mann, late of No. 2, Walcot-terrace, in the city of Bath, Retired Builder, deceased (who died on the 11th day of February, 1877, and whose will was proved by George Charmbury Mann, of Finedon, in the county of Northampton, Schoolmaster, and me, the undersigned, George Henry Finch, the executors therein named, on the 21st day of March, 1877), are to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to me, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 24th day of May 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 of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

G. H. FINCH, Bridge-chambers, Borough, High-street, Southwark, S.E., Solicitor.

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

In the Matter of the Act 19th and 20th Victoria, chapter 120, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates;" and in the Matter of the Act 21st and 22nd Victoria, chapter 77, intituled "An Act to amend and extend the Settled Estates Act of 1856;" and in the Matter of the Act 27th and 28th Victoria, chapter 45, intituled "An Act to further amend the Settled Estates Act of 1856;" and in the Matter of the Act 37th and 38th Victoria, chapter 33, intituled "The Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Amendment Act, 1874;" and in the Matter of the Act 39th and 40th Victoria, chapter 30, intituled "The Settled Estates Act, 1876;" and in the Matter of a certain Message, Brew-house, Nail-shop, and Garden, situated at Waddam's Pool, in the parish of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, commonly known as No. 64, Hall-street, Waddam's Pool, containing 149 square yards, or thereabouts, settled by the Will of Elisha Whitehouse, late of Cakemore, in the parish of Halesowen, in the county of Worcester, deceased, formerly called the county of Salop.

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 1st day of February, 1877, Hannah Harris, of Rowley Regis, in the county of Stafford, Widow, Henry Robert Harper, of Rowley Regis aforesaid, Surveyor, and Mary Ann Harper, his wife, William Pearson, of Darby Hand, Netherton, in the county of Worcester, Accountant's Clerk, and Sarah Pearson, his wife, and Edith Harris Murray, of Rowley Regis aforesaid, an infant under the age of 21 years, by the said Henry Robert Harper, her guardian and 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 that the conditional agreement, dated the 4th day of January, 1877, and entered into by the said petitioners, of the one part, and John Harper, Absolom Harper, and Edward Harper, all of Dudley, in the said county of Worcester, Iron Merchants, of the other part, for the sale to them of the fee simple of the above-mentioned message and hereditaments at the price of £150, as therein mentioned, the costs of obtaining or endeavouring to obtain, the approbation of this Honourable Court being, by the said agreement, agreed to be borne and paid by them, may be carried into effect under the direction of this Honourable Court, and that all proper directions may be given for carrying out the said sale and conveying the said message, brew-house, nail-shop, and other hereditaments to the said John Harper, Absolom Harper, and Edward Harper. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Wedlake and Letts, situate at 3, Mitre-court, Temple, London.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

WEDLAKE and LETTS, 3, Mitre court, Temple, London; Agents for
BOURNE and OWEN, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

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

In the Matter of the Act 19th and 20th Victoria, chapter 120, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates;" and in the Matter of the Act 21st and 22nd Victoria, chapter 77, intituled "An Act to amend and extend the Settled Estates Act of 1856;" and in the Matter of the Act 27th and 28th Victoria, chapter 45, intituled "An Act to further amend the Settled Estates Act of 1856;" and in the Matter of the Act 37th and 38th Victoria, chapter 33, intituled "The Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Amendment Act, 1874;" and in the Matter of the Act 39th and 40th Victoria, chapter 30, intituled "The Settled Estates Act, 1876;" and in the Matter of a certain Message and Brew-house, Out-buildings, and Garden, situated at Waddam's Pool, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, known as No. 65, Hall-street, Waddam's Pool, containing 149 square yards, or thereabouts, settled by the Will of Mary Whitehouse, late of Cakemore, in the parish of Halesowen, in the county of Worcester, deceased, formerly called the county of Salop.

PURSUANT to the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament and the Consolidated General Order of this Court on that behalf, notice is hereby given, that on the 1st day of February, 1877, Hannah Harris, of Rowley Regis, in the county of Stafford, Widow, and Edith Harris Murray, of Rowley Regis aforesaid, an infant under the age of 21 years, by Henry Robert Harper, of Rowley Regis aforesaid, Surveyor, her guardian and 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 that the conditional agreement dated the 4th day of January, 1877, and entered into by the said petitioners, of the one part, and John Harper, Absolom Harper, and Edward Harper, all of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Iron Merchants, of the other part, for the sale to them of the fee simple of the above-mentioned message and hereditaments at the price of £150 as therein mentioned, the costs of obtaining or endeavouring to obtain the approbation of this Honourable Court being by the said agreement agreed to be borne and paid by them, may be carried into effect under the direction of this Honourable Court, and that all proper directions may be given for carrying out the said sale, and for conveying the above-mentioned message and hereditaments to the said John Harper, Absolom Harper, and Edward Harper. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Wedlake and Letts, situate at 3, Mitre-court, Temple, London.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

WEDLAKE and LETTS, 3, Mitre-court, Temple, London; Agents for

BOURNE and OWEN, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

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

In the Matter of the Settled Estates Act, and of the Acts amending and extending the same; and in the Matter of certain Pieces of Land, part of the Kilburn Park Estate, situate at or near Peel-road, Malvern-road, and Carlton-road, Kilburn, in the parish of Willesden, in the county of Middlesex, containing three roods, or thereabouts, and of a Piece of Land situate in Water-lane, Brixton, in the parish of Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, containing 275 square yards, or thereabouts, all which said Pieces of Land were settled by the Will of Thomas Pitts, deceased.

PURSUANT to the above mentioned Acts of Parliament and the Consolidated General Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, in that behalf, notice is hereby given, that on the 19th day of March, 1877, Thomas Pitts, of No. 56, Hazalrigge-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, Charles Watson, of 5, Devonport-street, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Surveyor, William White, of 345, Oxford street, in the said county, Ironmonger, Sophia Dennes, of 8A, Melina-place, Saint John's Wood, in the said county, Widow, Edgar Thomas Martin Dennes, of 8A, Melina-place, Saint John's Wood aforesaid, an infant, by George James Proctor, of 23, Dane-hill-row, Margate, in the county of Kent, Minister of the Gospel, his guardian and next friend, the said George James Proctor and Emily, his wife, and Bertha Lind Proctor and Ernest Carrington Proctor, both of 23, Dane-hill-row, Margate aforesaid, infants, by the said George James Proctor, their guardian and next friend, presented their Petition to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, to be heard before his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, praying that an Order may be made vesting in the petitioners, Thomas Pitts, Charles Watson, and William White (as the Trustees of the will and codicil of Thomas Pitts, late of 8, Melina-place, Saint John's Wood aforesaid, deceased) general powers of granting building leases, for terms of years not exceeding 99, in possession,

and of entering into preliminary contracts to grant such leases of all or any part or parts of the several pieces of land and hereditaments above mentioned, and that the costs of and incident to the said Petition may be provided for. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Digby and Liddle, situate at 1, Circus-place, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

DIGBY and LIDDLE, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

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

In the Matter of the Act 19th and 20th Victoria, chapter 120, entitled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates," and of the Act 21 and 22 Victoria, chapter 77, entitled "An Act to amend and extend the Settled Estates Act of 1856," and of the Act 27 and 28 Victoria, chapter 45, entitled "An Act to further amend the Settled Estates Act of 1856," and of "The Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Amendment Act, 1874," and of "The Settled Estates Act, 1876," and in the Matter of a piece of Land, being the site of two Messuages, lately numbered 25 and 26, in Foster-buildings, Whitecross-street, in the parish of Saint Luke, county of Middlesex, settled by the Will of William Bailey, late of Chiswell-street, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Tewkesbury Lodge, Forest Hill, in the county of Kent, Auctioneer, 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 21st day of March, 1877, Elizabeth Ann Rosser, the wife of Anthony Rosser, of 59, Penn Road-villas, Holloway, Middlesex, Gentleman, by Vincent Joseph Eldred, of 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Middlesex, Gentleman, her next friend, the said Anthony Rosser, Thomas Briggs, of Springfield, Sydenham, Kent, Gentleman, and Amy Fanny Robarts, his wife, James Briggs, of 9, Eastwood-terrace, Hornsey-road, Middlesex, Gentleman, and Catherine Mary, his wife, Walter Joseph Rosser, of 59, Penn Road-villas aforesaid, Warehouseman, Thomas William Marchant, of High-street, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, and Thomas Fry, of 27, Chiswell-street, London, Auctioneer, presented their Petition to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (to be heard before His Lordship Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall) praying that an Order might be made by the Court approving a contract dated the 13th day of December, 1876, made between the Petitioners, Thomas William Marchant and Thomas Fry, of the one part, and Thomas Mein, of the other part, whereby it was agreed subject to the approval of the Court, that the said Petitioners would, upon request, and at the cost of the said Thomas Mein, as soon as the messages therein described should be completed to the satisfaction of the Surveyor of the said Petitioners, by Indenture of lease demise unto the said Thomas Mein, the said piece of land for the term of 80 years from the 29th of September, 1876, at the rent of £10 10s. for the first year, and thenceforward at the yearly rent of £21, subject to the covenants and conditions therein mentioned, the said Thomas Mein agreeing to pay all costs of obtaining the approval of the Court up to £50, and also praying for the approval of the said lease, the form of which to be granted in pursuance of the said agreement had subject to the approval of the Court been agreed upon between the said Petitioners and the said Thomas Mein, and also praying that the Petitioners, Thomas William Marchant and Thomas Fry, should be directed to execute the said lease as lessors at the time, when according to the said contract such lease ought to be executed, and that notice of that order might be directed to be endorsed on the probate of the will of the said William Bailey, and that the costs of the Petitioners of that application and incident thereto might be taxed by the Taxing Master, and that the amount of such costs when taxed so far as the same exceeded the sum of £50, might be a charge upon the said piece of land and hereditaments thereinbefore described and raised by mortgage thereof, or that the Court would be pleased to make such further or other Order as to the Court should seem meet; and notice is also hereby given, that the Petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Miller, Smith, and Bell, situate at 3, Salters' Hall-court, in the city of London.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

MILLER, SMITH, and BELL, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause of Lamb versus Tilley, 1874, L., 159, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by tender, but subject to a reserve price fixed by the said Judge:—

The stock-in-trade and goodwill, furniture, fittings, fixtures, and effects of the business of an Upholsterer and

Cabinet Maker, carried on by James George Lamb, at Nos. 112 and 114, Curtain-road, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, until his death, and since by Samuel Tilley, and all the interest of the said Samuel Tilley of and in the said leasehold premises, Nos. 112 and 114, Curtain-road aforesaid, and in other leasehold premises adjoining, known as Nos. 1 and 2, Union-street.

Tenders are to be sent in to Mr. Daniel Robert Soames, Solicitor to the executor, of No. 10, Finsbury-place South, E.C., not later than the 21st day of April, 1877. The highest tender will be accepted, but if no tender is sent in up to the reserve price the property will not be sold. Leave to inspect the said premises may be obtained of the said Mr. Daniel Robert Soames, and on the premises, at Nos. 112 and 114, Curtain-road aforesaid.

