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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1877.

*Downing Street, December 5, 1877.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Roger Tuckfield Goldsworthy, Esq., C.M.G., Colonial Secretary of Western Australia, to be the Senior Member of the Legislative Council of that Colony.

*Whitehall, December 6, 1877.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Henry Tarlton, M.A., to the Rectory of Southam, in the county of Warwick, and diocese of Worcester, void by the resignation of the Reverend Mayow Wynell Mayow, M.A., the last Incumbent.

*Whitehall, November 30, 1877.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Long, of Scotterthorpe, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of William Harrison Osborne, late of Scotterthorpe, in the said county of Lincoln, Gentleman, deceased, take, use, and adopt henceforth the surname of Harrison Osborne in lieu of and not in addition to the surname of Long.

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

(S. & C. 2435.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
December 6, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Tunis, reporting that the exportation from the Regency of wheat and barley will be prohibited three months after the 30th October last.

(S. & C. 2442-2443.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,  
December 6, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs two Despatches from Her Majesty's Minister at Constantinople, reporting the prohibition of the export of wheat and barley from the vilayet of Aidin,

and the extension until the 1st (13th) March next of the exemption from duty of wheat, maize, and rye, and of the flour of those cereals imported into Constantinople for local consumption.

*Admiralty, 5th December, 1877.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 30th April, 1877—  
Chief Engineer John Downes has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date.

*Admiralty, 7th December, 1877.*

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
Liverpool Brigade.*

George Edward Greaves, Esq., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1877.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
7th December, 1877.*

*Royal Horse Guards, Captain Henry Adelbert Wellington Fitz-Roy, Marquis of Worcester, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th December, 1877.*

*2nd Dragoons, Captain and Brevet Major Charles Hill Uniacke to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. M. Browne, promoted into the 3rd Dragoon Guards. Dated 24th November, 1877.*

*Lieutenant the Honourable Walter Philip Alexander to be Captain, vice Brevet Major C. H. Uniacke. Dated 24th November, 1877.*

*9th Lancers, Lieutenant the Honourable Godfrey Ernest Percival Willoughby to be Captain, vice the Honourable H. Legge, made Supernumerary on being appointed an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 1st June, 1877.*

*21st Hussars, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel R. Bannatyne MacLeod retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.*

*Royal Artillery, The undermentioned Veterinary-Surgeons on probation to be Veterinary-Surgeons:—*

*Daniel Chambers Pallin, vice E. T. Cheeseman, transferred to the 5th Dragoon Guards. Dated 21st April, 1877.*

*Joshua Arthur Nunn, vice J. Tatam, promoted Staff Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 21st April, 1877.*

- 1st Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas French Ross to be Captain, vice G. Deane, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 2nd Foot*, Lieutenant John Paton Lawrie to be Captain, vice Brevet Major A. B. Mitchell, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 3rd Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Wallick Maclear to be Captain, vice A. T. Wilkinson, retired. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 4th Foot*, Paymaster John Robert Wilton resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd November, 1877.
- 7th Foot*, The retirement from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission, dated 24th November, 1877, of Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Goodlad Daubeny, is cancelled.
- Lieutenant Thomas Groube to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. H. Surman, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 8th Foot*, Lieutenant William Freeman Kelly to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant W. Louis, promoted. Dated 12th September, 1877.
- 10th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Hudson to be Major, vice R. T. F. Stammers, retired on a pension. Dated 31st October, 1877.
- Lieutenant Hougham Charles Huntley to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. Hudson. Dated 31st October, 1877.
- Lieutenant George Hood to be Captain, vice W. N. Whitty, retired on a pension. Dated 31st October, 1877.
- Lieutenant Richard George Southey to be Captain, vice Brevet Major O. H. Strong, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 13th Foot*, Lieutenant Christian Hollingworth to be Captain, vice G. Kemmis, retired. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 14th Foot*, Captain David Anderson-Ogden, from the 55th Foot, to be Captain, vice R. H. Atkinson, who exchanges. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- Lieutenant Frank Field Wayet resigns his Commission. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 15th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Hanstock to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. C. J. Lacy, promoted. Dated 1st September, 1877.
- 16th Foot*, Lieutenant William Aldworth to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant F. F. Johnstone, promoted. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 17th Foot*, Lieutenant John Henry Gamble to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. H. Parker, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- Lieutenant Arthur Henry Wentworth Mansergh to be Captain, vice Brevet Major T. R. Hunt, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- Lieutenant Albert Llewellyn Creasy retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 18th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Charles Edmund Phipps, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice J. A. J. Briggs, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 19th Foot*, Lieutenant John Jameson to be Captain, vice Brevet Major G. Baldwin, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- Lieutenant Herbert Leigh Gipps to be Captain, vice G. D. Michell, retired. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 29th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant D'Arcy Richard Chapman to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th September, 1876, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 10th September, 1876.
- 34th Foot*, Lieutenant James Forbes Chisholm-Batten to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Watson, who resigns that appointment. Dated 7th April, 1876.
- 35th Foot*, Lieutenant Byron Plantagenet Cary to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. H. Ballingall, retired on a Pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- Sub-Lieutenant Donisthorpe Alsop Benjamin Donne to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1875.
- 47th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Grainville Waddilove retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 53rd Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Johnston Stoney Talbot to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th October, 1875.
- 55th Foot*, Captain Richard Henry Atkinson, from the 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice D. A. Ogden, who exchanges. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 62nd Foot*, The surname of the Sub-Lieutenant who resigned his Commission on 31st October, 1877, is Robertson, and not Robinson as stated in the Gazette of 30th idem.
- 63rd Foot*, Captain Charles Ellison Terrot to be Major, vice C. H. Kinahan, retired on half-pay. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- Lieutenant Frederic Whitworth Russell Jones to be Captain, vice C. E. Terrot. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 69th Foot*, Captain Henry Harrison Bartlett retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- Lieutenant Henry Stanhope Holmes to be Captain, vice E. P. Townley, retired. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 71st Foot*, Second Lieutenant Arthur Cecil Graham Montgomery, from the 102nd Foot, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. A. S. Inglis, promoted. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 77th Foot*, Captain Herbert Frederic L. Browne retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 79th Foot*, Captain Henry Currie (Supernumerary List), retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 88th Foot*, Lieutenant Sir George Albert de Hoche-pied-Larpent, Bart., to be Captain, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Fry, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.
- 90th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Lethbridge to be Captain, vice J. Campbell, made Supernumerary on being appointed an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 31st August, 1877.
- 93rd Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant John Hasluck Campbell, to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1877.
- 99th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Henry James Day retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.
- 100th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Hartley Prior to be Captain, vice Brevet Major J. Lazenby, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.

103rd Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Needham T. Parsons retires on half-pay. Dated 8th December, 1877.

103th Foot, Captain Lambert Francis Wilson Dwyer, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 8th December, 1877.

178th Foot, Captain John Charles Thompson retires on a pension. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain Charles Alfred Vaughton Foulger retires from the Service. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Rifle Brigade, Captain Charles Francis Blackett retires on half-pay. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Lieutenant Augustus Charles Frederick Fitz-George to be Captain, vice Brevet Major H. A. St. John Mildmay, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.

Lieutenant Edward Annesley Pegge Burnell to be Captain, vice Brevet Major C. W. Cragg, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.

Lieutenant James Walter, Lord Torphichen to be Captain, vice J. Whybrow, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Edward William Colville to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1876, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 10th September, 1875.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant John Meredith Maltby to be Captain, vice Brevet Major F. Shearman, retired on a pension. Dated 24th November, 1877.

Sub-Lieutenant William Stewart, from the Supernumerary List, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. M. Maltby. Dated 24th November, 1877.

Medical Department, Surgeon-Major Archibald Henry Fraser to be Deputy Surgeon-General, vice Vere Webb, retired on half-pay. Dated 18th September, 1877.

Surgeon-Major Charles Rattray, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 26th October, 1877.

Surgeon-Major William Samuel Chapman retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 11th November, 1877.

Army Hospital Corps, The Christian names of Lieutenant of Orderlies Johnston, are *George William Myers*, and not as stated in the Gazette of 24th June, 1873.

Chaplain's Department, The Reverend Joseph Corbett to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 1st April, 1876, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

Half-Pay, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Douglass Harvest, Staff Officer of Pensioners, from half-pay, late 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, from half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, from half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Clement R. Johnson, from the 50th Foot, to be Major. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Major Æneas Gordon Blair, from the 14th Foot, to be Major. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain George Edwards, from the 17th Foot, to be Major, vice W. T. Baker, whose promotion, dated 30th June, 1877, from Captain and Brevet Major, 12th Foot, has been cancelled. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain Newton Jones Pauli, from the 60th Foot, to be Major. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Retired Full-Pay, Major and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, retires on full-pay. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Major and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, retires on full-pay. Dated 1st November, 1877.

## BREVET.

To have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on full-pay:—

Major and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Major and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.

To have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on a pension:—

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel R. Bannatyne MacLeod, 21st Hussars. Dated 8th December, 1877.

To have the honorary rank of Colonel upon retiring on a pension:—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Grainville Waddilove, 47th Foot. Dated 8th December, 1877.

To have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on a pension:—

Captain and Brevet Major Henry James Day, 99th Foot. Dated 8th December, 1877.

To have the honorary rank of Major upon retiring on a pension:—

Captain Herbert Frederic L. Browne, 77th Foot; Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain Henry Harrison Bartlett, 69th Foot. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain Henry Currie, 79th Foot. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Captain John Charles Thompson, 108th Foot. Dated 8th December, 1877.

To be Major in accordance with the provisions of Article 18 (f) of the Royal Warrant of 13th August, 1877:—

Captain John Biddulph, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 8th December, 1877.

## To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Spalding S. Evans Gordon, half-pay, late 23rd Foot, Governor and Commandant Royal Victoria Hospital at Netley. Dated 1st October, 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Preston, 44th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1877.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Powlett Lane, 21st Hussars. Dated 1st October, 1877.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Godfrey Clerk, Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st October, 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel Archibald Tisdall, 35th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1877.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, viz. :—

To be Major-Generals. Dated 8th December, 1877 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Archibald Hugh Hope, Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Frederick Stoddard, Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Joseph Hume Spry Pierce, Bombay Staff Corps.

To be Colonel. Dated 8th December, 1877 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Hector Mackenzie, Bengal Staff Corps.

To be Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 8th December, 1877 :—

Surgeon-Major Charles George Wishe, Bombay Army.

#### MEMORANDA.

Captain Francis Henry Baillie, half-pay, late 60th Foot, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th November, 1877.

The undermentioned Lieutenants from the Militia to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 8th December, 1877 :—

1st Dragoon Guards, James Cumming Dewar, Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant E. Bolton, transferred to the 2nd Dragoons.

5th Dragoon Guards, Stephen John Hatfield Harter, Bedford, in succession to Lieutenant J. O. Lambert, promoted.

6th Dragoon Guards, Allan Cathcart, Lord Greenock, North York, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. MacGeorge, promoted.

8th Hussars, Edwin Christy, West Kent, in succession to Lieutenant G. A. de Visme, promoted.

10th Hussars, The Honourable George Leopold Bellew, Kilkenny, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable C. C. W. Cavendish, promoted.

18th Hussars, Fenwick Bulmer de Sales La Terrière, 2nd or South Devon, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant E. Hegan, transferred to the 5th Dragoon Guards.

1st Foot, David Fitz-Ameline Robert Ancketill, Royal South Down, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant M. G. C. Tenison, superseded for absence without leave.

Archibald McLachlan, 1st West York, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant L. S. H. Baker, transferred to the 83rd Foot.

2nd Foot, William Faithfull Allen, Royal London, in succession to Lieutenant N. W. T. Bosanquet, deceased.

7th Foot, Francis Charles Sartoris, Royal North Gloucester, in succession to Lieutenant T. Groube, promoted.

9th Foot, Arthur Sidney Vesey, 7th Royal Lancashire, in succession to Lieutenant T. Farley, promoted.

11th Foot, Frederick Cadwallader Smith-Dodsworth, Oxford, in succession to Lieutenant S. B. Astley, promoted.

15th Foot, Arthur John Nettleship, Royal Jersey, in succession to Lieutenant L. W. Jelf, resigned.

16th Foot, Herbert Sturges Barlow, 2nd West York, in succession to Lieutenant F. J. Harden, promoted.

19th Foot, Edward John Bentley Buckle, North York, on augmentation.

Thomas David Kirkpatrick, Royal South Down, in succession to Lieutenant A. Roche, deceased. John Colin Wardlaw, Highland Rifle, in succession to Lieutenant G. G. Elrington, transferred to the 54th Foot.

20th Foot, Sir Grenville Louis John Temple, Bart., Royal North Gloucester, in succession to Lieutenant A. L. Swift, resigned.

Arthur Abington Goodden, Royal South Gloucester, in succession to Lieutenant J. K. McCausland, promoted.

22nd Foot, Cecil Francis de Lys Eardley-Wilmot, 1st Royal Cheshire, in succession to Lieutenant C. M. H. Newington, promoted.

26th Foot, John Douglas Maude Guthrie, Highland Rifle, in succession to Lieutenant A. McClintock, resigned.

34th Foot, Ernest Charles Penn Carzon, Royal Jersey, in succession to Lieutenant C. E. Mahon, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.

76th Foot, George Philip Berkeley Molyneux, 4th Royal Lancashire, in succession to Lieutenant A. A. R. Logan, promoted.

81st Foot, Frederic Ronald Borrow, the King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets, in succession to Lieutenant G. E. Chambers, deceased.

84th Foot, James Lowry, Royal East Middlesex, in succession to Lieutenant W. T. Briscoe, promoted.

William John Arthur Charles James Cavendish-Bentinck, 2nd Stafford, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant S. C. H. Monro, transferred to the 72nd Foot.

Henry Southey Scholes, 6th Royal Lancashire, in succession to Lieutenant J. H. C. Carey, resigned.

88th Foot, John Frederick Blennerhassett, Waterford Artillery, on augmentation.

103rd Foot, Alexander Mackintosh Horrocks, 3rd Royal Surrey, in succession to Lieutenant N. B. Barlow, resigned.

108th Foot, James Rea, Northumberland, in succession to Lieutenant C. A. V. Foulger, promoted.

#### MILITIA MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Edward Jackson, M.D., 2nd Warwick, resigns his Commission. Dated 8th December, 1877.

Surgeon William Cullinan, Clare, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 5th April, 1877.

#### India Office, 6th December, 1877.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions, alterations of rank, &c., among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Services made by the Governments in India :—

#### BREVET.

##### To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Charles Samuel Steward, Madras Cavalry, in succession to General Sir W. L. Griffies-Williams, Bart., Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 24th May, 1877.

*To be Major.*

Captain Arthur William Roberts, Bengal Cavalry, in succession to Colonel (borne as Major-General on the Indian List) H. D. Innes, Madras Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 28th March, 1877.

Major Irvine Low, Bengal Cavalry, to rank from 19th March, 1877, in succession to Colonel (borne as Major-General on the Indian List) J. White, Madras Staff Corps, deceased.

Major George Charles Jackson, Bengal Cavalry, to rank from 23rd March, 1877, in succession to Lieutenant-General F. Rowcroft, C.B., Bengal Infantry, deceased.

**SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.  
BENGAL STAFF CORPS.**

*To be Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major Edmund John Lemoyne Twynam. Dated 20th August, 1877.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Dudley Thomas Heatley Simpson. Dated 20th August, 1877.

Captain Richard Percival Davis. Dated 22nd August, 1877.

Captain James Calder Stewart. Dated 4th September, 1877.

Captain John Francis FitzGerald Cologan. Dated 20th September, 1877.

Captain Ninian Lewis. Dated 20th September, 1877.

*To be Captain.*

Lieutenant Frederick Augustus Remington. Dated 22nd September, 1877.

**MADRAS STAFF CORPS.**

*To be Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major Alexander William Crawford Lindsay. Dated 26th August, 1877.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Coryndon Thomas Putt Luxmoore. Dated 4th August, 1877.

Captain Henry William Blair. Dated 4th August, 1877.

Captain Bowness Fisher. Dated 4th August, 1877.

Captain Kenlis Fergus Stevenson. Dated 4th August, 1877.

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Donald Robertson. Dated 8th August, 1877.

Lieutenant William George Currie Johnstone. Dated 8th August, 1877.

**BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.**

*To be Captain.*

Lieutenant James Nicholson Sodon Kirkwood. Dated 1st September, 1877.

**RESIGNATION.**

Lieutenant Charles Swaine Hogge, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 26th September, 1877.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th ultimo.]

**MEMORANDUM.**

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Ainslie Douglas Ainslie, Esq., being appointed Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen. Dated 17th November, 1877.

**NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, December 1, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the amount awarded for salvage services rendered to the Austrian barque "Peti Dubrowacky," on the 22nd February, 1877, by Her Majesty's ship "Jackal."

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

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

**NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, December 3, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for two slave dhows, names unknown, captured on the 30th of November, 1876, by Her Majesty's ship "London," will commence on Friday, the 14th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, New-street, Spring-gardens, S.W."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, London, S.W." (enclosing his certificate of service or an attested copy thereof, excepting in the case of Commissioned Officers),—in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs, or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

The following are the shares due to an individual in the several classes:—

	£	s.	d.
Flag . . . . .	14	10	7
Captain . . . . .	42	2	10
Second class . . . . .	6	17	2
Third class . . . . .	5	17	6
Fourth class . . . . .	3	18	4
Fifth class . . . . .	2	7	1
Sixth class . . . . .	1	19	2
Seventh class . . . . .	1	7	5
Eighth class . . . . .	0	15	8
Ninth class . . . . .	0	7	9
Tenth class . . . . .	0	3	10

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Dalton-le-Dale, in the county and diocese of Durham, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage, shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year, of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of Durham, to the effect, firstly, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Bishop, has been employed within the parish of Dalton-le-Dale aforesaid during the quarter of the year then ended, and is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum; and, secondly, that Divine Services have been performed to the satisfaction of the said Bishop during the same period in each of the two churches of the Holy Trinity and Saint Andrew, within the said parish of Dalton-le-Dale: Provided also, that the yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds expressed to be hereby granted by us, shall be, and be taken to be, in lieu of and in full substitution for the yearly sum or stipend of fifty pounds, heretofore payable by us, the said Commissioners (subject to certain conditions), to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Dalton-le-Dale, under the authority of an instrument sealed by us on the seventeenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and published in the London Gazette of the twenty-fifth day of the same month and year: And provided further, that the said yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of Dalton-le-Dale.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Loddon, in the county of Norfolk, and in the diocese of Norwich, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, one yearly sum or stipend of twenty-three pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: And we do also hereby grant and appropriate out of our said common fund to the said vicarage of Loddon, one

capital sum of one thousand and five hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Loddon: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend of twenty-three pounds, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of one thousand pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Christ Church, Pennington, sometime part of the parish of Leigh, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Manchester, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Christ Church, Pennington, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund, as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the district chapelry and benefice of Christ Church, Broad Green, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, and in the diocese of Canterbury, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds, such yearly

sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said district chapelry and benefice shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year, of a certificate under the hand of the Archbishop of Canterbury, that two Assistant-Curates, duly licensed by such Archbishop, have been employed within the limits of the district chapelry of Christ Church, Broad Green, Croydon aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended, and that one of such Curates is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said district chapelry and benefice of Christ Church, Broad Green, Croydon.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Yatton, in the county of Somerset, and in the diocese of Bath and Wells, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all our estate and interest in the churchyard of the parish of Yatton aforesaid, and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, to have and to hold the said churchyard with its appurtenances, to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Saint Catherine, in the city and county of the city of Gloucester, and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, one yearly sum or stipend of sixty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the thirteenth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year, of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Bishop, has been employed within the parish

of Saint Catherine, in the city of Gloucester aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of Saint Catherine, in the city of Gloucester.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Ilfracombe, in the county of Devon, and in the diocese of Exeter, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all those two pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, and now vested in us: To have and to hold the said pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments, with their appurtenances, to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the said pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments expressed to be hereby granted and conveyed, shall, as from the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, be and be taken to be in lieu of, and in substitution for, a portion amounting to ten pounds per annum of the yearly sum or stipend of fifty-eight pounds, heretofore payable by us, the said Commissioners, to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Ilfracombe, under the authority of an instrument sealed by us on the thirteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and published in the London Gazette of the twenty-first day of the same month and year: And provided also, that the said grant and conveyance shall be, and be taken to be, in full discharge of any liability resting, or assumed to rest, upon us, the said Commissioners, in respect of the repair and maintenance of any buildings on and upon the said lands and hereditaments so granted and conveyed.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

*Schedule.*

Lands, &c., in the parish of Ilfracombe, in the county of Devon.

Number on Tithe Map.	Description.	Quantity.
261	Parsonage Meadow ...	A. R. P. 1 0 6
262	Vicarage house, garden, orchard, &c.	1 3 32
		2 3 38

The above lands and hereditaments are delineated on the plan hereunto annexed, and are thereon coloured yellow.



## 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 Ledbury, in the county of Hereford, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Feathers Hotel, in Ledbury, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, 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 Ledbury aforesaid.

*Algernon West.  
Chas. Keith-Falconer.*

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,  
London, December 5, 1877.

## MERSEY CONSERVANCY.

Mersey Conservancy Office,  
8, Richmond-terrace, London.

THE Commissioners for the Conservancy of the River Mersey hereby give notice, pursuant to the 9th section of the Act 5 and 6 Victoria, cap. 110, intituled "An Act for the better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey," that they have received from Messrs. Hault and Wise, of 5, Fenwick-street, Liverpool, a notice given pursuant to the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, in relation to a proposed work in extension of the Tranmere Ferry Landing Stage, on the west side of the Mersey, a copy of which notice is subjoined.

By order of the Commissioners,  
J. PERRIER.

*To the Mersey Conservancy Commissioners.*

5, Fenwick-street, Liverpool,  
November 29, 1877.

GENTLEMEN,  
ON behalf of Samuel Davies, Esq., of Mollington, Chester, we beg to give notice that, subject to your approval, we intend making certain alterations in the position of the Tranmere Ferry Landing Stage, situate on the west or Cheshire side of the River Mersey; viz.:—To move the stage in a position 35 feet further to the eastward than it is at present; to construct and moor an inside pontoon where shown on plan, to carry the end of present bridge, such pontoon being moored independently, but connected with the landing stage in its new position; and further to extend the low-water approach (power to construct which was granted 1st July, 1874) 35 feet further to the eastward, or sufficiently far to connect the stone slip with the landing stage in its new position. And further, that it is Mr. Davies' intention to commence the above works on or after the 1st day of February, 1878.

We have the honour to be,  
Gentlemen,  
Yours very faithfully,  
*Hault and Wise, C.E. and Architects.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Rehoboth Baptist Chapel, situate at Chapel-place, Tunbridge Wells, in the parish of Tunbridge, in the county of Kent, in the district of Tunbridge, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 14th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 15th day of November, 1877.

*Frank Wm. Stone, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Congregational Church, situate at High-street, in the parish of Tunbridge, in the county of Kent, in the district of Tunbridge, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, 24th November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as the Independent Chapel, now disused.

Witness my hand this 27th November, 1877.

*Frank Wm. Stone, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and Saint Dominic, situate at Ballance-road, Homerton, in the parish of Saint John, at Hackney, in the district of Hackney, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 15th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as the Temporary Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and Saint Dominic, situate at Ballance-road, Homerton aforesaid, now disused.

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

*Jno. Godwin, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Holly Mount Congregational Church, situate at Queen's-road, in the parish of Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester, in the district of Upton-on-Severn, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 17th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 20th day of November, 1877.

*George Powell, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Welsh Baptist Chapel, situate at Upper Medlock-street, in the township of Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, in the district of Chorlton, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 17th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 20th day of November, 1877.

*Wm. N. Edgill, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Church, situate at Higher Ardwick, in the township of Ardwick, in the county of Lancaster, in the district of Chorlton, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, 19th November instant, duly registered for



solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as Ogden-street Chapel, Ardwick, now disused.

Witness my hand this 20th November, 1877.  
*Wm. N. Edgill, Superintendent Registrar.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Markyate Street Baptist Chapel, situate at Markyate Street, in the parish of Flamsted, in the county of Hertford, in the district of Hemel Hempsted, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 26th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as the Baptist Meeting House, at Markyate Street aforesaid, now disused.

Witness my hand this 27th day of November, 1877.  
*Samuel Stratton, Superintendent Registrar.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named St. David's and St. Patrick's Catholic Church, situate at Dew-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, in the town and county of Haverfordwest, in the district of Haverfordwest, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 28th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 29th day of November, 1877.  
*Richard James, Superintendent Registrar.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Tabernacle, situate at Saint David's, in the parish of Saint David's, in

the county of Pembroke, in the district of Haverfordwest, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 30th day of November, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 1st day of December, 1877.

*Richard James, Superintendent Registrar.*

**W**HEREAS John West, late of London, Scrivener, and Frances, his wife, both deceased, did in their several lifetimes settle on the Governors of Christ's Hospital divers estates in and about the city of London and elsewhere, and the said Frances West did also by her will give a sum of money to the said Governors, to be laid out in the purchase of lands, &c., the profits thereof to be applied for the payment of annuities or pensions of £5 to poor men and poor women of the age of fifty years and upwards during their natural lives, and directed that their relations by consanguinity should have the preference; the said Governors do hereby give notice, that any persons qualified as aforesaid who shall stand in need of the said charity, may forthwith apply to the said Governors, at their counting-house in the said Hospital, for the necessary form on which to make out their relationship to the donors, or either of them.

A Committee will sit in the said Hospital on Wednesday, the 16th January, 1878, to elect pensioners in the room of such as are deceased.—  
 December 5, 1877.

*M. S. S. Dipnall, Clerk.*

**BANK OF ENGLAND.**

*AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 5th day of December, 1877.*

**ISSUE DEPARTMENT.**

			£				£
Notes issued	...	...	37,848,905	Government Debt	...	...	11,015,100
				Other Securities	...	...	3,984,900
				Gold Coin and Bullion	...	...	22,848,905
				Silver Bullion	...	...	—
			<u>£37,848,905</u>				<u>£37,848,905</u>

Dated the 6th day of December, 1877.

*F. May, Chief Cashier.*

**BANKING DEPARTMENT.**

			£				£
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	...	13,182,326
Reserve	...	...	3,061,148	Other Securities	...	...	17,475,305
Public Deposits (including Exchequer, Savings Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	...	...	4,656,903	Notes	...	...	10,835,505
Other Deposits	...	...	19,629,343	Gold and Silver Coin	...	...	769,098
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	361,810				
			<u>£42,262,234</u>				<u>£42,262,234</u>

Dated the 6th day of December, 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 24th day of November, 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	264837	519969	784806	500588	75662	576250
Royal Bank of Scotland .....									
British Linen Company .....	British Linen Company .....	Edinburgh	438024	198457	417353	615810	205294	51775	257070
Commercial Bank of Scotland .....	Commercial Bank of Scotland .....	Edinburgh	374580	275227	612980	888207	572267	47531	619798
National Bank of Scotland .....	National Bank of Scotland .....	Edinburgh	297024	214003	470291	684295	438498	41166	479665
Union Bank of Scotland .....	Union Bank of Scotland .....	Edinburgh	454346	299915	577924	877839	497421	59731	557152
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company .....	Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company .....	Aberdeen	70133	114707	138573	253281	194702	17588	212291
North of Scotland Banking Company .....									
Clydesdale Banking Company .....	Clydesdale Banking Company .....	Glasgow	274321	223771	383768	607539	355396	63606	419002
City of Glasgow Bank .....	City of Glasgow Bank .....	Glasgow	72921	256196	437291	693487	639508	32140	671648
Caledonian Banking Company .....	Caledonian Banking Company .....	Inverness	53434	47695	90482	138177	92840	6065	98905

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 6th day of December, 1877.