By Order of the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Re Commonwealth Benefit Building Society. Remunerative Investments, William-street South and St. Dunstan's-road, Stepney.

MR. JAMES GEORGE PREVOST will sell by auction, pursuant to the Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, and with the approbation of his Lordship Sir Charles Hall, the Judge to whose Court this matter is attached, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, Lothbury, E.C., on Thursday, April 26th, 1877, at two o'clock precisely, the following leasehold investments:—

A well-built dwelling-house, being No. 12, William-street South, Stepney, producing £21 9s. per annum, and two well-built dwelling-houses, Nos. 69 and 71, St. Dunstan's-road, Stepney, let to weekly tenants and producing £34 4s. 8d. per annum.

May be viewed by permission of the tenants, and particulars with conditions of sale obtained by Messrs. Nutt and Co., Solicitors, 2, Brabant-court, Philpot-lane, E.C.; H. Baynton, Esq., Official Liquidator, 98, London-wall, E.C.; at the place of sale, and of the Auctioneer, No. 176, Mile End-road, E.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause Woodall v. Woodall and others, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by Mr. John Southwood, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Crown Inn, Hemingborough, in the county of York, on Wednesday, the 18th day of April, 1877, at three for four o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:—

A copyhold dwelling-house, situate at Hemingborough aforesaid, with the outbuildings, orchard, garden, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, containing 1a. 1r. 10r. or thereabouts, and now in the respective occupations of Thomas Woodall and John Lazenby as tenants thereof.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Mr. John Leigh, of 30, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitor; of Messrs. Haigh, Son, and Atkinson, of Selby, in the county of York, Solicitors; of Messrs. Pritchard, Englefield, and Co., of Painters' Hall, Little Trinity-lane, in the city of London, Solicitors; of Messrs. Layton and Jacques, of 8, Ely-place, Holborn, Solicitors, and of the Auctioneer at Selby.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of John Sawdon, deceased, Sawdon v. Loy, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by Mr. William Dobson, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the White Swan Hotel, Pickering, in the county of York, on Thursday, the 26th day of April, 1877, at five for six o'clock in the evening, in one lot:—

Seven freehold cottages adjoining each other with the yards, garden, stable, and other buildings behind the same, situate in Eastgate, in Pickering, in the county of York, containing with the sites of the buildings 3a. 10r. more or less, and now or lately in the several occupations of William Pickering, George Hill, Joseph Malton, Robert Heap, Richard Woods, George Snowdon, and John Boddy.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Mr. Frank Parkinson, of Pickering aforesaid, Solicitor; of Messrs. Collyer-Bristow, Withers, and Russell, of 4, Bedford-row, London, Solicitors, and of the Auctioneer, at his office in Pickering aforesaid.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Francis Tussaud, deceased, between Rebecca Tussaud, Widow, and Francis Curries Tussaud, trustees and executors of the will of Francis Tussaud, deceased, plaintiffs, versus Francis Tussaud, defendant, 1877, T., 13, the creditors and incumbrancers on the real estate of Francis Tussaud, late of 105, Marylebone-road, in the county of Middlesex, Artist, who died in or about the month of August, 1873, are, on or before the 24th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to William John Crump, Esq., of the firm of William A. Crump and Son, of 10, Philpot-lane, in

the city of London, the Solicitor of the above-named plaintiffs, Rebecca Tussaud and Francois Curtina Tussaud, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims or incumbrances, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every creditor and incumbrancer, holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-chambers, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of John Pakenham, deceased, and in an action Pakenham v. Holland, 1876, P. 358, the creditors of John Pakenham, late of Canner, in the department of Alpes Maritimes, in the French Republic, a retired Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Service, who died in or about the month of June, 1876, are, on or before the 30th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Nathaniel Bridges, of No. 23, Red Lion-square, in the county of Middlesex, one of the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir R. Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Jacob Laycock, deceased, Smith against Laycock, 1876, S. 822, the creditors of Jacob Laycock, late of 21, Airedale-square, Bradford, in the county of York, Plasterer, deceased, who died in or about the month of July, 1876, are, on or before the 27th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. F. B. Wilkinson, of Kirkgate, Bradford aforesaid, the Solicitor for the defendants, the executor and executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, at his chambers, situated at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Peter Champion Morton, and a cause Morton against Alexander, the creditors of Peter Champion Morton, late of Whyteleaf-road, Warrington, in the county of Surrey, Contractor, who died in or about the month of September, 1872, are, on or before the 28th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Harry William Christmas, of St. John's-chambers, No. 22, Walbrook, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendants, Edward James Alexander and James Morton, the executors of the will of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on the 16th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 16th day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of August Karl Edward Kettner, deceased, and in a cause Dressler against Kettner, the creditors of August Karl Edward Kettner, late of Nos. 29 and 30, Church-street, and 39, Greek-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, who died on or about the 11th day of February, 1877, are, on or before the 30th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Venn, of No. 15, New-inn, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor of the defendant, Barbe Marie Therese Kettner, the administratrix of the estate and effects of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default

thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 16th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Henry Watts, deceased, and a cause Simey against Watts, 1877, W., No. 48, the creditors of the said Henry Watts, late of No. 353, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Hothouse Builder and Hot Water Engineer, who died in or about the month of January, 1876, are, on or before the 30th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Thomas Simey, of No. 11, Serjeant's-inn, Fleet-street, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor of the defendants, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Thursday, the 10th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Abram Lammas, deceased, Summers v. Lammas, 1876, L. No. 269, the creditors of Abram Lammas, late of London-street, in the city of Norwich, Tea Dealer, deceased, who died on the 29th day of November, 1876, are, on or before the 30th day of April next, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Foster, Burroughs, and Roberts, of the city of Norwich, the Solicitors for the defendants, Mary Lammas and Emma Whincop, the executrices of the will of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames and addresses, with the Christian and surnames of any partners, and their descriptions, the full particulars of their claims or demands, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 14th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated the 28th day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Emily Sarah Mayhew, Widow, deceased, Curting against Lord, 1876, M., No. 360, the creditors of Emily Sarah Mayhew, late of 33, Addison-gardens, South Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, who died in or about the month of November, 1876, are, on or before the 4th day of May, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. James Tee, of the firm of Messrs G. Ashley and Tee, of 7, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the plaintiff, one of the executors of the will of the said Emily Sarah Mayhew, the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Chancery Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, made in the suit of Wood v. Calvert, 1875, W., No. 92, the creditors of Blakey Calvert, late of Clifton Mount, in Manningham, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Esquire, deceased, who died on or about the 17th day of September, 1870, are, on or before, the 30th day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Taylor, Jeffery, and Little, of Bradford aforesaid, Solicitors for the defendants, Sarah Calvert and Richard Nichols, two of the executors of the said Blakey Calvert, deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Thursday,

the 10th day of May, 1877, at twelve of the clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—
Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth, made in an action Egleton against Field, the creditors or claimants against the estate of Michael Field, late of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Chins, Glass, and Earthenware Dealer, who died in or about the month of November, 1876, are, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claim, 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 23rd day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

EDWARD W. WORLEDGE, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In Her Britannic Majesty's Supreme Consular Court,
Constantinople.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Hector de Castro, of No. 51, Ottoman Post Office, Galata, Constantinople, General Merchant and Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Pears and Harvey, at No. 2, Rue de la Banque, Galata, Constantinople, on the 14th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 16th day of March, 1877.

PEARS and HARVEY, Attorneys for the said Hector de Castro.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Composition by William Cullum, of 94, Camberwell-road, in the county of Surrey, Builder.

WHEREAS at a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Cullum, held at the offices of Messrs. May, Sykes, and Batten, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 27th day of September, 1876, in accordance with the provisions of the above Act, it was resolved that a composition of 5s. in the pound on the debts of the creditors be accepted, such composition to be payable within three months from the date of the registration of the said resolutions, and to be secured to the satisfaction of the Chairman and Mr. Richard May, and which resolutions were confirmed at a Second Meeting of the said creditors held on the 9th day of October, 1876, and duly registered; and whereas in pursuance of such resolutions the said William Cullum, by a deed of assignment, dated the 11th day of October, 1876, assigned unto Charles Henry Nalder Lavender, of 34, St. John-street, West Smithfield, in the city of London, and Richard James May, of Acorn-wharf, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Timber Merchant, as Trustees thereof, all the stock-in-trade, plant, and household furniture, and the benefit of all contracts entered into by the said William Cullum, and all other debts, assets, and personal estate of him, the said William Cullum, together with all rights thereto belonging, upon trust to secure the payment of the said composition in pursuance of the said resolutions; notice is hereby given, that all persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of the said William Cullum are required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands within fourteen days from the date hereof to Mr. Richard James May, Acorn-wharf, Old Kent-road aforesaid, at the expiration of which time the said Trustees after paying and providing for the said composition will reassign the residue of the estate to the said William Cullum, and will not be liable for any debts, claims, or demands of which the said Trustees shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877

MAY, SYKES, and BATTEN, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final 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 David Roome, of No. 80, Stoke Newington-

road, in the county of Middlesex, and 61, Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 61, Cheapside, E.C., on and after Monday, the 9th day of April, 1877, and every succeeding Monday, between the hours of eleven a.m. and two p.m.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

FRED. CAPE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.
A FIRST Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Jesse Patterson and James Marsden, of Middleton Junction and the Freehold, Oldham, in the county of Lancashire, and carrying on business at those places, as Builders, under the style or firm of Patterson and Marsden, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 2, Clegg-street, Oldham aforesaid, on and after Saturday next, the 31st instant.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.
A DIVIDEND of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Thomas Brewster, of West-street, Wivenhoe, in the county of Essex, Grocer, Draper, and General-shop Keeper, and will be paid by me, at my office, Head street, Colchester, on and after Saturday, the 7th day of April, 1877, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

EDMD. J. CRASKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3s. 3½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Henry Leeks, of Hall-street, Long Melford, in the county of Suffolk, Builder, and will be paid by me, at my office, Head-street, Colchester, on and after Saturday, the 24th day of March, 1877, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

EDMD. J. CRASKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Hirst, of No. 79, London-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Pork Butcher, and will be paid at the office of Mr. John Farrington, Solicitor, 88, Mosley-street, Manchester, on and after this date.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

GEORGE HIRST, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 5s. 1½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Curnow the younger, of Trungle Farm, in the parish of Paul, in the county of Cornwall, Farmer, and will be paid by me, James Richards Bishop, the Trustee, at the offices of Messrs. Borlase, Milton, and Borlase, Solicitors, 31, Clarence-street, Penzance, on and after the 31st day of March, 1877, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

JAMES R. BISHOP, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
A SECOND and Final Dividend of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Hollingdrake and William Henry Westwood, both of High-road, Well, in Halifax, in the county of York, Boiler Makers, trading as Hollingdrake and Westwood, and will be paid by me, at my office, Square-road, in Halifax aforesaid, on the 7th day of April, 1877, between the hours of two and four o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

JOE SAGAR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Henry Mullinex Hawes, formerly of No. 33, Fort-road, Margate, in the county of Kent, Manager of a Wine Business, but now of 61, Ethelbert-road, Margate aforesaid, out of a situation, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 4, Cecil-square, Margate aforesaid, on and after Saturday, the 31st day of March, 1877, between the hours of ten a.m. and one in the afternoon.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

E. JEFFERY POOLE 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 McEarton M'Callum, of 12, Mac's-place, Fetter-lane, in the city of London, and No. 1, Calthorpe-street, St. Pancras, in the county of Middlesex, Printer.