W. H. COUSINS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES OF COTTON Imported, Exported, forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns, and returned to Ports, during the Month and 11 Months ended 30th November, 1877, compared with the corresponding Months of the Years 1876 and 1875.

Description of Cotton.	Imports.			Exports.			Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1877	1876	1875	1877	1876	1875	1877	1876	1875	1877	1876	1875
Month ended 30th November, 1877.												
American ... ..	159,622	152,307	115,304	8,050	6,918	10,118	161,508	156,218	141,135	402	1,211	881
Brazilian ... ..	4,014	28,882	20,385	2,063	...	750	32,036	51,122	26,867	...	12	...
East Indian ... ..	10,425	50,610	73,178	21,896	25,594	37,350	25,548	51,370	43,515	...	...	...
Egyptian ... ..	48,726	60,449	41,604	1,955	1,275	847	26,588	35,226	29,133	31	13	...
Miscellaneous ... ..	6,502	22,352	9,428	1,048	1,719	1,558	3,622	3,796	2,889	...	...	...
Total ... ..	229,389	314,600	259,899	38,012	35,506	50,623	249,302	297,732	243,539	433	1,236	881
11 Months, ended 30th November, 1877.												
American ... ..	1,774,771	1,824,558	1,575,386	90,688	100,295	142,655	1,775,422	1,749,540	1,498,087	5,349	7,642	7,906
Brazilian ... ..	304,634	282,375	397,123	10,218	17,136	23,737	334,579	254,300	384,319	80	13	75
East Indian ... ..	502,917	726,265	980,945	238,514	336,517	442,163	269,149	397,508	478,303	122	228	1,097
Egyptian ... ..	232,463	270,452	203,500	22,902	9,334	8,745	233,124	236,971	213,901	764	488	488
Miscellaneous ... ..	64,480	91,593	93,452	9,314	12,487	23,675	26,993	26,243	43,403	4	28	151
Total ... ..	2,879,265	3,195,243	3,240,406	371,636	475,769	640,975	2,639,267	2,664,562	2,618,013	6,319	8,399	9,717

Dated 5th December, 1877

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

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 5th December, 1877.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	...	...	...	...	1,241,894	1,241,894
Holland ... ..	6,713	...	6,713	...	15,556	15,556
France ... ..	3,491	...	3,491	28,768	...	28,768
Portugal ... ..	3,335	...	3,335	...	...	...
British India ... ..	...	8,721	8,721	18,480	...	18,480
Australia ... ..	...	13,249	13,249	...	24,714	24,714
South America (except Brazil)	838	10,523	11,361	448,585	149,078	597,663
United States ... ..	...	...	...	3,570	89,714	93,284
Other Countries ... ..	1,537	830	2,367	33,360	2,559	35,919
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	15,914	33,323	49,237	532,763	1,523,515	2,056,278
Declared Value of the said Importations ... }	£ 63,005	£ 133,281	£ 196,286	£ 124,155	£ 345,069	£ 469,224

  

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Spain ... ..	...	...	16,605	16,605	...	...	778,314	778,314
British Possessions in S. Africa	38,540	...	...	38,540	...	...	...	...
British India ... ..	...	...	...	...	234,064	355,369	589,433	
China and Hong Kong ... ..	...	...	...	...	177,396	...	177,396	
South America (except Brazil)	...	...	...	7,053	...	...	7,053	
Other Countries ... ..	37	333	...	370	3,486	10,964	1,128	15,578
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	38,577	333	16,605	55,515	10,539	422,424	1,134,811	1,567,774
Declared Value of the said Exportations ... }	£ 150,147	£ 1,228	£ 70,300	£ 221,675	£ 2,880	£ 93,110	£ 286,065	£ 382,055

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,  
December 6, 1877.

S. SELDON,  
Principal.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I JOHN GUNN, of Cardiff, hereby give notice, that in consequence of our having rebuilt and purchased the wreck of the barque "Richard Cowell," it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Richard Cowell," of Cardiff, official number 53,349, of gross tonnage 384 tons, of register tonnage 303 tons; heretofore owned by John George Coppock and Thomas Sullivan, of Cardiff, for permission to change her name to "Caledon," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Cardiff as owned by J. and M. Gunn and Co.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine

Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Cardiff, this 4th day of December, 1877.

John Gunn.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I JOSEPH BARRY HAYES, of Goole, in the county of York, Secretary and General Manager of the Goole Steam Shipping Company Limited, of Goole, hereby give notice, that in consequence of the steamers belonging to the said Company being generally named after the Directors of the same, it is the intention of the said Company to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect to their ship "Wynyard," of

Goole, official number 62,349, of gross tonnage 527.56 tons, of register tonnage 338.31 tons, heretofore owned by Thomas and William Smith, of North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, for permission to change her name to "John Bladworth," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Goole, as owned by the Goole Steam Shipping Company Limited, of Goole.

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

Dated at Goole, this 3rd day of December, 1877.

*Jos. Barry Hayes*, Secretary and General Manager of the Goole Steam Shipping Company Limited.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Daniel Clark, of the city of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, Ironfounder, for "certain improvements in stench trapped gullies," dated the 27th day of May, 1864, and in the 27th year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Daniel Clark, of the city of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, Ironfounder, intends to apply by petition under and by virtue of the 4th section of an Act made and passed in the session of Parliament holden in the 5th and 6th years of His late Majesty King William IV, chapter 83, intituled "an Act to Amend the Law touching Letters Patent for Inventions," to Her Majesty in Council for a prolongation of his terms of sole using and vending an invention for "improvements in stench trapped gullies," for which Letters Patent were granted to the said Daniel Clark, bearing date the 27th day of May, 1864, in the 27th year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria. And notice is hereby further given, that the said Daniel Clark intends to apply by counsel to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council on the 7th day of January, 1878, or, if the said Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at the then next sitting of the said Judicial Committee, for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of his said petition; and that on or before the said 7th day of January, 1878, notice must be given of any opposition intended to be made to the said petition, and any person intending to oppose the said application must lodge a caveat to that effect at the Council Office on or before that day.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

*Sharp and Ullithorne*, 1, Field-court, Gray's-inn, W.C., Solicitors for the said Daniel Clark.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to James Wavish, of Torpoint, in the county of Cornwall, Ironmonger, bearing date 7th day of May, 1864 (No. 1158) for his invention of "improvements in ship and other lamps subject to the exposure of high winds or uncertain motion."

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of George Charles Spurgin, of the Minories, in the city of London, the assignee of the said Letters Patent, to present a petition to Her Majesty in Council, praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term of the said Letters Patent; and notice is hereby further given, that on the 8th day of January next, or on such subsequent day as the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council shall appoint for

that purpose, application will be made by counsel to the said Committee, that a time may be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition, and any person desirous of being heard in opposition to the said petition, must enter a caveat to that effect at the Privy Council Office, on or before the 8th day of January, 1878.—Dated 27th day of November, 1877.

*Edward Woodard*, 2, Ingram-court, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the Petitioner.

#### Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Purches Miles, of the city of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings, and State of New York, United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvement in safety pins," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of November, 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 the petition of Sydney Pitt, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in baling cotton,"—a communication to him from abroad by Leslie Belden, of the United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of November, 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 the petition of Guillermo Antonio Farini, of Westminster, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improved apparatus to be employed in theatrical or gymnastic performances," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of December, 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—

3302. To Edward Fletcher, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in watches."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of August, 1877.

3913. To William Newzam Nicholson and William Mather, both of Newark-upon-Trent, in the county of Nottingham, Agricultural Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in grinding mills."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of October, 1877.

3985. To Ambrosius Hugo Schumann and Wilhelm Zelbe, of Leipzig, Germany, for the invention of "an improved polycolour-printing machine."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of October, 1877.

4140. To Julius Cossel, of 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in pianofortes."—A communication to him from abroad by Carl Heinrich Ludwig Plass, residing at Hamburg, in the Empire of Germany.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of November, 1877.

4279. To Robert Griffiths, of Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction, arrangement, and application of screw propellers at the stern, bow, or both ends of steam ships or vessels."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 15th day of November, 1877.

4293. To Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "a new or improved method of painting and decorating glass, enameled china and pottery wares of every description by specially prepared pencils."—A communication to him from abroad by Max Rösler, of Schlierbach, near Wächtersbach, Germany.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of November, 1877.

4331. To George Brockelbank, of 37, Thornsett-road, South Penge Park, Anerley, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus to be used to regulate the supply of oil or spirit in railway and other lamps, and for other such like purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of November, 1877.

4339. To Edmund Edwards, of the firm of Edwards and Co., 40, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineers and Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for displaying advertisements."—A communication to him from abroad by Le Comte de Bruc, of Paris, France.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of November, 1877.

4361. To Conrad D'Huc Gustave Dressler, Gentleman, of Barnard's-inn, Holborn, London, W.C., for the invention of "certain improvements in the construction of sailing and other vessels, whereby greater stability and increase of speed is effected."

4363. To William McIntyre Cranston, of 36, Worslip-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Agricultural Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with mowing and reaping machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Walter Abbott Wood, residing at Hoosick Falls, New York, United States of America.

4369. To William Brownlie, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Show Tablet Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved-opaque and transparent show-card."

4371. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of 33, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the

invention of "improvements in military equipments."—A communication to him from abroad by Edmond Sèches, of Paris, France.

4373. To William Walton, of Haughton Dale Works, Denton, in the county of Lancaster, Wire Card Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in covering the surfaces of cylinders or rollers used in carding cotton and other fibrous substances, and in apparatus employed therein."

4375. To John Greenfield, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brass Worker, for the invention of "improvements in fastenings for window sashes and casements."

4377. To Thomas Paterson Miller, of the Cambuslang Dye Works, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for dyeing yarn or thread."

4379. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in high-pressure steam boilers, and in apparatus to be used in connection with the same."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Delévaque, of Paris, France.

4381. To Benjamin Hanson, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, and Ernest William Hirst, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of woollen fabrics."

4383. And to Thomas Sutton Evans, of Sawston, in the county of Cambridge, for the invention of "improvements in the preparation of wash-leather for manufacture into wearing apparel."—A communication to him from abroad by the late Richard Lazenby, of New York, in the United States of America, and Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, England.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of November, 1877.

4385. To Henry Watkin Lewis, of Treherbert, near Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, for the invention of "improvements in winding engines for surface and underground hauling."

4389. To James Atkinson Longridge, of Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for coupling or gearing together the axles of locomotive engines, tramcar-engines, and other vehicles, applicable also for the transmission of power by shafting."

4393. To John Henry Boddy, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the production of webs or sheets to be employed in embossing fabrics."

4395. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for bronzing, dusting, or powdering."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Georges Legrand, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Envelope Manufacturer.

4397. To Lawrence Garrick, of Greenock, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Ship's Captain, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with apparatus for driving or working ships' pumps, part of which apparatus is applicable to other purposes."

4399. To William John Hinde, of 237, Euston-road, London, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improved washing stand combined with dressing table and other conveniences for the toilet."

4401. To James Isaacks Sands, of 132, Upper Kennington-lane, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "a new self locking pole crab for use in harnessing horses to carriages and other similar vehicles, and the immediate release of fallen horses therefrom, part of which is also applicable to single harness."

4403. And to William Geeves, of Charlton Kings, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for treating tea."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of November, 1877.

4407. To John Newton, in the employment of Edward Elsey, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus applicable to twist lace machines and in the fabrics produced thereon."

4409. To James Grieve Lyle, of No. 57, Bishopsgate-street Within the city of London, for the invention of "portable folding tables and other furniture."

4411. To Edward George Jell, of New Brompton, in the county of Kent, Wine and Beer Merchant, for the invention of "an improved cask-stand."

4417. To Henry Morris, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for communicating between the passengers in railway trains and the guards or engine drivers."

4419. To John Patterson, of Kensington-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus for boring coal, slate, rock, minerals, and other substances."

4421. And to James Laurence Boyd, of Number 12, Regent-terrace, Edinburgh, in the city and county of Edinburgh, for the invention of "a portable basin, specially applicable for the use of travellers."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of November, 1877.

4423. To John Gordon, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Brassfounder, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for controlling and regulating the supply of water and preventing waste."

4425. To John Farmer, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "new or improved machinery or mechanism for rolling, straightening, grinding, polishing, and finishing metal bars or tubes."

4429. To William Walton, of the Haughton Dale Mills, Denton, in the county of Lancaster, Wire Card Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for spreading plastic or other substances or liquids upon woven fabrics, paper, and other materials."

4433. To Nicholas Procter Burgh, of No. 80, Cornhill, in the city of London, Consulting Marine Engineer, President of the Institution of Marine Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in the economisation and preservation of the heat and elastic force of steam in the cylinders of steam engines, which invention is applicable in part for boiling or heating liquids and gases."

4435. And to Samuel Alfred Varley, of Hatfield, in the county of Hertford, Telegraphic Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in

electrical apparatus for lighting and other purposes."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of November, 1877.

4437. To John Sheddens Campbell, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Die Sinker, for the invention of "improvements in signalling on railways, and in the means and apparatus employed therefor."

4439. To William Martin Green, of 173, Prince of Wales-road, Kentish Town, and William Jack, of 20, Sandbrook-road, Stoke Newington, both in the county of Middlesex, Invalid Furniture and Adjustable Chair and Bed Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in adjustable chairs, lounges, and beds, and in mattresses and fittings for the same."

4441. To Henry Francis Knapp, of 70, Cornhill, in the city of London, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in method of applying the engine power for propelling vessels, being a substitute for the side wheel paddles, and also the screw propeller."

4445. To Alfred Hermann Seligmann, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam generators and condensers for steam tramway cars, and which may also be used for other purposes."

4449. To Henry Harrison, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Plumber, for the invention of "improvements in water taps or cocks."

4451. And to William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cigars and cigarettes, and in the apparatus used therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by Alexandre Marengo and Joseph Marengo, both of the city of Montreal, in the county of Hochelaga, and Province of Quebec, Robert Peel McGinnis, of the town of Iberville, in the county of Iberville, and said Province of Quebec, and Raphael Marengo, of the said city of Montreal, all in the Dominion of Canada.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of November, 1877.

4453. To Rees Taylor, of Llantrissant, Glamorganshire, South Wales, Tin Plate Proprietor, for the invention of "improvements in and combined machinery or apparatus for cleaning tin or terne plates or other metal-coated sheets or plates of metal."

4455. To John Tomlinson and Robert Arthur Tomlinson, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Builders, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of bakers' and other ovens."

4457. To Elias Leak, of Longton, in the county of Stafford, Potters' Machinist, and John Edwards, of Fenton, in the same county, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improved apparatus for supporting pottery-ware in kilns or ovens."

4459. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for crushing and grinding maize stems and cobs, grain used for fodder, tan, and other substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Barthe, of Paris, France.

4461. To Gerard Wenzeslaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of J. Brandt and G. W. von Nawrocki, Civil Engineers and Patent Agents, of 2, Koch



Strasse, Berlin, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in saddles."—A communication from Frederick Sperling, a person resident at Neisse, Silesia, in the said Empire.

4453. To Peter Cullen and Peter McKellar, both of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Brassfounders, for the invention of "improvements in service and stop cocks, cranes, or valves."
4465. To Ralph Rawlinson, of No. 2, Lawn-villas, Eltham-road, Eltham, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in treating bone to give to it the appearance of ivory."
4467. To Adam Cyrus Engert, of Three Mills-lane, Bromley-by-Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of mouldings suitable for picture frames and the like."
4471. To Henry Geering, of Whitton, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in horse shoes."
4473. And to Lyle Nelson, of Lombard-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in machines for making paper bags."—A communication to him from abroad by George H. Mallary, of New York City, in the county and State of New York, in the United States of America.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of November, 1877.

4475. To Andrew Wilson, Iron and Steel Stamper and General Machinist, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture and production of fingers for mowing and reaping machines."
4477. To Claude François Paul de Plument de Bailhac, of Paris, 23, Boulevard de Strasbourg, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in stays or corsets."
4479. To Paul Aube, of Toulon, in the Department of the Var, in the Republic of France, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of gas, and in apparatus used in its production."
4481. To Peter Brown, Glue and Size Manufacturer, of Verney-road, and 529 Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improvement in cart, carriage, van, wagon, and other wheels."
4483. To Richard Longden Hattersley, of Keighley, in the county of York, Machine Maker, and James Hill, of the same place, Overlooker, and John Walker, of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."
4485. To James Murdoch Napier, of York-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in perforating machines."
4487. To Joseph Elisha Hunt, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Iron and Brass Founder, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus or means to be employed in casting metal pipes and other similar hollow or tubular articles."
4489. And to Edwin Chamberlain, of Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture and mounting of screens, show cards, and tablets."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of November, 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 1st day of December, 1877.

4047. Jean Antoine Pâne, of Paris, France, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in steam engines, and in supplying feed water to steam boilers, and promoting combustion in their furnaces."—Dated 25th November, 1874.
4048. Peter Jensen, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in locomotive engines."—From abroad by Harald Asplund, of Kristinehamn, in the Kingdom of Sweden.—Dated 25th November, 1874.
4050. James Simeon Edge the younger, of Yardley, in the county of Worcester, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in breech loading small arms."—Dated 25th November, 1874.
4051. Edward Harris, of Ringwood, in the county of Hants, for an invention of "an improved safety envelope."—Dated 25th November, 1874.
4054. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting files."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Charles Vogel, of Port Lee, New Jersey, United States of America, Machinist.—Dated 25th November, 1874.
4056. Emmet Horton, of Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, United States of America, for an invention of "an improved machine for reaping grain and binding it into bundles."—Dated 26th November, 1874.
4057. William Poulson, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Stevedore, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus or appliances to be used in unloading bulk cargo from ships' holds."—Dated 26th November, 1874.
4058. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for an invention of "improvements in cartridge shells."—From abroad by Wilbur F. Parker, of the city of Meriden, county of New Haven, and State of Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 26th November, 1874.
4061. Joseph Stubbs, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, and John Corrigan, of the same place, Mechanic, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for winding two or more yarns or threads of cotton and other fibrous materials on to bobbins or spools, preparatory to doubling the same."—Dated 26th November, 1874.
4063. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in automatic chemical telegraphs, comprising transmitting and receiving instruments, circuits, and apparatus connected therewith, part of the said improvements being also applicable to other telegraphs."—Communicated to him from abroad by William Edward Sawyer, of Washington, District of Columbia, United States of America.—Dated 26th November, 1874.
4065. John Sowerby, of Gateshead-on-Tyne, in the county of Durham, Flint Glass Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in

- presses, more especially adapted to those used in moulding glass."—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4069. Sidney Emsley, Agent, of Bradford, and Samuel Smith, Machine Maker, of Low Bridge Works, Keighley, both in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for spinning and twisting worsted, cotton, silk, or other fibrous substances."—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4070. John Smith, Mechanical Engineer, of Bradford, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving, and in apparatus connected therewith."—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4072. William George Rothwell, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Master Mariner, for an invention of "improvements in screw-propellers for ships and other navigable vessels."—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4073. Philippe Pieri, Retired Officer of the French Imperial Army, and William Smith, Consulting Engineer, both of 19, Salisbury-street, Strand, London, for an invention of "improvements in in shot or projectiles, and in the construction and mode of mounting ordnance for discharging such projectiles."—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4075. Sir James Anderson, Knight, and William Henry Ash, both of 66, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in electric telegraphs."—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4076. Benjamin Joseph Barnard Mills, of the firm of Harris and Mills, of 23, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in escapements."—Communicated to him from abroad by Messieurs Tiffany and Company, of the city, county, and State of New York, in the United States of America, and of Geneva, in the Swiss Confederation.—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4077. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "an improved method of and apparatus for repairing spinning rings."—From abroad by Charles Albert Shaw, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 27th November, 1874.
4081. William Parkinson, of Ripon, in the county of York, Ironmonger, for an invention of "improvements in lawn mowers."—Dated 28th November, 1874.
4086. John Clough, of Bradford, in the county of York, Manager, for an invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for signalling trains."—Dated 28th November, 1874.
4088. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in lubricating apparatus for the spindle steps and bolsters of spinning frames and for other bearings."—From abroad by Charles Albert Shaw, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 28th November, 1874.
4091. Charles Llewellyn Light, of No. 5, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in roads and other ways, and in the preparation of blocks of wood suitable for such roads and ways."—Dated 28th November, 1874.
4092. James William Wagstaff, of Moor, near Pershore, in the county of Worcester, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for collecting and turning hay and loose straw."—Dated 28th November, 1874.
4093. Benjamin Green Devoe and William Lowther Walker, both of Kenton, in the county of Hardin, and State of Ohio, in the United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in metallic fences."—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4099. George Denis Sampson, Captain in Her Majesty's 96th Regiment, at present stationed at Brentwood, in Essex, England, for an invention of "improvements in connecting the straps of harness."—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4100. Edward Griffith Brewer, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the construction and arrangement of steam boilers."—From abroad by Christian Rudolph Bergreen, of Roitzsch, in the German Empire.—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4103. Auguste Michel, of Lorient, in the Department of Morbihan, and Republic of France, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in lives or apparatus for breeding and cultivating oysters."—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4104. William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 13, Rue Gailion, Paris, for an invention of "improvements in the means of suspending and controlling the motion of berths, cabins, sofas, tables, and other like articles in ships or in travelling carriages."—From abroad by Thomas Pownal Ford and Thomas Scott Dick, both of the city of Brooklyn, State of New York, United States of America, Gentleman.—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4105. Arthur Charles Henderson, of the firm of A. C. Henderson and Company, British and Foreign Patent Agents, of No. 6, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of rectilinear web looms."—From abroad by Madame Auroy, née Julie Augustine Loiseleur Deslongchamps, a person resident in the city of Paris, France.—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4106. George Augustus Adams, of Peel, in the Isle of Man, for an invention of "an improved apparatus for indicating and recording the state of the tide."—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4109. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in harvesting machines."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by James Fraser Gordon, of Rochester, New York, United States of America, Machinist, Joseph Merrill Currier, of Ottawa, Manufacturer, and Charles Carroll Colby, of Stansted, Barrister, both in Canada.—Dated 30th November, 1874.
4110. Thomas William Wilson, of the firm of Wilson and Co., Grocers and Wine Merchants, of Woodbridge, in the county of Suffolk, for an invention of "improvements in shop-fixtures, chiefly designed for grocers and cornchandlers."—Dated 1st December, 1874.
4112. David Adam Fyfe and William Hadfield Bowers, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in the recovery of alkali from the liquid in which esparto wood, straw, or other material has been boiled."—Dated 1st December, 1874.
4122. Ephraim Allcock Jones and John Allcock Jones, both of Middlesborough, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in

- rotary puddling furnaces."—Dated 1st December, 1874.
4123. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in artificial palates."—From abroad by Jacob Peyer, of Berne, Switzerland, Doctor of Medicine.—Dated 1st December, 1874.
4127. William Shanks, of Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Foreman, for an invention of "improved apparatus for drawing off wine, beer, and other liquids from casks or other vessels, and transferring such liquids to bottles or other receivers."—Dated 1st December, 1874.
4128. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines for stitching button holes and for other purposes, and in the stitch produced thereby."—From abroad by John McCloskey, of the city and State of New York, and Deborah Catherine Folk, of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 1st December, 1874.

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2091. Frederick Liverati Rovedino and Henry Boucher, both of Arthur-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of faggots or fire lighters."—Dated 25th November, 1870.
3095. John Whittaker, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for forging or manufacturing untapped nuts intended for screw bolts."—Dated 25th November, 1870.
3099. Thomas Callender Hinde, of Fownhope, near Hereford, Colliery Proprietor, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron and steel, and in furnaces and apparatus to be used in the said manufacture, parts of which improvements may also be applied to other purposes."—Dated 25th November, 1870.
3105. William Gostwyck Gard, of Breaston, in the county of Derby, for an invention of "an improved mixture for preserving meat, fish, poultry, game, cheese, and other animal substances."—Dated 26th November, 1870.
3140. John Keighley, of Bradford, in the county of York, Machine Maker, Richard Shephard, of the same place, Mechanic, and James Robinson, of Bradford aforesaid, Manager, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."—Dated 30th November, 1870.
3156. Henry Kesterton, of No. 9, Stratford-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of taper tubes and rods, and in apparatus employed therein."—Dated 1st December, 1870.
3157. Alfred Nicholson Wornum, of Store-street, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, Pianoforte Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in pianofortes."—Dated 1st December, 1870.

3158. William Carter, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace Merchant, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture or production of plain and fancy nets and laces."—Dated 1st December, 1870.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 3rd day of December, 1877, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by William Milford, of Dolgelly, in the county of Merioneth, Gentleman, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before His Honour Vice-Chancellor Bacon, on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1877; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

*Alexander Kerly*, of 14, Great Winchester-street, London, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, in which Charles Powis, of No. 60, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Engineer, is petitioner, as a creditor and contributory of the said Company, was, on the 6th day of December, 1877, presented to the said Court; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the 21st day of December, 1877; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

*Hillearys and Taylor*, 5, Fenchurch-buildings, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Margate Skating Rink, Concert Hall, Swimming Baths, and Aquarium Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named Company, was, on the 6th day of December, 1877, presented to the Chancery Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Robert Wood, of the borough of Margate, in the county of Kent, Esquire, Mayor of the said borough of Margate, William Druce Pickering, of the borough of Margate aforesaid, Esquire, Justice of the Peace of the said borough, William Fagg, of the borough of Margate aforesaid, Hotel Proprietor, and Maria Lee, of No. 3, Park-villas East, Rich-

mond, in the county of Surrey, Widow, contributories of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on Friday, the 21st day of December, 1877; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

*Frank Richardson and Sadler, 28, Golden-square, London, W., Solicitors for the Petitioners.*

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Imperial Investment Association Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Master of the Rolls has fixed Tuesday, the 18th day of December, 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 6th day of December, 1877.

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

In the Matter of the Bonville's Court Coal and Iron Company Limited.

**B**Y an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall in the above matter, dated the 30th day of November, 1877, on the petition of Charles Ranken Vickerman, of Hean Castle, Saundersfoot, in the county of Pembroke, Esq., it was ordered that the said Bonville's Court Coal and Iron Company Limited be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

*Randall and Angier, 3, Gray's-inn-place, Gray's-inn, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Petitioner.*

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

**B**Y an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall in the above matters, dated the 30th day of November, 1877, on the petition of Walter Winder Feast, of 27, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, a creditor and contributory, it was ordered that the said James Anderson and Company Limited be wound up by the High Court of Justice, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

*H. Montagu, 5 and 6, Bucklersbury, E.C., Solicitor for the said Petitioner.*

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Holloway Brewery Syndicate Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall has fixed Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his chambers, No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Syndicate.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

### MAHOGANY.

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

**T**ENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Monday, the 10th December, for

480 loads, Northern Honduras Mahogany,  
400 loads, Mexican (Tabasco) Mahogany,  
120 loads, Cuba or Spanish Mahogany,  
for forward delivery.