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. Learoyd, Learoyd, and Peace, Albion-chambers, Moorgate, in the city of London, on the 20th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

LEAROYD, LEAROYD, and PEACE, Albion-chambers, Moorgate, 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 Thomas Paul, of No. 148, Cheapside, in the city of London, Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. F. W. Reynolds, at No. 2, Furnival's-inn, in the city of London, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

FRANK WM. REYNOLDS, 2, Furnival's-inn, 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 James Gibson, of Nos. 292 and 294, Euston-road, in the county of Middlesex, Window Blind Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Ivimey, Solicitor, 8, Staple-inn, Holborn, London, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

HENRY IVIMEY, 8, Staple-inn, Solicitor for the said James Gibson.

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 Creecy, of Portland-street, Wandsworth-road, and No. 50, South Island-place, Lambeth, both in the county of Surrey, Timber Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 18, Great Dover-street, Newington, in the county of Surrey, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

HENRY R. SILVESTER, Solicitor for the said Charles Creecy.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Walter South, of No. 32, Abingdon-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Theatrical 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 offices of Messrs. Lay and Scott, Solicitors, 6, Great Newport-street, St. Martin's-lane, Westminster, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

LAY and SCOTT, 6, Great Newport-street, St. Martin's-lane, 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 Henry Rogers, junior, of No. 11, Clement's-lane, in the city of London, and of Glassmuir, Selhurst-road, South Norwood, in the county of Surrey, trading as Dickinson and Rogers, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

CARR, BANNISTER, DAVIDSON, and MORRIS, 70, Basinghall-street, in the city of 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 George Adams, of Addington-square, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Commercial Clerk, formerly of No. 11, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. D. Good, Pattinson, and Co., Public Accountants, at Nos. 1 and 2, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

CROOK and SMITH, Abchurch-chambers, Abchurch-lane, 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 The Reverend John Fawcett, of No. 99, South Hill-park, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk in Holy Orders, and being part Owner of Copper Mines at Kenwyn, near Redruth, in the county of Cornwall.

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. Whites, Renard, and Co., of No. 30, Little Trinity-lane, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

FREDERIC RENARD, 30, Little Trinity-lane, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Maley, of No. 85, Victoria-road, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Oilman.

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. Smart, Snell, and Company, Nos. 85 and 86, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

ARTHUR C. RYAN, 58, Lincoln's-inn-fields, 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 White, of No. 1, Harley-terrace, Leytonstone, Essex, out of business, late of No. 5, White Post-lane, Hackney Wick, Hackney, Middlesex, Grocer and Cheesemonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Matthew Webb, Barbican-chambers, Barbican, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of March, 1877.

MATTW. WEBB, Barbican-chambers, Barbican, E.C., Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Sanders Crossley, formerly carrying on business as a Pawnbroker and Jeweller, at 291 and 293, Holloway-road, in the county of Middlesex, but now of 36, Stock Orchard-crescent, in the said county of Middlesex, Gentleman.

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 Attenborough, 63, St. Paul's-churchyard, in the city of London, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JOHN ATTENBOROUGH, 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 Alfred Hardwick, of Nos. 52 and 73, Lower Marsh, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, 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. George Lewis, 74A, Southwark Bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

A. HARDWICK, 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 William Marshall, of 214, High-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Fishmonger, and formerly of 4, Deaborough-place, Harrow-road, in the said county, Greengrocer and Fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 29, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

YOUNG and SONS, 29, Mark-lane, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jesse Winters, of No. 2, Abney Park-terrace, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Marble Mason 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 Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

CHARLES QUILTER, 60, Fore-street, 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 James Pearce, of No. 3, Upper Rise, Brixton Hill, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Builder and Contractor for General Repairs.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Thomas Moss, No. 38, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

JOHN THOMAS MOSS, 38, Gracechurch-street, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Kirby, of No. 13, Catherine-street, Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Gas Fitter, trading as Kirby and Hill.

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 Howse, of No. 28, Red Lion-square, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Accountant, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of March, 1877.

W. F. MORRIS, 8, Staple-inn, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, 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 James Carter, of No. 6, Bridge-road, Stratford, in the county of Essex, Gasfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Slater, No. 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

HENRY HAND, 2, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said William James Carter.

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 Wright, of 51, Dempsey-street, Stepney, in the county of Middlesex, 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 Mr. John Slater, No. 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

HENRY HAND, 2, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said George Wright.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alphonse Camille Borring, of 172, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchant, trading in partnership with Henry Tabbot Allen, under the style of A. C. Borring and Co., and residing at 16, Denbigh-place, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex.

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. Lawrance, Plews, and Baker, No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

LAWRANCE, PLEWS, and BAKER, 14, Old Jewry-chambers, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Alphonse Camille Borring.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Herbert James Oxford, of 80, Southampton-row, Russell-square, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemonger and Poulterer.

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 Bedford Head, 41, Maiden-lane, Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JOHN C. BUTTON and CO., 6, Henrietta-street, Covent-garden, W.C., Solicitors 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 James Joseph Wildman, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Tailor and Outfitter.

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 Messrs. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

CONQUEST and CLARE, Bedford, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Julian Frederick Sandeman, of Sefton Park, Slough, Bucks, in no profession or occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Inns of Court Hotel, 269, High Holborn, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

LEWIS and LEWIS, 10, Ely-place, Holborn, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 Subbings, of No. 102, Woodbine-grove, Fenge, in the county of Surrey, Carman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mullen's Hotel, No. 11, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

THOS. JAS. PULLEN, 1, Basinghall-street, London, and at Croydon, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Thomas Clark Dickson, of No. 106, Parson's-mead, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the King's Arms Hotel, Katharine-street, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on the 7th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

GEORGE WHITWELL DENNIS, St. John's-grove, Croydon, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Taylor, of Nos. 8, Bensham-place, Beulah-road, Thoroton Heath, in the county of Surrey, and late of No. 133, Kirk-gate, Wakefield, in the county of York, Chemist and Druggist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Nos. 6 and 7, Barbican, in the city of London, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

HOULDERS, 6 and 7, Barbican, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said John Taylor.

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 Constable, of the Royal Oak, Leatherhead, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Heathfield Young, n West-street, Dorking, in the county of Surrey, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1877.

HEATHFIELD YOUNG, 6, Serjeants'-ion, Fleet-street, London, Solicitor for the said John Constable.

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 Crewe, of Nos. 54 and 56, Brunswick-road and of No. 24, Park-place, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Agricultural Implement Maker, trading under the style or firm of Henry Crewe 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 office of Mr. Martin Browne, Solicitor, 28, Brockley-buildings, 51, South John-street, Liverpool, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

MARTIN BROWNE, 51, South John-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 George Reed Narracott, of 50, Manchester-street, No. 24, Mill-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Boot and Shoe Maker, and Dealer in same.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Lowe, Solicitor, No. 43, Castle street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM LOWE, 43, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George McConnell, jun., of Parliament-street, in Colne, in the county of Lancaster, Boiler Coverer and Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Thorn Hotel, in Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JAMES CARR, Colne-lane, Colne, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walker Chatburn, of Hebden Dye Works and New-road, both in Hebden Bridge, in the county of York, Dyer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Standring, Solicitor, King-street, South-parade, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JNO. STANDRING, King-street, South-parade, Rochdale, Solicitor for the 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 Squire Dixon Gee, of 4, Wesley-street, Ancoats, and 6, Storr-street, Ardwick, both in the city of Manchester, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Farrar and Hall, Solicitors, 47, Princess-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 6th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

FARRAR and HALL, 47, Princess-street, Manchester, Solicitors 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 Henri Gros, of the Hope and Anchor Hotel, Cathedral-yard, in the city of Manchester, 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 Messrs. Cobbett, Wheeler, and Cobbett, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, on the 17th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

COBBETT, WHEELER, and COBBETT, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Henri Gros.

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 Charles Clough, of Woodlane House Farm, Northern Etchells, Northenden, in the county of Chester, and of Smithfield Market, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Farmer and Market Gardener.

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. Horner and Son, Solicitors, 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

HORNER and SON, 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Carter Salthouse, of 34, City-road, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Drysalter.

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. Sutton and Elliott, Solicitors, No. 51, Fountain-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

SUTTON and ELLIOTT, No. 51, Fountain-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Farrimond, of No. 329, Spring-view, Ince-in-Mackerfield, in the county of Lancaster, 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. William Lees, Solicitor, No. 33, King-street, Wigan, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1877.

WILL. LEES, 33, King-street, Wigan, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Taylor, of 55, Howe-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Beer Retailer.

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 Imperial Hotel, Cornwalls-street, Barrow-in-Furness aforesaid, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

R. B. D. BRADSHAW, Fisher's-buildings, Strand, Barrow-in-Furness, Solicitor for the said George Taylor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Handley, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Woolstapler and Wool Scourer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Standing, Solicitor, King-street, South-parade, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JNO. STANDRING, King-street, South-parade, Rochdale, Solicitor for the 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 James Brown, of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Fruiterer and Egg Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, Townhall-chambers, Ashton-under-Lyne aforesaid, on the 4th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JNO. KERSHAW, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of York-hire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael Kelly, of Nos. 940 and 942, Leeds-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Shoe and Clog Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 9, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 3rd day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said Michael Kelly.

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 Eliza Shaw, formerly carrying on business as a Beer-house Keeper, at the Perseverance Inn, Upperhead-row, Huddersfield, in the county of York, but now out of business, Widow, residing at Baghall Birkby, in Huddersfield aforesaid, in lodgings.

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 Drake, Solicitor, John William-street, Huddersfield, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

THOS. DRAKE, John William-street, Huddersfield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 John William Shaw, of No. 4, Littlewood's-buildings, Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woollen Cloth Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Mills and Bibby, Solicitors, Byram-buildings, Huddersfield, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

MILLS and BIBBY, Byram-buildings, Huddersfield, Solicitors for the said John William Shaw.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Vinton, of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, Fish 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 No. 8, Parliament-street, in the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 6th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

WOODHOUSE and PEACH, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter John Anderson, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Tailor and Dyer's Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the George Hotel, Whitefriargate, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

ANDW. M. JACKSON, 15, Bowlalley-lane, Kingston-upon-Hull, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Wark Blakeney, of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, Compass Adjuster.