*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 by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."*

Bank of England, December 6, 1877.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice,

*That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday next, the 13th instant, at twelve o'clock precisely, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.*

*G. F. Glennie, Deputy-Secretary.*

East and West India Dock Company.

East and West India Dock House,

Billiter-Square, E.C., December 5, 1877.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the East and West India Dock Company hereby give notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be closed on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1877, and re-opened on Tuesday, the 1st day of January, 1878.

*By order of the Court,*

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

Alliance Marine Assurance Company.

Capel-Court, Bartholomew-Lane,

December 6, 1877.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Transfer Books of the above Company will be closed on Monday, the 17th instant, pursuant to the regulations of the Deed of Settlement.

*Alex. I. Montefiore, Secretary.*

London Assurance Office.

7, Royal Exchange, London,

December 5, 1877.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the London Assurance Corporation do hereby give notice, that the Annual General Court appointed by the Charter will be held at their offices, in the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday, the 19th instant, at twelve o'clock at noon.

*J. P. Laurence, Secretary.*

Lead Office, December 4, 1877.

**T**HE Court of Assistants of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting-down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal do hereby give notice, that a General Court of Election of a Governor, Deputy-Governor, and ten Assistants for the year ensuing, will be held at the Company's House, in Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, on Tuesday, the 8th January next, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon till one o'clock in the afternoon; and that the Transfer Book will be shut on Thursday, the 12th instant, and opened again on Wednesday, the 19th instant.

*The List of the Proprietors can be had on application to the Secretary.*

*John Elliott, Secretary.*

## National Provincial Bank of England.

Bishopsgate-Street (corner of Threadneedle-Street), London, E.C., December 4, 1877.

**T**HE Directors of the National Provincial Bank of England hereby give notice, that a Half-yearly Dividend at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and a Half-yearly Bonus of six per cent., will be payable on the Bank's Stock, on and after the 8th day of January next, when the Dividend and Bonus Warrants may be obtained at the Bank, No. 112, Bishopsgate-street (corner of Threadneedle-street), or at the different branches. The Transfer Books will be closed on and after Saturday, the 8th instant, until the Dividend and Bonus become payable.

By order of the Court of Directors,

W. Holt,

R. Fergusson,

T. G. Robinson,

Joint General Managers.

## Bank of South Australia.

London, December 6, 1877.

Shares on the Colonial Register subject to payment by Instalments.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the terms of the issue, the Second Instalment of Seven Pounds per share, will be payable on 1st January, 1878, and that in default of such payment, the shares are liable to forfeiture.

By order of the Court,

William Purdy, General Manager.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of Fanshawe's Patent Improved Leather Company Limited.

**A**T a Special General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 12th day of November, 1877, the following Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Special-General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the Company's offices, 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London aforesaid, on the 29th day of November, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed, viz:—

1. "That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. W. Augustine Spain, of No. 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, London, E.C., be and is hereby appointed Liquidator, at a remuneration of £50 (fifty pounds), exclusive of the cost of any legal proceedings.

3. "That the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to carry on the business of the Company, to such extent as he may deem expedient for the beneficial winding up of the affairs of the Company, and until he shall be able to dispose of the business as a going concern or otherwise.

4. "That the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to dispose of the assets and business of the Company so soon as he can realize such a sum of money as shall be sufficient to pay all expenses of the winding up of the Company, and all the debts of the Company in full, and return to the Preference Shareholders a sum of not less than 10s. (ten shillings) per share."

L. P. Pugh, Chairman.

## Bermondsey Cotton Waste and Oil Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 2, Gresham-

buildings, Basinghall-street, E.C., in the city of London, on the 22nd day of November, 1877, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

"That it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company is unable, by reason of its liabilities, to continue business, it is resolved that the Company be wound up by voluntary liquidation.

"That Mr. Edward John Drew, of No. 2, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, London, E.C., be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator."

John B. Heard, Chairman.

## The Alliance Bank Limited, known as the Old Bank.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Alliance Bank Limited, known as the Old Bank, will be held at the offices of the Alliance Bank Limited, Bartholomew-lane, London, E.C., on Wednesday, the 9th day of January, 1878, at two p.m. precisely, for the purpose of receiving an explanation from the Liquidators as to the mode in which the assets of such Old Bank were disposed of, and passing such Resolutions as may be determined on, with a view to the final closing up of its affairs, in conformity with the statute.—London, 3rd December, 1877.

M. H. Chaytor, Chairman, for self and co-Liquidators.

## The Newcastle Loan and Investment Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that pursuant to the 142nd section of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the aboved-named Newcastle Loan and Investment Company Limited, will be held at 34, Blackett-street, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Friday, the 11th day of January, 1878, at half-past seven o'clock in the evening, at which meeting the voluntary Liquidators of the said Company will submit their accounts, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and will give explanations in reference to such accounts.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1877.

Riley Lord,

John Burnip,

} Liquidators.

## The Iron Steamship Owners' Company of London Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the 142nd section of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Iron Steamship Owners' Company of London Limited, will be held at their registered offices, No. 3, Sussex-place, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 9th day of January next, at twelve of the clock noon, for the purpose of having laid before them the account made up by the Liquidator of the said Company, showing the manner in which the winding up of the affairs of the said Company has been conducted and completed, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

A. Lamarch, Liquidator.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Henson and George Parker, as Masons, at Stuart-street, Derby, under the firm of Henson and Parker, was, on the 27th day of November instant, dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to the said firm may be paid to either of us.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1877.

John Henson.

George Parker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, at Hammer-smith, in the county of Middlesex, Builders and Contractors, under the style or firm of Thompson, Jordan, and Co., was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, as far as regards Joseph Frederick Thompson, who retires from the concern; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, Philip Henry Jordan and John Thomas Barthram, who will continue to carry on the business.—As witness our hands this 29th day of November, 1877.

*J. F. Thompson.*

*P. H. Jordan.*

*J. T. Barthram.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Henry Packman and Henry Sweeting, carrying on business at 18, New Cattle Market, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, and Newgate Market, in the city of London, as Carcase Butchers and Cattle Carriers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Charles Henry Packman, who will from this date carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

*C. H. Packman.*

*Henry Sweeting.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James Moorby and John Eastham (as executors of the will of Thomas Moorby, deceased), and the said James Moorby, as Cotton Manufacturers, at Narrowgates Mill, Barley, near Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of Thomas and James Moorby, was, on the 10th day of November instant, dissolved by mutual consent. The business has been transferred to John Moorby, and will in future be carried on at the same place by him on his own account; and all debts owing by or due to the late firm will be discharged and received by the said John Moorby.—As witness our hands this 10th day of November, 1877.

*James Moorby,*

*John Eastham,*

Executors of late Thomas Moorby.

*James Moorby.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Henry Howe and Jonathan Nash, trading as Howe and Nash, carrying on business as Fruit and Potato Salesmen, at 4 and 5, Lambeth-walk, in the county of Surrey, and Covent Garden, has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Henry Howe will carry on business as usual, and will pay all debts due by and receive all debts due to the said firm.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1877.

*Henry Howe.*

*Jonathan Nash.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, William Izon and Joseph Masser, in the business of Farmers, at Leeson's Farm and Ivy House Farm, in the parish of Packwood, in the county of Warwick, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said William Izon, on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.—Witness our hands this 29th day of November, 1877.

*William Izon.*

*Joseph Masser.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Edward Thompson and William Greenwood Settle, carrying on business as Nursery and Seeds Men, at Heaton Gardens, near Bradford, in the county of York, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will henceforth be received and paid by the said Edward Thompson, who will carry on the business on his own account.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

*E. Thompson.*

*W. G. Settle.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frederick Schnetler and Albert Corbett McCheane, in the business of Commission Merchants, carried on by them at 6, Rood-lane, in the city of London, under the style of Schnetler and McCheane, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 4th day of December, 1877. All debts due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Alfred Corbett McCheane.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

*F. Schnetler.*

*A. C. McCheane.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Henry Holden, David Holden, and David Taylor, carrying on business as Brewers, at Openshaw, near the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of Holdens and Taylor, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as the said George Henry Holden is concerned. All debts due or owing to or by the said firm will be received or paid by the said David Holden and David Taylor, who will continue the said business on their own account.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

*G. H. Holden.*

*David Holden.*

*David Taylor.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Henry Willis and Edward Albert Willis, carrying on business at No. 80, Long Acre, in the county of Middlesex, as Cardboard and Playing Card Manufacturers, under the style or firm of W. H. Willis and Co., was dissolved, on the 1st day of November last, by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said William Henry Willis, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 4th day of December, 1877.

*Wm. H. Willis.*

*E. A. Willis.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Joseph Kingsnorth Parton and William Page, as Millers, at Maidstone, in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of Parton and Page, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that in future the business will be carried on by the said William Page, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

*Joseph Kingsnorth Parton.*

*William Page.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Pendlebury and Henry Roberts, at Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, as Builders' Merchants, under the style or firm of Pendlebury and Roberts, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said John Pendlebury, by whom all debts owing from and to the said partnership will be paid and received.—As witness our hands this 1st day of December, 1877.

*John Pendlebury.*

*Henry Roberts.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between us the undersigned, Auguste de Wette, of No. 7, Catherine-court, in the city of London, and George Schuck, of No. 15, Little Tower-street, in the city of London, carrying on business at Horse Shoe Point, Upper Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or title of the Titon Chemical Works, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said Auguste de Wette, who will settle all debts due by and receive all sums payable to the said firm.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

*Aug. de Wette.*

*Geo. Schuck.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Henry Greenwood and Samuel John Broad, carrying on business under the style of Greenwood and Broad, at 25, Bush-lane, in the city of London, as Stationers and General Printers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in future by the said Samuel John Broad alone, who will receive all the debts and pay all the liabilities of the firm.—Dated 6th December, 1877.

*J. H. Greenwood.*

*Samuel John Broad.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Ryder, Josiah Ryder, and Thomas Ryder, carrying on business as Ironfounders, in Bark-street, Little Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Ryder Brothers, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Robert Ryder, who has retired from the said partnership. And that all debts due to and from the said partnership will henceforth be received and paid by the said Josiah Ryder and Thomas Ryder, by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the same style or firm as heretofore.—As witness our hands this 1st day of December, 1877.

*Robert Ryder.*

*Josiah Ryder.*

*Thomas Ryder.*



NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Daniel Robinson and Robert Brooks the younger, carrying on business at Walker, in the county of Northumberland, under the style or firm of Daniel Robinson, Brooks, and Co., Walker Nut and Bolt Works, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 29th day of November, 1877.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

*Daniel Robinson.*  
*Robert Brooks, jr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by the undersigned, Frederick William Hartley and Henry Wheeler Davis, under the style or firm of Hartley and Davis, at 3, Love-lane, Eastcheap, in the city of London, in the trade or business of Wine and Spirit Merchants, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 30th day of November, 1877.

*Fredk. Wm. Hartley.*  
*H. W. Davis.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Lipson and William Rogers, as Licensed Victuallers, at the Balmoral Castle, Rutland-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Lipson, who will carry on the said business on his own behalf.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

*William Rogers.*  
*Henry Lipson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Clark and William Foster, carrying on business as Stone Merchants, at Warren Park Quarry, in the parish of Bingley, in the county of York, under the firm of Clark and Foster, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Thomas Clark, who will in future carry on the said business in partnership with Messrs. Hardy Wilson and Benjamin Moulding.—Dated this 22nd day of November, 1877.

*Thomas Clark.*  
*William Foster.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Joseph Goodaire, and Rachel Goodaire, Widow, John Heaton Goodaire, Joseph Goodaire, the nephew, Benjamin Goodaire, and Henry Hadfield (the executors of the will of Benjamin Goodaire, deceased), in the business of Manufacturing Chemists, at Rastrick, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, under the style or firm of J. and B. Goodaire, was dissolved on the 13th day of September, 1877. And that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Rachel Goodaire, John Heaton Goodaire, Joseph Goodaire (the nephew), Benjamin Goodaire, and Henry Hadfield, under the same firm, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the late partnership.—Witness our hands this 26th day of November, 1877.

*Joseph Goodaire.*

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*Rachel X Goodaire,*  
Mark.

*John Heaton Goodaire.*  
*Joseph Goodaire.*  
*Benjamin Goodaire.*  
*Henry Hadfield.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Isaac Procter and Albert Powell, as Contractors and Sanitary Tube Dealers, at Ilkley, in the county of York, under the firm of Procter and Powell, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Isaac Procter, who will, in future, carry on the said business in his own name and on his own account.—As witness our hands this 28th day of November, 1877.

*Isaac Procter.*  
*Albert Powell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Appleyard and Edwin Roberts, carrying on business at Wakefield, in the county of York, as Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, under the style or firm of Appleyard and Roberts, was, on the 22nd day of November, 1870, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Appleyard, who will in future carry on the business.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

*Edward Appleyard.*  
*Edwin Roberts.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between William Cribb and John Graver, as Builders and Contractors, carrying on business at Armadale-road, North End-road, Fulham, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent. All debts owing to the firm will be received by the said John Graver, who will pay all debts owing by the firm.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

*William Cribb.*  
*John Graver.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Walter Beaisley and George Dove, carrying on business as Shipwrights and Joiners, at 1A, Cuba-street, Millwall, in the county of Middlesex, under the firm or style of Beaisley and Dove, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due and owing to or by the aforesaid late firm will be received and paid by the said Walter Beaisley.—As witness our hands this 5th day of December, 1877.