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 Minerva Hotel, in Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

J. W. BLAKENEY, Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hepworth Roberts and Alfred Ash, both of Wakefield, in the county of York, Corn Factors and Copartners, trading under the style or firm of William Ash and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Bull Hotel, Wakefield, in the county of York, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

THOMAS TURNER, 25A, Park-square, Leeds, Solicitor for the said George Hepworth Roberts and Alfred Ash.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Fergus Williamson, of No. 33, Gower-street and No. 7, Cross-terrace, Andover-street, both in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Hosiery 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 Cutlers' Hall, in Church-street, in Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

RODGERS, THOMAS, and CO., 30, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said Fergus Williamson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Crowther, of Plum-street Steel Works, and of Craven-road, Darnall, both in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, trading as William Crowther and Company.

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 James Mellor, 40, Bank-street, Sheffield, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

G. J. MELLOR, 40, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James O'Neill, of No. 206, Gleadless-road, Heeley, Sheffield, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Edward Gee, 23, Fig Tree-lane, Sheffield aforesaid, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

E. KNOWLES BINNS, Fig Tree-chambers, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Lee, of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Insurance Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Read, Solicitor, Central-buildings, Dewsbury, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

EDWARD READ, Solicitor for the said Benjamin Lee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Battman Fletcher, of Barnsley, in the county of York, Painter.

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, Regent-street, Barnsley, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

DIBB and RALEY, 19, Regent-street, Barnsley, 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 John Shaw, of Knarborough, in the county of York, 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 Messrs. S., C., F., and C. A. Powell, Solicitors, in the Castle-yard, in Knarborough aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

S., C., F., and C. A. POWELL, Castle-yard, Knarborough, Solicitors for the said John Shaw.

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 Charles Henry Wadham, of Carlton-bill, Leeds, in the county of York, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Cooper Malcolm, Solicitor, No. 20, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 17th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JNO. C. MALCOLM, Solicitor for the said Charles Henry Wadham.

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 Robert Farrimond Daniel, late of Otley, and now of Leeds, both in the county of York, 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 the office of Henry Snowdon, Solicitor, 13, East-parade, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

HENRY SNOWDON, Solicitor for the said Robert Farrimond Daniel.

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 Solomon Camrass, of 70, Kirkgate, Leeds, in the county of York, Clothier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Benjamin Collett Pullan, Bank-chambers, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

BENJ. C. PULLAN, Solicitor for the said Solomon Camrass.

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 Elizabeth Hobson and George Hobson, late of No. 25, Briggate, Leeds, and Market-place, Batley, both in the

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county of York, and now of No. 34, North-street, in Leeds aforesaid, trading as E. Hobson and Son, and George Hobson, Hosiery.

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 Mr. William Baildon Craven, No. 6, East-parade, in Leeds aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

W. B. CRAVEN, Solicitor for the said Elizabeth Hobson and George Hobson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William John Poynter, of 39, New-road, Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Gasfitter and Brass Finisher.

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 Court-house, Gravesend, on the 5th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

SHARLAND and HATTEN, Court-house, Gravesend, Solicitors 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 Philip Woodmore, of Binstead, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, 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 offices of Mr. William Jefferies Beckingsale, No. 64, Lugley-street, Newport, Isle of Wight, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

W. J. BECKINGSALE, Newport, Isle of Wight, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Thomas Mason, of Fountain-place, Forton-road, Gosport, in the parish of Alverstoke, China, Glass, Oil, and Colour 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 Chamber of Commerce, 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

GEOE. HALL KING, 43, North-street, Portsea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bolzani, of No. 84, High-street, in the city of Winchester, in the county of Hants, 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 the offices of Messrs. Edmonds, Davis, and Clarke, No. 8, Old Jewry, London, E.C., on the 12th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

PAIN and CLARKE, Jewry-chambers, Winchester, Solicitors for the said John Bolzani.

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 Joseph Broad Champion, of the parish of Newlyn East, in the county of Cornwall, Coal-Dealer and Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Carlyon and Son, Solicitors, 7, Princes-street, Truro, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

CARLYON and SON, Truro, Solicitors for the said Joseph Broad Champion.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Cockermouth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Wood, of 89, High-street, Maryport, in the county of Cumberland, Draper and Clothier.

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

in Maryport, aforesaid, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

TYSON and HOBSON, of 1, Camp-street, Maryport, Solicitors for the said Thomas Wood.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Perfect, of Sanford-road, Bexley Heath, in the county of Kent, and late of East Wickham, in the said county, Farmer and Market Gardener.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

RUSSELL, SON, and SCOTT, 14, Old Jewry-chambers, London, Solicitors for the said George Perfect.

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 Alfred Bateman, of High-street, West Malling, in the county of Kent, Grocer, Baker, and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Victoria Hotel, Week-street, Maidstone aforesaid, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

ANDREW and CHEALE, 1, Calverley-mount, Tunbridge Wells, Solicitors for the said Alfred Bateman.

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 Alfred James Mussared, of High-street, Maidstone, in the county of Kent, 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 Messrs. Monckton; Son, and Tatham's offices, 72, King-street, Maidstone, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

MONCKTON, SON, and TATHAM, Maidstone, Solicitors for the said Alfred James Mussared.

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 Edwin Henry Mayner, of Albion House, Albion-street, Broadstairs, in the county of Kent, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

SPARKES and MERCER, 108, High-street, Ramsgate, Solicitors 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 Oyston, of Merrington-lane, in the county of Durham.

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. 19, Fawcett-street, in the borough of Sunderland, in the said county of Durham, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JAS. A. LONGDEN, 19, Fawcett-street, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said William Oyston.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying

ing on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemmen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named T. Campbell and Company has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the College, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemmen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named James Routledge has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the College, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemmen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named John Davidson has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the College, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemmen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named William Kennedy has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the College, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Campbell has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the Colledge, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Andrew Roseby has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the Colledge, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Roseby, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Joseph Little has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the Colledge, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Rosely, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth

Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Ingledew Hopper has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in the city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the Colledge, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 James Routledge, of Mainsforth Colliery, in the county of Durham, Engineer, John Davidson, of Ferry Hill Station, in the same county, Engineer, William Kennedy, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Engineer, Thomas Campbell, also of Ferry Hill Station, Accountant, Andrew Roseby, of Ferry Hill, in the said county, Engineer, George Ingledew Hopper, of Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, Moulder, Joseph Little, of Spennymoor, in the said county, Pattern Maker, George Oliver, of the same place, Blacksmith, and John Barkhouse, of South Brancepeth Colliery, in the same county, Miner, carrying on business at or near Ferry Hill Station aforesaid, as Engineers, Ironfounders, Forgemen, and General Merchants, under the style or firm of T. Campbell and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Oliver has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, in Old Elvet, in city of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

RICHN. PEELE, the Colledge, Durham, Solicitor for the said T. Campbell and Company.

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 Tolton, of No. 67, Upper Conduit-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of the undersigned, situate in Market-street, Leicester aforesaid, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

B. A. SHIRES, Market-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said William Tolton.

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 Burdett, of Lyston, in the county of Leicester, Commercial 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 my offices, situate at No. 7, Belvoir-street, Leicester, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

THOMAS WRIGHT, 7, Belvoir-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Herbert Edward Porter, of Wymeswold, in the county of Leicester, late Auctioneer, but now of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. W. W. Goode, Baxter-gate, Loughborough, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

WM. WHITE GOODE, of Loughborough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Swindon. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Murray Bedford, of Lechlade, in the county of Gloucester, 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 New Inn, Lechlade, in the county of Gloucester, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23th day of March, 1877.

KINNEIR and TOMBS, Swindon, Wilts, Solicitors for the said William Murray Bedford.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William John Shotton, late of No. 4, Frederick-street, Sunderland, but now of No. 143, High-street West, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Architect.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Robert Fairclough's, 42, West Sunnyside, Sunderland, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

ROBT. FAIRCLOUGH, 42, West Sunnyside, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said William John Shotton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Havelock Potts, trading under the style or firm of William Potts and Son, of No. 28, Frederick-street, in the borough of Sunderland, 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 Messrs. Lawson and Robinson, Solicitors, 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JOHN ROBINSON, 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said 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 Thomas Thompson Dunn, of No. 125, Robinson-street, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Agent and Hardware 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 offices of Mr. William Moore Skinner, No. 64, John-street, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor, on the 5th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM M. SKINNER, 64, John-street, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Tweedy, of Darlington and Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, Fruit 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 Adelphi Hotel, Railway-street, in the city of York, on the 5th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JAMES TWEEDY, 24, Silver-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Cottam, of Lingdale-lane, in Lingdale, in the county of York, General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Henry Staniland, situate at No. 2, Church-street, Guisbrough, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

H. STANILAND, 2, Church-street, Guisbrough, and 29, Louthorpe-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said John Cottam.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Macdonald, of Yarm, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. H. Draper, in Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

J. H. DRAPER, 20, Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Wild, Buckley Wild, and Isaiah Wild, of Coronation Mill, Sandy-lane, Heaton Norris, Stockport, in the county of Lancaster, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Wild and Sons, as Cotton Doublers.

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 Clarence Hotel, Spring-gardens, in the city of Manchester, on the 18th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

BOOTE and EDGAR, 18 and 20, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said William Wild, Buckley Wild, and Isaiah Wild.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bardsley, of 20, Middle Hillgate, Stockport, in the county of Chester, Flour Dealer, 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 office of Mr. William Vaughan-Jones, Solicitor, 91, Piccadilly, in the city of Manchester, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

W. VAUGHAN-JONES, 91, Piccadilly, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Pickford Webb, of 6, Great Underbank, Stockport, in the county of Chester, General Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Clarence Hotel, Spring-gardens, Manchester, on the 18th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

EDWIN STORER, 89, Fountain-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Crilly, of Brook Cottage, Poulton, in the county of Chester, Book-keeper, and formerly carrying on business as a Dealer in Canvas and Twine, at 20, Drury-lane, and afterwards at Ormond-chambers, Ormond-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster.

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. Hugh Quinn, Solicitor, 2, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

H. QUINN, 2, South John-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Elizabeth Morrison, of No. 254, Grange-lane, Birkenhead aforesaid, Poulterer.

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. 6, Duncan-street, Birkenhead aforesaid, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

HANNAN and PUGH, 6, Duncan-street, Birkenhead, Solicitors for the said Elizabeth Morrison.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harrison, of 49, Brougham-street, Lower Tranmere, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Joiner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Sebright, Green, and Thompson, 32, Hamilton-street, Birkenhead, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

SEBRIGHT, GREEN, and THOMPSON, 32, Hamilton-street, Birkenhead, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Laing, residing at Warkworth, in the county of Northumberland, and George Augustus Jaques, residing at 13, North-terrace, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and trading together under the style or firm of Laing, Jaques, and Co., at Exchange-buildings, Quayside, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, as Ship Brokers.

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 Mr. Daniel Edward Stanford, Solicitor, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

D. EDW. STANFORD, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Laing, residing at Warkworth, in the county of Northumberland, and George Augustus Jaques, residing at 13, North-terrace, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and trading together under the style or firm of Laing, Jaques, and Co., at Exchange-buildings, Quayside, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, as Ship Brokers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named James Laing has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Daniel Edward Stanford, Solicitor, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

D. EDW. STANFORD, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Laing, residing at Warkworth, in the county of Northumberland, and George Augustus Jaques, residing at 13, North-terrace, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and trading together under the style or firm of Laing, Jaques, and Co., at Exchange-buildings, Quayside, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, as Ship Brokers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Augustus Jaques has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Daniel Edward Stanford, Solicitor, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

D. EDW. STANFORD, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick John Fittes, late of the Queen's Head Inn, Cullerscoats, but now residing at Ayres-terrace, North Shields, both in the county of Northumberland, Brewer's 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 Mr. Daniel Edward Stanford, Solicitor, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

D. EDW. STANFORD, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Heelas, of South Shields, in the county of Durham, Coach 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 Golden Lion Hotel, King-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, on the 12th

day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM H. BELL, 16, King-street, South Shields, Solicitor for the said George Heelas.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ditchburn, of No. 18, Percy-street, Tynemouth, in the county of Northumberland, Licensed Victualler, and of No. 4, Market-place, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Auctioneer, Insurance and Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Duncan and Duncan, Solicitors, No. 3, Market-place, South Shields, in the county of Durham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

DUNCAN and DUNCAN, 3, Market-place, South Shields, Solicitors for the said John Ditchburn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Christie Greig, of Hebburn, in the county of Durham, Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Keenlyside and Forster, St. John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

THOMAS FORSTER, St. John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said George Christie Greig.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Jewitt, of No. 31, Victoria-street, Consett, in the county of Durham, Butcher, formerly carrying on business at Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, as a Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Henry Lucas Turner, Solicitor, No. 5, Collingwood-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

H. LUCAS TURNER, 5, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Thomas Jewitt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Scott, of Nos. 3 and 5, Brinkburn-street, Byker, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Grocer and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Keenlyside and Forster, Solicitors, Saint John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

THOMAS FORSTER, Saint John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said William Scott.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Martha Beech, of Queen-street, Burslem, in the county of Stafford, 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 office of Messrs. Tomkinson and Furnival, Solicitors, Hanover-street, Burslem, in the county of Stafford, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

TOMLINSON and FURNIVAL, Hanover-street, Burslem, Solicitors for the said Martha Beech.

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 Edwin Draper, late of 74, High-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Beerseller and Refreshment-house Keeper, but now residing with Henry Joseph Bold, of Wood-street, Bilston, in lodgings, and out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Edmund Fellows, Mount Pleasant, Bilston, Solicitor, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JNO. E. FELLOWS, Mount Pleasant, Bilston,
Solicitor for the said Edwin Draper.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Morris, of Burntwood, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Cooper and Chawner, Solicitors, Uttoxeter, in the county of Stafford, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

GEO. COOPER, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Timothy Pitchford, of Paradise-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Clog 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 offices of Mr. Henry Jackson, Lombard-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

HENRY JACKSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Griffiths, of York House, Great Bridge, in the parish of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at the Staffordshire Iron Works, Greet's Green, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, as an Iron and Tin Plate Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Union Hotel, Union-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, 55, Church-street,
Oldbury, Worcestershire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Tooth, of Normacott-road, Longton, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles John Welch, No. 16, Caroline-street, Longton, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

CHAS. JNO. WELCH, 16, Caroline-street, Longton,
Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harris, of No. 1, Laurence-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Commercial 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 office of Mr. Charles John Welch, No. 16, Caroline-street, Longton, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

CHAS. JNO. WELCH, 16, Caroline-street, Longton,
Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Tomlins, of Newport, in the county of Salop, Surgeon.

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, in Newport aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

R. N. HEANE, Newport, Salop, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Crotch Lewis, of 51, Edgcombe-street, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, 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 44, George-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

ELLIOT SQUARE, of 44, George-street, Plymouth,
Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Parr, of the Market House Inn, Teignmouth, in the county of Devon, 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 Royal Hotel, Teignmouth, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

PEARSON and WHIDDRONE, of Dawlish, Soli-
citors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew Boundy, of Ashreigney, in the county of Devon, 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 New Inn, Ashreigney aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

ROOKER and BAZELEY, Bideford, Solicitors for
the said Andrew Boundy.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Jewell, of Bückland Brewer, in the county of Devon, Carpenter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rooker and Bazeley, Bridgeland-street, Bideford, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

ROOKER and BAZELEY, Bideford, Solicitors for
the said James Jewell.

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 John Cody, of No. 36, Webb-street, Stapleton-road, in the city and county of Bristol, Cattle 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 office of Mr. Philip Triggs, 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

MEADE-KING and BIGG, Solicitors for the said
Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Smith Yabsley, of No. 4, Old King-street, in the city of Bristol, Wholesale Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 50, Broad-street, in

the city of Bristol, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

SALMON and HENDERSON, 50, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the said John Smith Yabsley.

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 Knill, of Lawrence-hill, in the city and county of Bristol, and late of Victoria-villas, Stapleton-road, and of Bury House, in the parish of Wick and Abson, Gloucestershire, Brewer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Plummer, of Bristol-chambers, Nicholas-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Solicitor, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM PLUMMER, Bristol-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol, 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 Kezia Short, of 2, Alfred-place, Kingsdown, in the city and county of Bristol, Stationer 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 Albert Essery, Solicitor, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Barnes, of Nos. 2 and 3, Winchcomb-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Beerseller.

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 Potter, Northfield House, North-place, Cheltenham, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

ARTHUR H. SMITH, Solicitor for the said Joseph Barnes.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Digby Roberts, of Alma-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick, Metal Worker and Bicycle Manufacturer, carrying on business under the style of the Skidmore's Art Manufactures and Constructive Iron Company, lately carrying on the same-business, at the same place, under the same style, in partnership with William Edward Wyatt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Midland Hotel, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

TERRELL and HONEY, 70A, Aldermanbury, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Charles Digby Roberts.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Nurse, of No. 18, Howard-street and Bird-street, Coventry, Clerk and Box 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 Messrs. Hughes and Masser, Solicitors, No. 111, Little Park-street, Coventry, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

HUGHES and MASSER, 111, Little Park-street, Coventry, Solicitors for the said Edward Nurse.

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 George Dawson, late of Chester-road, New Oscott, in the parish of Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick,

Grocer and Milk Seller, but now of Marsh-lane, Erdington, in the said county of Warwick, Milk Seller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Herbert William Stanbury, situate at No. 37, Bennet's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

H. W. STANBURY, 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 Arthur Lucas Silvester and William Henry Hiron, of 51, St. Paul's-square, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jewellers, Factors, and Copartners.

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 Queen's Hotel, Birmingham, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

ROBERT DAVENPORT, Waterloo-street, Birmingham; and

GRIFFIN and GRIFFIN, of 7, Temple-row West, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

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 Thomas Gray, of Bromsgrove-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brush Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Duke, 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

ROBERT DUKE, 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 William Vise Carr, of Mount Pleasant, in the parish of Ipsley, in the county of Warwick, Grocer 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 the office of Mr. Charles E. Cowie, Accountant, 16, Bennet's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

ALFRED WALTER, 45, Ann-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the 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 James Williams Markall, of 54, Bluscher-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Saddler and Harness Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 45, Ann-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 10th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

ALFRED WALTER, 45, Ann-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 George Frederick Hollis, of Nos. 69 and 70, Great King-street, Hockley, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Coal Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred Baldwin East, Solicitor, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

ALFRED BALDWIN EAST, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Cowley, of No. 146, Dartmouth-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Provision Dealer and Journeyman Glass 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. Edwin Jaques, Solicitor, No. 40, Cherry-street, Birmingham, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

EDWIN JAQUES, 40, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Tanner, of No. 58½, Pershore-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Importer of Fancy Goods, trading under the style of Thomas Tanner 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. Robert Jeffery Parr, Solicitor, No. 27, Colmore-row, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

R. JEFFERY PARR, 27, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward John Lloyd, of Pembroke, in the county of Hereford, Colliery Agent and Coal and Coks Factor.

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 Craven Arms Hotel, Craven Arms, in the county of Salop, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JAMES WALKER, Church Stretton, Salop, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hill, of Govilon, in the parish of Llanwenarth Ultra, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer, Draper, Shoe Dealer, and General-shop 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 my office, in Lion-street, Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JAMES SAYCE, of Abergavenny, Solicitor for the said Thomas Hill.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alexander James, of Abertillery, in the county of Monmouth, Timber Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Griffith and Corbett, Solicitors, Cardiff, on the 17th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

GRIFFITH and CORBETT, Quay-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Jenkins, of Cwmbian, in the county of Monmouth, 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. Joseph Gibbs, Solicitor, No. 10, Tredegar-place, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

JOSEPH GIBBS, Newport, Mon., Solicitor for the said Benjamin Jenkins.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bridgewater.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Anning, of Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, Linen and Woollen Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Samuel Chapman, Solicitor, King-square, Bridgewater, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

SAML. CHAPMAN, King-square, Bridgewater, Solicitor for the Debtor.

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 Robert Arthur Pratt, of Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, Auctioneer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Hotel, Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, on the 13th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

GEO. F. D. GACHES, Cathedral Gateway, Peterborough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Chesterfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Frederick Hiles, of Staveley, in the county of Derby, Fruiterer and Fish 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 office of Mr. S. E. Swaffield, Solicitor, Burlington-street, Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

S. E. SWAFFIELD, Burlington-street, Chesterfield, Solicitor for the said William Frederick Hiles.

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 Matthew Vaughan, of No. 36, Bute-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Company, Public Accountants, No. 4, Crookherb-own, Cardiff aforesaid, on the 7th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1877.

T. W. STEPHENS, Bute-crescent, Cardiff, Solicitor 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 Francis James Sherwood, late of the Belle Vue Tavern, St. Helen's-road, Swansea, Publican and Auctioneer, and now of No. 19, Page-street, Swansea aforesaid, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Nelson Hotel, Nelson-street, Swansea, on the 11th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

FRANCIS JAMES SHERWOOD, 19, Page-street, Swansea, 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 Arthur Emanuel Lee, of No. 123, Lower Oxford-street, in the borough of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Frame Maker and Wire Blind Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 18, York-place, at Swansea, on the 12th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

J. AERON THOMAS, 18, York-place, Swansea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Bagnall, of Kimberley Knowle, Kimberley, in the county of Nottingham, Fishmonger.

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. 14, Low-pavement, Nottingham, on the 9th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

JOHN BLACK, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Timothy Key, of Billingham, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Old White Hart Inn, New Sleaford, in the county of Lincoln, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

B. B. DYER, Solicitor for the said Timothy Key.

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 Thomas Jackson, of the city of Lincoln, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, Flaxengate, Lincoln, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

W. T. PAGE, JUN., Flaxengate, Lincoln, Solicitor for the said Thomas Jackson.

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 Thomas Brooks, of the city of Lincoln, 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 my offices, Flaxengate, Lincoln, on the 14th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1877.