*Walter Beaisley.*  
*George Dove.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, under the style of T. A. Urwick and Co., as Segar Merchants, at No. 34, Great Tower-street, E.C., has, by mutual consent, been dissolved as from the 29th day of November last. All outstanding debts will be paid and received by Mr. T. A. Urwick, by whom the business at the above-mentioned address will be continued.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

*Thos. A. Urwick.*  
*Joseph T. Barlow.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Albert Wingfield and Edward Taylor, at No. 21, St. Andrew's-road, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, as Boot and Shoe Makers and Dealers, under the firm of Wingfield and Taylor, was, on the 1st day of December, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 1st day of December, 1877.

*Albert Wingfield.*  
*Edward Taylor.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, James Smith, William Henry Smith, and Herbert Stuart Smith, in the business of Timber Merchants, Joiners, and Packing Case Makers, carried on at Manchester, under the firm of Smith, Wilson, and Smith, determined, by effluxion of time, on the 30th day of June last, so far only as regards the said James Smith, who then retired from the concern.—As witness our hands the 27th day of November, 1877.

*James Smith.*  
*W. H. Smith.*  
*H. S. Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Samuel Blackwell and Henry Crane, carrying on business at Moland-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, as File Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Samuel Blackwell and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 29th day of November, 1877.

*Samuel Blackwell.*  
*Henry Crane.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Lawford and Benjamin Haughton, carrying on business as Civil Engineers, at No. 1, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Lawford and Haughton, was dissolved this day by mutual consent.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

*William Lawford.*  
*B. Haughton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Mills and Henry Sutchwell, carrying on business as Lard and Oil Refiners, under the style or firm of Mills, Sutchwell, and Co., at Mitcham, Surrey, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Mills.—Dated this 23rd day of November, 1877.

*William Mills.*  
*Henry Sutchwell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Moore and John Styans Cooper, carrying on business as Carpet Yarn Manufacturers, at Heckmondwike, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Benjamin Moore, was dissolved, on the 1st day of December, 1877, by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

*Benj. Moore.*  
*John S. Cooper.*



**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James Thompson Pearce and William Pearce, carrying on business as Plumbers, Painters, and Paper Hangers, at No. 8, Warwick-place, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by the said James Thompson Pearce, to whom all moneys are to be paid and all accounts sent, at No. 8, Warwick-place aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

*James Thompson Pearce.*  
*William Pearce.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Baxter and Markham Spofforth, as Solicitors, &c., at Nos. 5 and 6 Victoria-street, Westminster, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

*Robert Baxter.*  
*M. Spofforth.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Albert Richard Rundle and John Farran, under the firm of Rundle, Farran, and Co., at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, in the trade or business of Commission, Forwarding, and Insurance Agents, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands, 1st December, 1877.

*A. R. Rundle.*  
*John Farran.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Henry Geach Parnall, Henry Parnall, and John Parnall, carrying on business at Nos. 21 and 22, Narrow Wine street, Rosemary-street, and 15, Royal-promenade, in the city and county of Bristol, as Scale Makers and Grocers' Shopfitters, under the style or firm of Parnall and Sons, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 30th day of June, 1877, so far as concerns the said Henry Geach Parnall, who retires from the said copartnership.—Dated this 24th day of November, 1877.

*Henry Geach Parnall.*  
*Henry Parnall.*  
*John Parnall.*

**NOTICE.**—The undersigned William Overton and Frederick Job Overton, who have lately been carrying on business in partnership at Walsall, as Saddlers' Ironmongers, under the style or firm of Overton Brothers, and under the style or name of Thomas Newton, have dissolved such partnership as from this date. Moneys owing to and by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Frederick Job Overton.—Dated the 3rd day of December, 1877.

*William Overton.*  
*Frederick Job Overton.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership theretofore subsisting between the undersigned, carrying on business at Batley Carr, in the parish of Dewsbury, in the county of York, as Woollen Manufacturers, in partnership with Robert Stapleton the younger, who died on the 20th day of November, 1876, was, on the 12th day of April, 1869, dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regarded David Stapleton.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

*David Stapleton.*  
*Robert Stapleton.*  
*Robert Stapleton,*  
Administrator of Robert Stapleton, jun.

**Mrs. ELIZABETH CALE, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all the creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Elizabeth Cale, late of Malvern Wells, in the parish of Hanley Castle, in the county of Worcester, Widow (who died on the 14th day of February, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Worcester, on the 27th day of April, 1875, by William Henry Bundy, of Upton-upon-Severn, in the said county of Worcester, Innkeeper, and Edward Booth, of the same place, Commercial Traveller, the executors therein named), are required to send the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, George Coventry, the Solicitor of the said William Henry Bundy and Edward Booth, at my offices, in Upton-upon-Severn aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of January next, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said Elizabeth Cale, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not henceforth be

liable for the assets of the said Elizabeth Cale, deceased, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whomsoever of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given, that all persons indebted to the estate of the said Elizabeth Cale, deceased, are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts to me, the said George Coventry, the Solicitor of the said William Henry Bundy and Edward Booth.—Dated this 14th day of November, 1877.

*GEORGE COVENTRY, Public Offices, Upton-upon-Severn, Solicitor to the said Executors.*

**LETITIA SYMONDS, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all the creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Letitia Symonds, late of the parish of Hanley Castle, in the county of Worcester, Widow (who died on the 2nd day of July, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Worcester attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of August, 1877, by William Hancock, of Upton-upon-Severn, in the said county of Worcester, Accountant, and John Augustin Austin, of Bicester, in the county of Oxford, Hotel Keeper, the executors therein named), are required to send full particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, George Coventry, the Solicitor of the said executors, at my offices, in Upton-upon-Severn aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of January next, after which day the said executors will proceed to apply and pay over the estate as directed by the said will, having regard only to such debts, claims, and demands of which they may then have had notice; and the said executors will not henceforth be liable for the assets of the said Letitia Symonds, deceased, so to be applied and paid over, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whomsoever of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given, that all persons indebted to the estate of the said Letitia Symonds, deceased, are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts to me.—Dated this 14th day of November, 1877.

*GEORGE COVENTRY, Public Offices, Upton-upon-Severn, Solicitor to the said Executors.*

**BERNARD REILEY, 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 Bernard Reiley, late of Bevington-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Cart Owner, deceased (who died at Liverpool aforesaid, on the 1st day of November, 1877, and letters of administration of whose estate and effects were granted to Mary Reiley, of Bevington-street aforesaid, Widow, by the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 27th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send, in writing, full particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Hugh Quinn, the Solicitor to the said administratrix, at his office, No. 2, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on or before the 15th day of January next. And notice is also hereby given, that after the said last-mentioned day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Bernard Reiley among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand the said administratrix shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

*HUGH QUINN, 2, South John-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Administratrix.*

**WILLIAM MEALING, 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 William Mealing, formerly of Kingsdown-parade, in the city and county of Bristol, and late of No. 42, Saint Michael's-hill, in the said city and county of Bristol, Retired Grocer, deceased (who died on the 4th day of July, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Bristol, on the 17th day of July, 1877, by John Bees, of No. 42, Saint Michael's-hill aforesaid, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to

send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executor, on or before the 4th day of February, 1878, 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 claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice, or for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

FUSSELL, PRICHARD, and SWANN, Liverpool-chambers, Bristol, Solicitors to the said Executor.

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 debts, claims or demands against, upon, or affecting the estate of Henry Reeves, of No. 1, Woburn-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., J.P., deceased (who died on the 8th day of August, 1877, and whose will was proved in the High Court of Justice (Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division), by William Edward Montague, of No. 12, Buenos Ayres, Margate, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, George Mayris Pittock, of No. 23, Cecil-square, Margate, in the same county, Doctor of Medicine, and Elizabeth Montague, wife of the said William Edward Montague, the executors therein named, on the 15th day of September, 1877), are required to send in particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Solicitor of the executors, at his office, No. 22, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 8th day of February, 1878, 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 to the debts, claims, and demands only of which the 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.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

R. T. JARVIS, 22, Chancery-lane, London, W.C., Solicitor to the said Executors.

HENRY JAMES GIBBINS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry James Gibbins, late of Rosendale Lodge, West Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, Esq., deceased (who died on the 20th day of September, 1877, and whose will was duly proved on the 9th day of October, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Louise Victoire Alphonsine Gibbins, Widow, Jule Isidore Henry Gibbins, William Hughes, and Walter Michelmore Hitchcock, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned William Hughes, one of the said executors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1878, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have received notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

WILLIAM HUGHES, Froyle House, Bedford Hill-road, Balham.

CAROLINE SWEET, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of Caroline Sweet, late of No. 6, Osborne-villas, Worthing, in the county of Sussex, Widow (who died on the 28th day of September, 1877, at 6, Osborne-villas aforesaid, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of November, 1877, by Harriett Alared, Widow, and Frederick Pepper, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 10th day of January, 1878, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had

notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

THOS. BADDELEY and SONS, 48, Leman-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ALFRED PRIME, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or against the estate of Alfred Prime, late of Commercial-street, Whitechapel, in the county of Middlesex, and of Bellair, Highbeech, in the county of Essex, Wholesal: Provision Merchant (who died on the 5th day of November, 1877, at Ventnor, in the Isle of Wight, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of November, 1877, by Charles Roach, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 10th day of January, 1878, after 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 he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

THOS. BADDELEY and SONS, 48, Leman-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executor.

EMANUEL SILVA, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Emanuel Silva, late of No. 8, Shaen-villas, Park-road, Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 10th day of September, 1877, and whose will was proved by Thomas Perkins Silva and Richard Minshull Jones, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of January, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ARKCOLL, JONES, and COCKELL, 190, Tooley-street, Southwark, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Mr. JOHN BRIGHTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Brighton, late of No. 68, Tooley-street, Southwark, and of No. 216, Clapham-road, both in the county of Surrey, Builder (who died on the 27th day of September, 1877, and whose will and codicil were proved by Frederick Brighton, Henry Nichols, and Richard Gardiner Minshull Jones, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of January, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ARKCOLL, JONES, and COCKELL, 190, Tooley-street, Southwark, Solicitors to the said Executors.

**RICHARD JAMES SPIERS, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims, debts, or demands against or upon the estate of Richard James Spiers, late of Huntercombe, in the city of Oxford, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 28th of September last, and whose will was, on the 28th of November last, proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice, by Richard Phené Spiers, Samuel Patey Spiers, and Richard Spiers Standen, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims, debts, or demands, on or before the 31st day of December, 1877, to Samuel Patey Spiers, at Wychbourne, Woodstock-road, Oxford, one of the said executors, after 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 such claims, debts, and demands as 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, debt, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

E. G. SPIERS, 21, Bernard-street, Russell-square, London, Solicitor to the said Executors.

**CLEMENTE BORELLI, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Clemente Borelli, late of Farnham, in the county of Surrey, Jeweller, deceased (who died on the 26th day of October, 1877, and whose will was duly proved by the executors therein named, on the 17th day of November, 1877, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, as Solicitors for the executors, on or before the 4th day of January, 1878, next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 4th day of November, 1877.

KNIGHT and WARD, Farnham, Surrey, Solicitors to the said Executors.

**PHILIP HENRY YOUNGMAN, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claim or demand upon or against the estate of Philip Henry Youngman, formerly of Russell-place, Nottingham, but late of Maldon, in Essex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 29th day of September, 1877, and whose will was proved by Harriet Youngman and John Crick Freeman, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 26th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send in their claims to Messrs. Crick and Freeman, Solicitors, Maldon, Essex, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

CRICK and FREEMAN, Maldon, Essex, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**Re GEORGE CORBETT, 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of George Corbett, late of Foregate-street, in the city of Worcester, Veterinary Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 15th day of April, 1877, and whose will and codicil were proved, on the 8th day of June, 1877, in the District Registry at Worcester attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Joseph Smith Haywood, of the said city of Worcester, Seed Merchant, and the undersigned, Richard Canning Hill, of the same city, Solicitor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, Richard Canning Hill, particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands, on or before the 18th day of January next, after which date the

said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which such executors 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, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

R. CANNING HILL, 14, Foregate-street, Worcester, Solicitor.

**WILLIAM BATY, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, **N**OTICE is hereby given, that creditors and others having claims against the estate of William Baty, late of Uppery, near the city of Carlisle, Builder (who died on the 25th day of October, 1877), are hereby requested to send the particulars thereof to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the executors of the said deceased, before the 5th day of January next; and notice is hereby further given, that after the said 5th day of January next the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

S. G. SAUL, Carlisle, Solicitor for the said Executors.

**JOHN RICHARDS, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of John Richards, late of 41, Paradise-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist and Druggist, deceased (who died on the 1st day of February, 1873, and to whose estate letters administration were granted by the District Registry at Liverpool of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 27th day of September, 1877, to Robert Richards, the natural and lawful father and next-of-kin of the said deceased), are hereby required, on or before the 5th day of January next, to send particulars of their debts and claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administrator, and in default thereof the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not have had due notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

HARVEY, ALSOP, and STEVENS, 12, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**GEORGE STOCKDALE, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of George Stockdale, late of Darlington, in the county of Durham, Bookseller, deceased (who died on the 27th day of January, 1877, and whose will was, on the 7th day of April last, proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Hugh Dunn, of Darlington aforesaid, Gentleman, and John Thomas Abbott, of the same place, Chemist, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands, on or before the 1st day of January next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of November, 1877.

HUGH DUNN and WATSON, Darlington, Solicitors.

**JANE GELDARD, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Jane Geldard, formerly of Gainford, in the county of Durham, but late of Barnard Castle, in the same county, Widow, deceased (who died on the 4th day of July, 1876, and whose will and codicils were, on the 12th day of September last, proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Hugh Dunn, of Darlington, in the said county, Solicitor, and John Mitchell, of Barnard Castle aforesaid, Surgeon; the executors therein named), are hereby required

to send to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands, on or before the 1st day of January next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of November, 1877.

HUGH DUNN and WATSON, Darlington, Solicitors.

**ANN CHRISP, 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, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ann Crisp, late of No. 7, Parliament street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham (who died on the 22nd day of October, 1877, and whose will was duly proved, on the 14th day of November, 1877, by William Wilson, of Thornaby-road South, Stockton-on-Tees, Engineer, the executor named in such will, in the District Registry at Durham of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands upon or against the said estate, with the nature of their securities (if any) to us the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executor, on or before the 31st day of December, 1877, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have received notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands he shall not then have received notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

DODDS and CO., Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitors for the said Executor.

**WILLIAM KING, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of William King, late of No. 15, Wickham-terrace, Lewisham High-road, in the county of Kent, Gentleman (who died on the 22nd day of March, 1873, at 15, Wickham-terrace aforesaid, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 9th day of April, 1873, by Ann King, Widow, Charles Turner, and Edward Swift Stillwell, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 18th day of January next, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands 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 debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

MARCHANT and PURVIS, 8, George yard, Lombard-street, E.C., and Deptford.

**EDWARD LUCK, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Edward Luck, late of Merrow, in the county of Surrey, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 7th day of September, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil, was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of November, 1877, by Richard Trower, of Red Hill, in the county of Surrey, Yeoman, and Richard Mason, of Farnham, in the said county, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in writing, particulars of such claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 17th day of January next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Edward Luck among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

HOLLEST and MASON, Farnham, Surrey, Solicitors to the said Executors.

**GENERAL THOMAS CROMBIE, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of General Thomas Crombie, late of 33, Half Moon-street, in the county of Middlesex, deceased (who died on the 14th day of October, 1877, and whose will was proved by Alexander Crombie, of Thornton Castle, in the county of Kincardine, Esq., and Alexander Crombie, of Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, a Major in the Army, the executors thereof, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th November, 1877), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Alexander Crombie, of Thornton, and Alexander Crombie, of Wandsworth, at our offices, situate No. 50, Fenchurch-street, London, on or before the 31st day of January, 1878, 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 claims of which they shall then have received 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 29th day of November, 1877.

LUCAS and S N, 50, Fenchurch-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**The Reverend THOMAS ROWLEY, D.D., Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Reverend Thomas Rowley, D.D., late of Willey Rectory, in the parish of Willey, in the county of Salop, Clerk, deceased (who died on the 11th day of November, 1877, and whose will was duly proved by Mary Ann Rowley, of Willey Rectory aforesaid, Widow, the sole executrix in the said will named, on the 3rd day of December, 1877, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Shrewsbury are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executrix, on or before the 2nd day of January, 1878; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 5th day of December, 1877.

EDWARD BAGNALL POTTS, Broseley, Shropshire, Solicitor.

**JOHN WILSON, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having claims and demands against the estate of John Wilson, late of Bishopwearmouth, in the county of Durham, Publican (who died on the 13th day of April, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 26th day of July, 1877, by George Smith Thurlbeck and William Robinson, the executors in the said will named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 21st day of January, 1878, next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he then shall have had notice, and the executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1877.

SAML. ALCOCK, Jr., Frederick Lodge, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said Executors.

**GEORGE DUMPER, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Dumper, late of Water-lane, Totton, in the parish of Eling, in the county of Southampton, Brewer and Maltster, deceased (who died on the 28th day of September, 1877, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved in the District Registry at Winchester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of November, 1877, by Messrs. James Gilbert and Josiah Pike, the executors therein named), are hereby

required to send particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, after which date 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 then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

G. B. FOOTNER and SON, Romsey, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN MILLES, 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 debt or claim against or upon the estate of John Milles, late of Tonbridge, in the county of Kent, Farmer (who died on the 25th day of September last, and probate of whose will was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 30th day of November last, to Frederick Monckton and Thomas Parker, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their debts or claims, on or before the 1st day of March next, to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitor, George Stenning, situate at Tonbridge aforesaid. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 1st day of March next, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Milles, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they may then have had notice; and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

GEORGE STENNING.

JOHN HOPKINS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate or the executors of the will and four codicils of John Hopkins, late of Tidmarsh, near Reading, in the county Berks, Esq. (who died on the 14th day of July, 1877, and whose will and codicils were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of October, 1877, by Robert John Hopkins, Esq., and the Reverend George Hulms, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in full particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to Messrs. Lake, Beaumont, and Lake, of No. 10, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C., the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 15th day of January, 1878, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased according to the provisions of the said will and codicils, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which they shall then have notice; and the said executors will not be liable for any assets so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

LAKE, BEAUMONT, and LAKE, 10, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

GEORGE LANGWORTHY JERVIS, 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 George Langworthy Jervis, formerly of Croft Lodge, in the county of Westmoreland, but late of No. 42, Woodbine-street, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Esq. (who died on the 28th day of December, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of November, 1877, by Edwin Jervis, one of the executors therein named), are hereby requested to send particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them to the said executor, at the office of Messrs. Thomas Wade, Guthrie, and Co., Accountants, 12 and 14, Marsden-street, Manchester, on or before the 1st day of February next, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not after that time be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

SWINBURNE, PARKER, and CO, 67, King-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the said Executors.

SARAH SHEPARD, 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of Sarah Shepard, late of Woodford Wells, in the county of Essex, Widow (who died on the 4th day of August, 1877, at the Horse and Well Inn, Woodford Wells aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of September, 1877, by Joseph Salmon Bailey, the surviving executor named in the said will), are hereby required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1878, to send particulars of their respective claims or demands to the said executor, at the offices of his Solicitors, Messrs. Houghtons and Byfield, No. 85, Gracechurch street, in the city of London, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the estate of the said Sarah Shepard among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have received notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part or parts thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims and demands he shall not have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

HOUGHTONS and RYFIELD, 85, Gracechurch-street, London, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN ROBERT PAYNE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against or affecting the estate of John Robert Payne, Esq., formerly of the Ordnance Office, in the Tower of London, and afterwards of the War Office, Pall Mall, and of 106, Gower-street, previously of No. 10, Upper Gower-street, in the parish of Saint Pancras, both in the county of Middlesex, but lately re-iding at Blombank, Southborough, near Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent (who died on the 6th day of November last, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 27th day of November last, by Samuel Hookham Payne, Esq., the surviving executor therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the undersigned, Joseph Payne Garrett, of No. 60, Doughty-street, Mecklenburgh-square, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor to the said executor, on or before the 19th day of January next, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not after that time be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

J. P. GARRETT, 60, Doughty-street, Mecklenburgh-square, Solicitor to the said Executor.

EDWIN HICKMOTT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim upon or against the estate of Edwin Hickmott, formerly of No. 27, Edward-street, but late of No. 18, Ross-gardens, both in Brighton, Sussex, Gentleman (who died on the 15th day of May, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 16th day of July, 1877, in the District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice at Lewes, by William Walter, of Worthing, Sussex, Draper, and Edward Day, of Pummer's-plain, Horsham, Sussex, Grocer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims, in writing, to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 31st day of December, 1877, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have received notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

W. FRED. VERRALL, Worthing, Sussex.

OWEN DAVIES, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Owen Davies, formerly of Chilwell Hall, in the county of Nottingham, late of Vanues, Morbihan, in France, and of the Conservative Club, St. James'-street, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. (who died on the 23rd day of July, 1877, and whose will



was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 24th day of September, 1877, by John Hughes and William Hill Dawson, Esqrs., the executors therein named), are hereby required to send to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the executors, on or before the 18th day of January next, the particulars of their claims or demands; after that day the executors will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, or will otherwise deal therewith, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed or otherwise dealt with, to any person of whose debt or claim no notice shall at the time of such distribution have been given.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**BENNETT, DAWSON, and BENNETT, 2, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, Solicitors to the Executors.**

**HENRY HENDERSON, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors, claimants, and others claiming any debts, duties, right, title, or interest in, to, or out of the estate of Henry Henderson, formerly of No. 1, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, Silk Manufacturer, but late of 5, Stanhope-street, Hyde Park-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 25th day of October, 1877), are to send in their claims against the estate of the said Henry Henderson, on or before the 21st day of January, 1878, to us, the undersigned, Messrs. Shepherd and Sons, at our offices, 32, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitors for John Arundel, formerly of Sidmouth, in the county of Devon, but now of Whithy Lodge, Howard-road, South Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Esq., Henry William Henderson, of 5, Stanhope-street, Hyde Park-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., and John Thomas Henderson, of 22, Hamilton-road, Highbury, in the said county of Middlesex, Esq., the executors of the deceased; and notice is hereby further given, that after the said 21st day of January, 1878, the said John Arundel, Henry William Henderson, and John Thomas Henderson will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henry Henderson, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they, the said John Arundel, Henry William Henderson, and John Thomas Henderson, shall have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

**SHEPHEARD and SONS, 32, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitors for the above-named Executors.**

The Reverend **JAMES RICHARD QUIRK, Deceased.** Pursuant to Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of the Reverend James Richard Quirk, formerly of Blandford, in the county of Dorset, but late of Ham, in the county of Surrey, deceased (who died, intestate, on the 9th day of October, 1876, and letters of administration of whose personal estate was duly granted to the Reverend James Francis Quirk, Clerk, out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send in the particulars of such debts, claims, and demands to the said administrator, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Evans, Foster, and Rutter, at No. 2, Gray's inn-square, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 5th day of January, 1878, after the expiration of which time the said administrator 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 administrator shall then have had notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**EVANS, FOSTER, and RUTTER, 2, Gray's-inn-square, London, W.C., Solicitors to the said Administrator.**

The Honourable **WYNDHAM PERCY MORETON, 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 claims and demands upon or against the estate of the Honourable Wyndham Percy Moreton, late of Llandovery, in the county of Carmarthen, deceased

(who died on the 29th day of July, 1877, 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 17th day of October, 1877, to the Right Honourable Henry John, Earl of Ducie, the natural and lawful brother and one of the next-of-kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 16th day of January next, at the expiration of which time the said administrator will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice; and he will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims he has not then had notice.—Dated the 5th day of December, 1877.

**FINCH, JENNINGS, and FINCH, 2, Gray's-inn-square, London, Solicitors.**

**JOHN HOLLINSHED, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Hollinshed, late of No. 14, North-bank, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 24th day of July, 1877, and whose will and codicil were proved on the 22nd day of August, 1877, in the High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof, by Henry William Willoughby, of 13, Clifford's-inn, in the city of London, Solicitor, and Henry Charles Stewart, of No. 22, North-bank, Regent's Park aforesaid, Physician, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Willoughby and Cox, of 13, Clifford's-inn, in the city of London, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 7th day of January, 1878, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

**WILLOUGHBY and COX, 13, Clifford's-inn, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.**

Re **JOSEPH JAMES FLINTOFT, Esq., Deceased.** Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 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 persons being creditors of, or otherwise having any claim upon or against the estate of Joseph James Flintoft, late of Llangadfan, near Welshpool, in the county of Montgomery, Esq. (who died on the 12th day of October, 1877, intestate, and letters of administration of whose estate and effects were granted to Mary Moore, his natural and lawful aunt, and one of his next of kin, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said administratrix, on or before the 20th day of January next, after which day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to those claims and demands only of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and from which day the said administratrix will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**MUNBY and SON, 3, Blake-street, York, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.**

**EDWARD HARDWICK, 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 persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Edward Hardwick, formerly of No. 134, Asylum-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, and of No. 3, St. Paul's-burghyard, in the city of London, Warehouseman, but late of Tilsdown House, in the parish of Cam, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 28th day of November, 1876, intestate, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the District Registry, at Gloucester, attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Albert Hardwick, the natural and lawful brother and one of the next of kin of the said intestate, on the 27th day of December, 1876), are required, on or before the 22nd day of January next, to send to Messrs. Vizard and Co., of Dursley, in the county of Gloucester, the Solicitors of the said administrator, particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands against the estate of the said Edward

Hardwick; and notice is hereby given, that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any creditor or other persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

VIZARD and CO., Solicitors, Dursley.

ROBERT STAUNTON ELLIS, Esq., C.B., Deceased.  
Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., c. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors of, or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of Robert Staunton Ellis, formerly a Member of Council at the Presidency of Fort Saint George, Madras, in the East Indies, but at the time of his death residing at No. 141, Gloucester-road, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., C.B., a Member of the Council of India (whose will was proved on the 14th day of November, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Robert Anstruther Dalryell, Esq., one of the executors of the said will), are required, on or before the 1st day of March next, to send to Messrs. Bowker, Peake, Bird, and Collins, of No. 6, Bedford-row, London, the Solicitors of the said executor, the particulars of their claims upon or against the said estate; and that at the expiration of such time the executor will distribute the whole of the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated the 3rd day of December, 1877.

BOWKER, PEAKE, BIRD, and COLLINS,  
6, Bedford-row.

SARAH BEARE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Sarah Beare, late of Cromer, in the county of Norfolk, Widow (who died on the 13th day of May, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Norwich District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by James William Mason, of No. 20, Albion-road, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, John Wilkinson, of North Walkham, in the said county of Norfolk, Gentleman, and Thomas Barcham, of Paston, in the said county of Norfolk, Auctioneer, the executors therein named, on the 25th day of July, 1877), are hereby required to send in to me, the undersigned, one of the said executors, the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, after which day the said executors will proceed to dispose of and 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 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 notice.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

JOHN WILKINSON, North Walsham, Norfolk,  
one of the Executors of the Deceased.

TIMOTHY SYSON, otherwise THOMAS WRIGHT,  
Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of Timothy Syson, late of Saint James-place, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, formerly carrying on business there under the name or style of Thomas Wright, Furniture Dealer, deceased (who died on the 30th day of August, 1877, intestate, and letters of administration of whose personal estate and effects were, on the 29th day of November, 1877, granted to Hannah Syson, of 46, Saint James-place, Liverpool aforesaid, the lawful widow and relict of the said intestate, by the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, to send to me, the undersigned, John Charles Parkinson, of Commerce-court, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, the Solicitor of the administratrix, the particulars of their claims upon or against the said estate; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall

then have notice, and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

JNO. CHAS. PARKINSON, Commerce-court, 11,  
Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said  
Administratrix.