W. T. PAGE, JUN., Flaxengate, Lincoln, Solicitor for the said Thomas Brooks.

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 Joseph Gazard, of Saint Mary-street, Cardiff aforesaid, Saddler.

UPON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 10th day of April, 1877, is hereby directed to be held at the office of Mr. R. Roberts, Solicitor, 24, Clare-street, Bristol, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Holmes, of Mill-street, Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Fellmonger and Woolstapler.

UPON the application of Mr. Leonard Drage Browne, of Abergavenny aforesaid, Solicitor, and upon sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 7th day of April, 1877, is hereby directed to be held at the Angel Hotel, at Abergavenny aforesaid, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

HORACE SHEPARD, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Zimri William Pedley, of Marks Tey, in the county of Essex, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Jones, Solicitor, Town-hall-chambers, Colchester, on Thursday, the 19th day of

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April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes, viz:—1st. To fix the remuneration of the Trustee. 2nd. To declare a First and Final Dividend. 3rd. To grant the release of the Trustee. 4th. To close the liquidation.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

EDMD. J. ORASKE, Head-street, Colchester, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Edwards, of No. 25, Friar-street, in the city of Worcester, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor is summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. R. J. W. Pitt, Solicitor, the Avenue, Cross, in the city of Worcester, on Monday, the 9th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes, namely:—1. To declare a First and Final Dividend; 2. To audit the accounts of the Trustees; 3. To fix the Trustees' remuneration; 4. To release the Trustees; 5. To close the liquidation; 6. To grant the debtor his discharge.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

HARRY DAY,
WALTON WILKINSON, Trustees.

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 George Robinson, trading as Messrs. Edwin G. Robinson and Co., of 6, Godliman-street, St. Paul's, and 4, Paul's Bakehouse-court, in the city of London, Whole-sale and Export Angora and Sheep Skin Rug Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Edwin George Robinson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, James Leith, of 85, 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 29th day of March, 1877.

JAMES LEITH, 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 Carl Grasemann, of 2, Royal Exchange-buildings, in the city of London, and 31, Gloucester-road, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Ship Broker, trading as Grasemann and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Carl Grasemann who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph Shubbrook, 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 26th day of March, 1877.

J. SHUBROOK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Fletcher the younger and James Fletcher, both of Erith and Thomas-street, Woolwich respectively, in the county of Kent, trading in copartnership under the firm or style of Fletcher Brothers, as Millers and Corn Dealers.

THE creditors of the separate estate of the above-named George Fletcher the younger who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Holah, of No. 6, Moorgate-street, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

JAMES HOLAH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Fletcher the younger and James Fletcher, both of Erith and Thomas-street, Woolwich respectively, in the county of Kent, trading in copartnership under the firm or style of Fletcher Brothers, as Millers and Corn Dealers.

THE creditors of the separate estate of the above-named James Fletcher who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April,

1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Holah, of No. 6, Moorgate-street, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

JAMES HOLAH, 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 August Hentschel and Peter Brooks, of Phoenix Works, London Fields, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Paper Collar Manufacturers and Copartners, trading as Hentschel and Brooks, the said August Hentschel residing at 23, Banbury-terrace, South Hackney, in the same county, and the said Peter Brooks residing at 8, Sidmouth-street, Mare-street, Hackney aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named August Hentschel and Peter Brooks who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur Barron, of No. 10, Old Jewry-chambers, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

ARTHUR BARRON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, transferred from the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Blakemore and Alfred Blakemore, both of Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Upholsterers, Auctioneers, and House and Estate Agents, Copartners.

THE creditors of the above-named John Blakemore and Alfred Blakemore who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ebenezer Chambers Foreman, of 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

EBENEZER CHAMBERS FOREMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Blakemore and Alfred Blakemore, both of Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Upholsterers, Auctioneers, and House and Estate Agents, Copartners.

THE creditors of the above-named John Blakemore who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ebenezer Chambers Foreman, of 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

EBENEZER CHAMBERS FOREMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Blakemore and Alfred Blakemore, both of Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Upholsterers, Auctioneers, and House and Estate Agents, Copartners.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Blakemore who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ebenezer Chambers Foreman, of 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

EBENEZER CHARLES FOREMAN, Trustee.

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 Jacob Strawbaum, now of 165A, Camden-street, late of 185, Lee Bank-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, General Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Jacob Strawbaum who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of April, 1877, to send

their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Isaac Cohen, of 14, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

ISAAC COHEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Revell, formerly of 37, Cogan-street, Hull, in the county of York, Clerk, afterwards of Garforth, near Leeds, in the said county, Book-keeper, but now of 43, Park-a-ressent, Otley-road, in Bradford, in the said county, Traveller.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Revell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Gilyard, of 25, Market-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM GILYARD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Tindall Brown, of Farley Tyas, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, Joiner and Wheelwright.

THE creditors of the above-named Tindall Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Payne, of No. 23, John William-street, Huddersfield, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

CHARLES PAYNE, Trustee.

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 George Cooper, of Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named George Cooper who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Gordon, of Leeds, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

JOHN GORDON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Moses Wilkinson and Aaron Wilkinson, of Halifax, in the county of York, Worsted Manufacturers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Moses Wilkinson and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Moses Wilkinson and Aaron Wilkinson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Irvine, of 18, Cheapside, Halifax 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 28th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM IRVINE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Lineker, formerly of Balderton Villa, near Newark, in the county of Nottingham, but now of Sussex Lodge, Shinfield, near Reading, in the county of Berks, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Lineker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Miller, of Nos. 37 and 38, Market-place, Reading, 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 26th day of March, 1877.

JOHN MILLER, 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 Charles Whittle, of Shatto Heath, St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Whittle who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, 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 Robert Brebner, of Park Villa, Blundellsands, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Agent, carrying on business at Jackson-chambers, South Castle-street, Liverpool: aforesaid, under the style of James Brebner and Son, but without a Partner.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Brebner who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 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, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Bromley, Hugh Downey, and James Crossley, all of the Domestic Sewing Machine Works, Roscoe-street, Mumps-in-Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business together as Sewing Machine Manufacturers, under the style of Bromley, Downey, and Crossley.

THE creditors of the above-named John Bromley, Hugh Downey, and James Crossley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Hugh Shaw, of No. 2, Clegg-street, Oldham, Valuer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

HUGH SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, and transferred to the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Henry Hunt, of 13, Shudehill, in the city of Manchester, Boot and Shoe Factor.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Henry Hunt who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Smart, of Cromwell-villas, Belgrave-road, Leicester, Gentleman, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

JAMES SMART, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Barbara Ion, of 38, Summer-hill, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Widow, carrying on the business of a Boot and Shoe Maker, at 29, Market-place, Kendal aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named Barbara Ion who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 26th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Heaton, of the Old Town hall-chambers, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Auctioneer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM HEATON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Frederick Luger, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named William Frederick Luger who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edmund James Craske, of Head-street, Colchester, Auctioneer and Valuer, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

EDMD. J. CRASKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edgar Harvey, of Mashbury, in the county of Essex, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Edgar Harvey who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Christopher Matthews, of Good Easter, in the county of Essex, Farmer, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

CHRISTOPHER MATTHEWS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Smith, of Carr Green, Stockport, Provision Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Smith who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Henshaw, of Hope View, Wellington-road North, Stockport, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM HENSHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Gaskin Atherton and Thomas John Henney, trading as Atherton and Henney, Wine and Spirit Merchants, No. 49, Argyle-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester.

THE creditors of the above-named John Gaskin Atherton and Thomas John Henney who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Ralph, of Penzance, in the county of Cornwall, Tea Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Ralph who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Andrew, of No. 13, Bedford-circus, in the city of Exeter, 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 26th day of March, 1877.

THOMAS ANDREW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Humphrey, of No. 178, High-street East and No. 284, High-street West, both in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Grocer, carrying on business under the style of Humphrey and Evans.

THE creditors of the above-named James Humphrey who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or

claims to me, the undersigned, Henry Rawlings, of 59, John-street, Sunderland, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

HENRY RAWLINGS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Somerville, who formerly resided and carried on business at No. 14, Bridge-street, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, and who now resides at No. 5, the Hawthorns, East Boldon, in the said county, and who now carries on business at No. 16, Bridge-street, in the said borough of Sunderland, in the said county of Durham, Ironmonger and Dealer in Fancy Goods.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Somerville who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Rawlings, of 59, John-street, Sunderland, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

HENRY RAWLINGS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ellen Benden, of 79, Grosvenor-road, Saint Paul's, in the city and county of Bristol.

THE creditors of the above-named Ellen Benden who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Hudson Smith, the Exchange, Bristol, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

JOHN HUDSON SMITH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Hodges, of Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, Beerhouse Keeper.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Hodges who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Moores and Romney, of Tewkesbury aforesaid, Solicitors to 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 26th day of March, 1877.

MOORES and ROMNEY, Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Rotheram, of the Mythe, Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman.

THE creditors of the above-named William Rotheram who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Moores and Romney, of Tewkesbury aforesaid, Solicitors to 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 26th day of March, 1877.

MOORES and ROMNEY, Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Montgomeryshire, holden at Newtown.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Davies the younger, of Tynywtra, in the parish of Bettws, in the county of Montgomery, Farmer and Shoemaker.

THE creditors of the above-named William Davies who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Francis, of Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, Ironmonger, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they

will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

WM. FRANCIS, 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 Stevens, of Little Cherry-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Warehouseman.

THE creditors of the above-named William Stevens who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, with affidavit of proof of debt to me, the undersigned, John Robinson Clarke (of the firm of Josolyne, Clarke, and Co.), of No. 28, King-street, in the city of London, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

J. R. CLARKE, 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 Samuel Jackson, of No. 86, Mostyn-street, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, General Outfitter, trading under the style or firm of Jackson and Hewlett, late in copartnership with John Samuel Hewlett, and carrying on business under the same style or firm, at the same address, and previous thereto in copartnership with Evan Harris Williams, carrying on business under the style or firm of Jackson and Co., at the same address.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Jackson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, with affidavit of proof of debt to me, the undersigned, John Robinson Clarke (of the firm of Josolyne, Clarke, and Co.), of No. 28, King-street, in the city of London, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

J. R. CLARKE, 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 Christopher Jackson and Christopher Jackson the younger, both of Newcastle-upon-Tyne and the county of the same town, and of 38, Crutched-friars, in the city of London, and of the Dolphin Tavern, Milk-street, Cheapside, in the said city of London, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Licensed Victuallers and Copartners.

JOHAN BATH, of 40A, King William-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors, must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

The London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Christopher Jackson and Christopher Jackson the younger, both of Newcastle-upon-Tyne and the county of the same town, and of the Dolphin Tavern, Milk-street, Cheapside, in the said city of London, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Licensed Victuallers, and Copartners.

JOHAN BATH, of 40A, King William-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of Christopher Jackson the younger. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 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 John Maunder, of Apollo Works, Charlton, King's-road, Kentish Town, and 104, Torriano-avenue, Camden-road, Kentish Town aforesaid, both in the county of Middlesex, Pianoforte Manufacturer.

JOHAN BATH, of 40A, King William-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their

possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of March, 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 Edward Leech, residing at No. 5, the Crescent, Downes Park-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, and Augustus Frederick Leech, residing at No. 12, Grange-road, Stoke Newington, in the said county of Middlesex, trading in copartnership, under the style or firm of G. E. Leech and Co., at No. 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Wine and Spirit Merchants. **JOHN AUGUSTUS JOSOLYNE**, of No. 28, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors, must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 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 Alfred Henry Weston, of 47, Waterloo-road and No. 8, High-street, South Norwood, both in the county of Surrey, Dyer.

JOHN HENRY WESTON, of No. 3, Albert-square, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor, in the place of William Henry Garnier, resigned. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 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 Henry Smith, of 11, King's College-road, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Livery Stable Keeper, but now out of business.

JOHN HEARN, of Braintree, in the county of Essex, Butcher, 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 March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alice Toller, of Ashbourne House, Gauden-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, but late of No. 416, Clapham-road, in the said county of Surrey, Widow.

THOMAS MEGGY, of No. 11, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

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 Eliza Humphryes, of the Horn and Trumpet, Angel-street, in the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler, wife of Arthur Humphryes, formerly of the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler (but now believed to be residing in London), which said Eliza Humphryes is trading separately from her said husband under an order of protection dated 11th day of May, 1866, under the hands and seals of two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said city of Worcester, in pursuance of the Statute in that behalf.

DAVID SHAW, of the city of Worcester, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Astwood, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Contractor and Timber Merchant.

RICHARD WATSON, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Purdy, of 39, Dale-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wholesale Milliner.

MARSHALL PRESTON, of 3, Clarence-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts, must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard Oswell, of 17, George-street, Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

EDWARD LAWTON, of 37, Spring-gardens, York-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 16th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mark Dixon, of the township of Hilderthorpe, Bridlington Quay, in the county of York, Cartman.

WILLIAM TAYLOR, of Bridlington Quay aforesaid, Licensed Auctioneer and Valuer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Matthews Moor, of No. 21A, Hesse-road, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

JOHN FAWCETT, Jun., of 22, Wormwood-street, in the city of London, Accountant, and Thomas Brown, of Chancery-buildings, Manor-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

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 Joseph Lant Carpenter and Henry Yeomans, of 43, Temple-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, trading as Carpenter and Co., as Web and Brace Manufacturers, and as Yeomans and Co., as Jewellers.

ROBERT LEVITT IMPEY, of No. 8, Waterloo-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the 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 8th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Edward Dawson, of Wrangle, in the county of Lincoln, Innkeeper and Cattle Dealer.

CHARLES LUCAS, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, 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 26th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Mellonié, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Coal Merchant.

JOSEPH WILLIAM GREIG, of Coal Dépôt, at King's Cross, in the county of Middlesex, 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 March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Montgomeryshire, holden at Newtown. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors instituted by William Jones, of Groeaven, in the parish of Gwenddwr, in the county of Brecon; Farmer.

JOSEPH JOSEPH, of the town of Brecon, in the county of Brecon, Banker, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Gaskin Atherton and Thomas John Henney, trading as Atherton and Henney, Wine and Spirit Merchants, No. 49, Argyle-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester.

HENRY BOLLAND, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of March, 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 Frederick Lindley, lodging at Adam Shelton's, Wellington-terrace, off Major-street, in the town of Nottingham, late Cab Proprietor, but now out of business.

WILLIAM HUTCHINSON FARMER, of Sherwood Rise, in the parish of Basford, in the county of Nottingham, and of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 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 George Henry Ellis, of 203, Woodborough-road and 53, Stoney-street, both in the town of Nottingham, Warehouseman and Builder.

THOMAS LEMAN and Henry Edward Hubbard, both of the town of Nottingham, Accountants, 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 28th day of March, 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 Thomas Bull, of Manning-street, in the town of Nottingham, Joiner and Builder, formerly of 134, Saint Ann's Well-road and 2, Beacon-street, in the said town of Nottingham.

ROBERT MELLORS, 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 19th day of March, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of C. E. Riddell, of the Old Mansions, in the Island of Guernsey, and late of Nappa House, Askrigg, Bedale, in the county of York, of no occupation, adjudicated bankrupt, on the 7th day of February, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the said C. E. Riddell will be held at the offices of Messrs. Lumley and Lumley, No. 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, on Friday, the 13th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering a proposal by the bankrupt to pay to the Trustee within two months from the confirmation of the resolution by the Court, such a sum as will be sufficient to pay to the creditors a composition of nine shillings in the pound on the amount of their debts, together with the agreed costs of the petitioning creditors, the Trustee, and the Solicitors, and such payment to be received by the creditors in satisfaction and discharge of their debts and the adjudication to be annulled.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

LUMLEY and LUMLEY, 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, W., and 15, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C., Solicitors for John Vale, the Trustee of the property of the said C. E. Riddell.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 15s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Boleslas Henry d'Avigdor, o. No. 98, Harley-street, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of March, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 25, Abchurch-lane, in the city of London, on and after the 16th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

J. EARLE HODGES, the acting Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Charles Pannell, of 27 and 34, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, and of Suffolk Lodge, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Lighterman and Ship and Insurance Broker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of September, 1876, and will be paid by me, at 14, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on and after the 10th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM OSCAR TIBBETTS, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A THIRD Dividend of 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Robert Fitzroy Holderness and George Nott, late of Saint Michael's House, Cornhill, in the city of London, Stock and Share Brokers and Copartners, carrying on business under the style or firm of Holderness, Nott, and Company, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of July, 1874, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 11th day of April, 1877, or any succeeding Wednesday, between the hours of eleven o'clock in the morning and three o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

GEO. A. CAPE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 11s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Robins, of 1, Lee-terrace, Bexley Heath, in the county of Kent, Blacksmith, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of September, 1876, and will be paid by me, at 40, Southwark-street, Borough, in the county of Surrey, on and after the 8th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

E. S. EMERSON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. **A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 11s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of John Davies, of the Brunswick Inn, Duke-street, in the town of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated

bankrupt on the 5th day of July, 1876, and will be paid by me, at No. 7, Temple-street, Swansea aforesaid, on and after the 3rd day of April, 1877.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

THOMAS JOSEPH BUSE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley.
A FIRST Dividend of 3s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joshua Barnsley, of the Woolley Manor Farm, the Bank House Farm, Silkstone, and the Hadleigh House Farm, Thurgoland, near Barnsley, in the county of York, Farmer, Horse and Cattle Dealer, and Carter, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of October, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Lancaster and Sons, Church-street, Barnsley aforesaid, on and after the 4th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

THOS. LANCASTER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Harriett Gilbey Welch, otherwise Mercer, of No. 7, Bedford-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Widow, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Harriett Gilbey Welch, otherwise Mercer, an order of adjudication was made on the 28th day of March, 1873. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 22nd day of March, 1877.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Saunders, of No. 17, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London.

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 Henry Saunders having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Saunders be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 22nd day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

P. H. Pepys, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Saunders is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 11th day of April, 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 Hugh Lorraine Kennedy, of No. 5, Wormwood-street, in the city of London, trading in copartnership with James Watt Brown, under the style or firm of Brown, Kennedy, and Company, as Oil Brokers and Merchants.

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 Hugh Lorraine Kennedy having been given, it is ordered that the said Hugh Lorraine Kennedy be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Hugh Lorraine Kennedy is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 18th day of April, 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 Composition by John McMillan, of 127, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Wholesale Tea Dealer, trading under the style or firm of John McMillan and Company, and residing at 14, Osborne-villas, Stroud Green-road, South Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex. Before Mr. Registrar Spring-Rice, acting as Chief Judge.

THIS being the day appointed for the hearing of the motion on the part of Messrs. Haslam, Appleton, and Company, creditors of the above-named John McMillan, for an order that the said debtor do, within fourteen days from the date of the Order to be made upon such motion, pay to his creditors, bound by the resolutions for composition duly passed herein, the composition of five shillings in the pound on their debts, or that he do find and give security for the same, in accordance with the terms of the said resolutions, and of the letter of the debtor's Attorney, Mr. Mason, dated the 18th day of September, 1876, written and sent to Messrs. May, Sykes, and Batten, and that James George Udall, of 8, St. John's-Wood-villas, Blackstock-road, High-bury, be ordered to give security for the first and second instalments of the said composition, and that F. van Meyern, Manager of the Russian Bank of Foreign Trade, 40, Lombard-street, in the city of London, be ordered to give security for the third instalment of the said composition, and that unless the said composition be paid or secured as aforesaid, that the said debtor be adjudicated a bankrupt. Now upon reading the notice of motion, dated the 6th day of March, 1877, and the affidavit of Augustus Frederick Haslam, filed the 1st day of March, 1877, in support thereof, and upon hearing Counsel for the applicants and for the debtor, and it appearing to the Court that the composition cannot proceed without injustice or undue delay to the creditors, it is ordered that the said John McMillan be, and he is hereby, adjudicated bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of March, 1877.

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John McMillan 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 April, 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 Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, 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 an Application by John Grayston Catchpole, of 14, Pont-street, Belgrave-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of 37, Byrne-road, Balham, in the county of Surrey, Fruiterer and Grocer, and by John Bell and George Bell, Creditors of the said John Grayston Catchpole, to adjudge the said John Grayston Catchpole Bankrupt under the provisions of section 126 of the above Act.

UPON the hearing of this application this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court having been given, that the provisions of a composition made by the said John Grayston Catchpole with his creditors, under the provisions of section 126 of the above Act, under a certain Petition presented to this Court by the said John Grayston Catchpole, on the 24th day of November, 1875, cannot, in consequence of legal difficulties, and for other sufficient causes, proceed without injustice to the said John Grayston Catchpole, and without undue delay to his creditors, it is ordered that the said John Grayston Catchpole be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Grayston Catchpole is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 16th day of April, 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 William Powell Murray, 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 Rochester.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Edmund Cope Jenkins, of No. 155, Parrock-street, Gravesend, 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 of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Edmund Cope Jenkins having been given, it is ordered that the said Edmund Cope Jenkins be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Webb Hayward, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Edmund Cope Jenkins is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Eastgate, Rochester, on the 9th day of April, 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 Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Thomas Baylis, late of the Golden Lion Hotel, Bromsgrove, in the county of Worcester, Licensed Victualler, but now residing in lodgings at No. 222, Ladywood-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick.

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 Thomas Baylis having been given, and by consent of the said William Thomas Baylis, it is ordered that the said William Thomas Baylis be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Edwin Parry, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Thomas Baylis is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 12th day of April, 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 Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against H W Burghope, of Burbury-street, Lozells, in the county of Warwick, Twine Dealer.

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 H W Burghope having been given, it is ordered that the said H W Burghope be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

John Cole, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said H W Burghope is hereby summoned to be held at this Court on the 13th day of April, 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 Sussex, holden at Hastings.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Benjamin Henry Tompsett, of Hurst Green, in the county of Sussex, Postmaster, Bookseller, and Jeweller.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said

Benjamin Henry Tompsett having been given, it is ordered that the said Benjamin Henry Tompsett be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. B. Young, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Benjamin Henry Tompsett is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Hastings, on the 14th day of April, 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 Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Wood, of North Ormesby, in the county of York, late Beerseller and Cab Proprietor, but now out of business.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debts of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Wood having been given, it is ordered that the said John Wood be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

T. Crosby, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Wood is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 12th day of April, 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 Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Richard Greenwell, of Thornley Colliery, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Richard Greenwell having been given, it is ordered that the said Richard Greenwell be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

William Marshall, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Richard Greenwell is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, Old Elvet, Durham, on the 18th day of April, 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 Hampshire, holden at Southampton.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frank Burr, of No. 12, Victoria-road, Woolston, in the county of Southampton, Gasfitter.

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 Frank Burr having been given, it is ordered that the said Frank Burr be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

John Daw, Jun., Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frank Burr is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Castle-square, Southampton, on the 18th day of April, 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 Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Robert Todd Campbell McMillan, of No. 178, Commercial-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Draper.

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 Robert Todd Campbell McMillan having been given, it is ordered that the said Robert Todd Campbell McMillan be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Henry John Davis, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Todd Campbell McMillan is hereby summoned to be held at the office of this Court, situate in Bridge-street, Newport, Monmouthshire, on the 18th day of April, 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 Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Susan Tiptaft and Charles Tiptaft, of Tinwell, in the county of Rutland, Farmers and Cowkeepers, carrying on business as Susan and Charles Tiptaft.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, by consent, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Susan Tiptaft and Charles Tiptaft having been given, it is ordered that the said Susan Tiptaft and Charles Tiptaft be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

W. D. Gaches, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Susan Tiptaft and Charles Tiptaft is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court, in the New Hall, in Peterborough aforesaid, on the 31st day of April, 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 their affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Robinson, of 41, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant and Estate Agent.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Robinson having been given, it is ordered that the said John Robinson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Tho. Belbringer, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Robinson is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 16th day of April, 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 London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Woodhouse Acland, of No. 27, Wellington-crescent, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, a Bankrupt.

Joseph Shubrook, of St. Michaels-buildings, 9, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 25th day of April, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Alexander Pooley, of 23, Bush-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Brewer's Agent, a Bankrupt.

Richard Babbidge, of 17, King-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Lewis John Massey Dean, formerly carrying on business at 33, Poultry, in the city of London, and now of 18, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

John Macdonald Henderson, of 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 26th day of April, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.

In the Matter of John Austin, of Aylesford, in the county of Kent, Barge Builder, a Bankrupt.

Henry Noakes, of Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Ironmonger, 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, Maidstone, on the 15th day of May, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

In the Matter of Benjamin Fothergill, of Rose Cottage, Clipstone, in the county of Northampton, Consulting Engineer, out of business, a Bankrupt.

John Henry Tilly, of Victoria-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Castle, at Leicester, on the 25th day of April, 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 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Thomas Woodward Hands, of High-street, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Tobaccoist, a Bankrupt.

William Dodds Lamb, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public

Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court Offices, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 19th day of April, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford. In the Matter of James Vickerstaff, of the Horse and Jockey Inn, Bradley, in the parish of Bradley, in the county of Stafford, Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

John Bishop, of Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Brewer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Shire-hall, in Stafford aforesaid, on the 11th day of April, 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 19th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of William Wallace Wright, late of 164, Great Howard-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, but now living in lodgings at 31, Great Charlotte-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Pawnbroker, a Bankrupt.

William James Nelson, of 1, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 27th day of April, 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 26th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of John Wright, of Wood-street, Middleton, in the county of Lancaster, Flour Dealer, a Bankrupt.

George Fielding, of 22, Booth-street, Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Encombe-place, Salford aforesaid, on the 11th day of April, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

In the Matter of Thomas Lees and Edward Thirald Lees, both of King-cross, in the borough of Halifax, in the county of York, Oil Cloth and Tarpaulin Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style of Thomas Lees and Company, Bankrupts.

Christopher Tate Rhodes, of Halifax, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the County Court in Halifax aforesaid, on the 18th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

On the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Charles Way, of No. 17, Royal-promenade, in the city and county of Bristol, Carver and Gilder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of September, 1873, will apply for an Order of Discharge at the Guildhall, Small-street, Bristol.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the joint estate of George Stiff and Alfred Flower, of 139,

Fleet-street, in the city of London, adjudicated bankrupts on the 21st day of August, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 16th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

Lewis H. Evans, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Richard Riding, of the Townley Arms Inn, Park-road, Chorley, in the county of Lancaster, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of December, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 13th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

Joseph Smith, Trustee.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Robert Emery, of 9, Mount-street-square, Cardiff, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of January, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 16th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

*Geo. B. Dyer,
S. S. Howard, Trustees.*

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edwin Thomas Hosier, of 4, Lozells-road, Aston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Baker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of December, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 9th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

Luke J. Sharp, Trustee.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

A Second and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Samuel Charles Coombes, of West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Brick and Manure Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of July, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 9th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

*G. W. Lar,
W. H. Winter, Trustees.*

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Trotter, of 57, Whitechapel, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ladies' Outfitter, trading as Crawford and Smith, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of January, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 12th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

J. R. Clarke, Trustee.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William James Hollidge and Thomas Smallridge the younger, of Portland-road, and also of High-street, South Norwood, in the county of Surrey, carrying on business as Copartners, as Builders, Contractors, and Decorators, adjudicated bankrupts on the 6th day of January, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 12th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated the 26th day of March, 1877.

J. R. Clarke, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A DIVIDEND is intended to be declared in the matter of John Edmund Perry, of 3, Lombard-chambers, Bixteth-street, and 1, Apsley-buildings, Old Hall-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business there in copartnership with John Holden, under the style or firm of John Holden and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of May, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 7th day of April, 1877, will be excluded from the benefit of the Second and Final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Edward Horley, of 218, Whitecross-street, Saint Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, and at No. 6, King-street, Cloth-fair, in the city of London, Baker, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Hazlitt, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 2nd day of November, 1876, reporting that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of affairs could not be realized for

the benefit of the creditors, that it has not been brought to the knowledge of the said Registrar-Trustee that the bankrupt has since the adjudication acquired any property that could be so realized, and that in the opinion of the said Registrar-Trustee it is expedient that the bankruptcy should be closed, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor, acting on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 9th day of January, 1877, and no person appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of affairs could not be realized for the benefit of the creditors, that it has not been brought to the knowledge of the said Registrar-Trustee that the bankrupt has since the adjudication acquired any property that could be so realized, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Edward Horley has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of February, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Auguste Frederic Grover, of 6, Wormwood-street, in the city of London, Commission Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Pepps, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 22nd day of February, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt, enumerated in his statement of affairs, was worthless, and that really, at the date of the adjudication, the bankrupt was not possessed of any assets, and upon the application of the Trustee, and no creditor appearing to oppose, and upon reading the report of the Official Assignee, dated the 27th March, 1876, and the affidavit of Talbot James Haslam, sworn the 19th day of March, 1877, the Court being satisfied that, at the date of the adjudication, the bankrupt was not possessed of any assets, nor that any assets have since devolved upon him, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Auguste Frederic Grover has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Davies Chapman, of the Sun Tavern, Starch Green, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Hazlitt, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 2nd day of November, 1876, reporting that according to the accounts rendered to the Comptroller in Bankruptcy, by the late Trustee, the whole of the property of the bankrupt appears to have been realized, that it has not been brought to the knowledge of the said Registrar-Trustee that the bankrupt has since the adjudication acquired any further property that could be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that in the opinion of the said Registrar-Trustee it is expedient that the bankruptcy should be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 8th day of January, 1877, and the proceedings in the bankruptcy, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor, acting on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no person appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that according to the accounts rendered to the Comptroller in Bankruptcy by the late Trustee, the whole of the property of the bankrupt appears to have been realized, that it has not been brought to the knowledge of the said Registrar-Trustee that the bankrupt has since the adjudication acquired any further property that could be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy should be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said William Davies Chapman has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 19th day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff.

In the Matter of William Hall Gerrish, of No. 1, Saint John's-square, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 12th day of March, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been so realized, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said William Hall Gerrish has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of March, 1877.

THE estates of John Swann, Stationer, Hamilton-place, Stockbridge, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 27th day of March, 1877, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated 27th March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1877, within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 27th July, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for the election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

DONALD MACPHERSON, Solicitor,
75, Princes-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of John Smeaton Cameron, Spirit Merchant, in Arbroath, were sequestrated on the 27th day of March, 1877, by the Sheriff of the county of Forfar.

The first deliverance is dated 27th March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1877, within the White Hart Hotel, Arbroath.

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 27th day of July, 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 Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

D. and W. SMITH and BENNETT, Solicitors,
Arbroath, Agents.

THE estates of T. and J. Wright, Contractors and Causewayers, 64, Hill-street East, Glasgow, and James Wright, Contractor and Causewayer there, the sole Partner of said firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on 23rd March, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 23rd March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1877, 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 23rd July, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the said James Wright, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WM. PATERSON, Writer, 71, Hutcheson-street,
Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of Robert Hunter, Baker, 4, Taylor-place, Govan-road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 26th day of March, 1877, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 6th day of April next within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th day of July, 1877.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

G. L. CLARK, 123, West George-street,
Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of Lamont and Thomson, Gasalier and Gas Bracket Manufacturers, Brassfounders, and Hydraulic Engineers, in Glasgow, and John Thomson, Gasalier and Gas Bracket Manufacturer, Brassfounder, and Hydraulic Engineer, in Glasgow, one of the Partners of the said firm of Lamont and Thomson, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on 26th March, 1877, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 15th March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Friday, the 6th April, 1877, 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 26th July, 1877.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

LINDSAY, PATERSON, and CO., W.S.,
63, George-street, Edinburgh, Agents.

THE estates of John McKie, junr, and Company, Merchants, Glasgow, and John McKie, junr, Merchant there, and David Campbell Paton, Merchant there, the

Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 26th day of March, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1877, within the Faculty of Procurators' Hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th day of July, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupts, John McKie, jun., and David Campbell Paton, till the meeting for the election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

KEYDENS, STRANG, and GIRVAN, Writers,
186, West George-street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of James Watson Waddell, Confectioner, Lansdowne-lane, off Great Western-road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 27th March, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 27th March, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 9th day of April next, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 27th July, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupts till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

THOS. HART, Writer, 63, Renfield-street,
Glasgow, Agent.

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