THOMAS LEIGH, Deceased.

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, sec. 29.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of Thomas Leigh, formerly of No. 39, Stainsby-road, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, Trinity Pilot, but late residing in the Trinity Almshouses, Mile End-road, in the said county of Middlesex, Retired Trinity Pilot (who died on or about the 30th day of April, 1877, and whose will was proved by Elizabeth Leigh, his widow, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of May, 1877), and all other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of the said Thomas Leigh are to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to William Hamilton, of No. 557, Commercial-road East, in the said county of Middlesex, Outfitter, the executor of the said Elizabeth Leigh, deceased, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Lewis and Watson, situate at No. 89, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, on the expiration of which time the said William Hamilton will distribute the assets of the said Thomas Leigh among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said William Hamilton shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim the said William Hamilton shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

LEWIS and WATSON, No. 89, Gracechurch-street, London, Solicitors for the said William Hamilton.

ELIZABETH LEIGH, Deceased.

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament, 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, sec. 29.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of Elizabeth Leigh, late of No. 21, Streetfield-street, Burdett-road, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on or about the 9th day of November, 1877, and whose will was proved by William Hamilton, of No. 557, Commercial-road East, in the said county of Middlesex, Outfitter, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 27th day of November, 1877), and all other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of the said Elizabeth Leigh, are to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the said William Hamilton, the executor, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Lewis and Watson, situate at No. 89, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, on the expiration of which time the said executor will distribute the assets of the said Elizabeth Leigh among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim the said executor shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

LEWIS and WATSON, No. 89, Gracechurch-street, London, Solicitors for the said William Hamilton.

ALFRED WHITTLE, M.D., Deceased.

Pursuant to an 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 persons, being creditors of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of Alfred Whittle, late of 155, Islington, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Physician and Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 20th day of September, 1877, and whose will was proved by William Alfred Whittle, of 155, Islington, Liverpool aforesaid, Student of Medicine; and Thomas Sparling, of 33, Seymour-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Wholesale Butcher, the executors therein named, on the 27th day of November, 1877, in the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, to send to me, the undersigned, John Charles Parkinson, of Commerce-court, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, the Solicitor of the said executors, the particulars of their claim upon or against the said estate; and notice is hereby also given that after that 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 the said executors shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

JNO. CHAS. PARKINSON, Commerce-court, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Executors.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of re Alfred Richard Corpe, deceased, Corpe v. Corpe, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Hall, the Judge to whose Court the said action is attached, in two lots, by Mr. Frederick Harvey, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 18th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

A leasehold residence, situate No. 33, Hereford-square, Gloucester-road, Old Brompton, S.W., let to a tenant for a term of three years (which will expire at Michaelmas, 1878) at £30 per annum, held for a term of 95 years, from 29 September, 1848, at a yearly rent of £30, and a square rent, and also the improved leasehold ground rent of £18 per annum on the same premises.

Particulars whereof maybe had (gratis) of Messrs. Hare and Fell, 19, Surrey-street, Victoria Embankment, W.C., at the Auction Mart, and of the Auctioneer, Battersea House, and Clapham Junction Hoese, Battersea, S.W.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Wytham Roberts, deceased, Cheetham against Roberts, 1877, R., No. 60, the creditors of Wytham Roberts, late of Edgeley, in Stockport, in the county of Chester, Innkeeper, who died in or about the month of November, 1873, are, on or before the 4th day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. John Watkins Johnston, of 8, Vernon-street, Stockport, in the county of Chester, the Solicitor of the defendant, Hannah Roberts, Widow, the executrix of the said Wytham Roberts, 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 Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Frederick Bernard Astley, Edwards against Astley, 1877, A., 162, the creditors of Frederick Bernard Astley, late of Burgh Hall, in the county of Norfolk, Gentleman, who died on or about the 19th day of August, 1876, are, on or before the 4th day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Peter Edward Hansell, of the city of Norwich, the Solicitor of the defendant, Emma Augusta Astley, the executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situate in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1878, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Ernst Wolff, deceased, and in a cause Eliza Eugenia Mailda Wolff, Spinster, against Henry William Wolff, 1877, W., No. 207, the creditors of Ernst Wolff, late of Dresden, in Saxony, in the Empire of Germany, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of June, 1876, are, on or before the 1st day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Frederick Edgar Van Sandau, of 13, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendant, Henry William Wolff, the administrator of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is

to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, at his chambers, situated No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 9th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Robert Brooke Morgan, of 27, Cambridge-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Esq., deceased, and in a cause Leman against Morgan and others, 1877, M., No. 329, the creditors of the said Robert Brooke Morgan, who died in or about the month of December, 1876, are, on or before the 1st day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to James Curtis Leman, of No. 51, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., one of 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 Monday, the 14th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate Charles Alexander Gibbs, deceased, and in an action Thomas Curriek against Frances Susan Gibbs, the creditors of Charles Alexander Gibbs, late of 148, Marylebone-road, in the county of Middlesex, Artist in Stained Glass, who died in or about the month of September, 1877, are, on or before the 31st day of December, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Edward Cleveland Seaman, of No. 11, Southampton-row, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor of the defendant, Frances Susan Gibbs, the executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Woolrich, Widow, deceased, and in an action of Harris against Harris and others, 1877, W., 23, the creditors of Elizabeth Woolrich, late of Stone, in the county of Stafford, Widow, deceased, who died on the 17th day of August, 1870, are, on or before the 10th day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. H. Fishwick, of Stone, in the county of Stafford, the Solicitor of the defendants, Alfred Harriman and William Fielding, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 16th January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of William Healy Brier, deceased, and in an action of Jacobs v. Mills, 1877, B., 463, the creditors of the said William Healy Brier, late of No. 41, Crucifix-lane and Minor-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, and of No. 19, River-street, Myddelton-square, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Oil, Bone, and Manure Merchant, deceased, who died in or about the month of September, 1877, are, on or before the 10th day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. George Thomas Robinson, of Vestry House, Christchurch-passage, Newgate-street, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendant, James Mills, the executor of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane,

Middlesex, on Thursday, the 24th day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of John Wonnacott Chudley, deceased, Chudley v. Chudley, 1877, C., No. 444, the creditors of John Wonnacott Chudley, late of No. 3, St. Mary's-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Metal Broker and Hardware Merchant, who died in the month of May, 1876, are, on or before the 10th day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Brutton John Ford, a member of the firm of Messrs. H. and B. J. Ford, of the city of Exeter, the Solicitors of the defendant, Jessie Eliza Chudley, Widow, the administratrix of the said John Wonnacott Chudley, 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 Friday, the 25th day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

Halifax District Registry, 1877, W., No. 316.

In the High Court of Justice.—Exchequer Division.  
To Alexander Gunn, formerly of Zetland-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York, afterwards of Linthorpe, near Middlesborough aforesaid, Bookseller and Dealer in Pictures, and lately residing in lodgings at 21, Bright-street, in Middlesborough aforesaid.

**T**AKE notice, that a Writ of Summons has been issued against you, out of the Halifax District Registry, Exchequer Division, of the High Court of Justice, at the suit of William Wightman, of Ackworth, near Pontefract, in the county of York, Doctor of Medicine; and the District Registrar of the said Halifax District Registry has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of such Writ of Summons on you, on the eighth day after such publication. The said Writ can be inspected by you on application at the said District Registry, 1, Harrison-road, Halifax.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, dated the 19th day of July, 1866, executed by Melchor George Klingender, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, and George Wigg, of the city of London, Merchant, who formerly carried on business in London aforesaid, in partnership as Merchants, under the firm of Wigg and Co., and in Liverpool aforesaid, under the firm of Klingender and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Trustees of this estate intend to proceed to declare a First and Final Dividend herein. All creditors wishing to partake of such Dividend are required to send in to the undersigned forthwith full particulars of their claims, and also particulars of any bills of exchange or other securities (if any) held for the same, and to render statements showing how such securities have been disposed of and the amount realised thereby, to enable the said Trustees to declare and pay such proposed Dividend. No reserve will be made in respect of any claims of which the Trustees shall not have received notice by the 21st day of December next, and creditors not sending in such particulars or claims on or before that date will be shut out from participating in such dividend.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

DUNCAN, HILL and DICKINSON, 10, Water-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the Trustees.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, made the 22nd day of September, 1876, whereby Charles Plato, of Chesham, in the county of Bucks, Carrier, assigned all his real and personal estate and effects to Benjamin Nicholson, of 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S E., James Barrow, of 16, Leather-market, Bermondsey, Samuel Barrow, of Weston-street, Bermondsey, and Thomas Wilks, of Leather Market, Bermondsey, all in the county of Surrey, as Trustees for and on behalf of all the creditors of the said Charles Plato.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Charles Plato who have not already sent in particulars of their claims are requested, on or before the 21st day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Nicholson, of London Bridge Railway-approach aforesaid,

and be prepared, if required, to prove the same, otherwise they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

B. NICHOLSON, for Self and Co-Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** DIVIDEND of 3s. 7d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by David Richard Davies, of Whitehorse-street, Stepney, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on and after Thursday, the 20th day of December, 1877, between the hours of eleven and two.

W. L. CLIFTON BROWNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** DIVIDEND of 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Herman Lutto, of 61, St. Paul's-churchyard, in the city of London, Tailor, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on and after Thursday, the 20th day of December, 1877, between the hours of eleven and two.

W. L. CLIFTON BROWNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Thomas Fleteher, of Thrapston, in the county of Northampton, Builder and Contractor, and will be paid at the offices of the undersigned, John George Ham, Gloucester-place, Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, on and after the 12th day of December, 1877.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

W. J. PEIRCE,  
JNO. GEO. HAM, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Robert Harvey Alger, of Saint Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, Publican, and will be paid by me, at my office, at Saint Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, on and after the 17th day of December, 1877.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

ROBT. KING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmoreland, holden at Kendal.

**A** FINAL Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by James Noble Suart, of Bowness, in the county of Westmorland, formerly Wo-omonger, and now Sanitary Inspector and Surveyor to the Bowness Local Board of Health, and will be paid by me, at my office, in the Old Townhall-chambers, Kendal, any Friday, after the 10th day of December, 1877, between the hours of three and four o'clock in the afternoon.

WILLIAM HEATON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Alfred Backhouse, Charles Foster, George Cuff Travis, and James Edward Foster, of Halifax and Leeds, in the county of York, Stock and Share Brokers, trading there in copartnership as Backhouse, Foster, and Travis, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Glossop and Gray, Public Accountants, No. 35, Kirkgate, Bradford, in the said county of York, on and after Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1877.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

WILLIAM GLOSSOP, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Charles Tapp, of No. 1, Clifton-terrace, Doncaster, in the county of York, Manufacturing Chemist, and will be paid at the office of the undersigned, Edward Hickson Battie, one of the Trustees, No. 11, Priory-place, Doncaster, on and after Wednesday, the 12th day of December, 1877, between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

JAMES FOX,  
E. H. BATTIE, Trustees.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.  
**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by William Maw, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Cab Proprietor, and will be paid by me, at No. 43, South-street, Sheffield Moor, Sheffield, on and after Monday, the 17th day of December, 1877, between the hours of ten A.M. and five P.M.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.  
 JOHN NAYLOR, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.  
**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 13s. 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Edward Browett, of Belgrave, in the county of Leicester, and of S. Market-place, Leicester, in the said county, Rope and Twine Manufacturer, and will be paid at my office, Market-street, Leicester, any day on and after the 10th instant.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.  
 HENRY TARRATT, 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 Frederick Charles Clench, of No. 3, Rossington-terrace, the Grove, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, carrying on business in copartnership with Thomas Charles Swift, at Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20, Grove-road, and Creek-wharf, King-street, Hammersmith aforesaid, as Ale and Stout Merchants.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Law Institution, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

WALTER TATTON, 114, High-street, Kensington, Solicitor for the said Frederick Charles Clench.

## 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 William Croft, of No. 102, Paul-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, carrying on business under the style or name of A. Croft and Company.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

W. HENRY STURT, Southwark-chambers, 12, Southwark-street, Borough, S.E., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.  
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Levy Gold, trading as Moses Gold, of 30, Middlesex-street, Whitechapel, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 17, Stamford-street, Blackfriars, in the county of Surrey, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

THOS. PITTMAN, 17, Stamford-street, S.E., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.  
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Aloys Hermann, of No. 55, Broad-street, Golden-square, Tailor, formerly of the Pitman's Arms, Ironmonger-row, St. Luke's, both in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 37, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of November, 1877.

E. F. MARSH & L<sup>ts</sup>, 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 Thomas Slater, of George-yard, Whitechapel, in the county of Middlesex, Farrier.

**N**OTICE 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, 139, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

HENRY SYDNEY, 139, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.  
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Nott, of 55, Earl-street, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemonger.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a new First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. John F. Lovering and Company, at No. 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

NEVILLE WILLICOMBE, 17, Fenchurch-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said George Nott.

## 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 Smith, trading as Smith, Pender, and Co., of the Graving Dock, in Millwall Dock, Millwall, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, Shipwright, and Boiler Maker.

**N**OTICE 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. Lumley and Lumley, No. 15, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

LUMLEY and LUMLEY, 15, Old Jewry-chambers, 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 Eliazer De Winter, of 34, Sun-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Provision Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 27, Finsbury-pavement, in the city of London, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

W. GRIFFIN PAYNE, 27, Finsbury-pavement, 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 Frederick Alphington Wiggins, of Brixton Villa, Villars-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Surveyor.

**N**OTICE 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 Miller, Solicitor, York-chambers, York-buildings, Adelphi, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 14th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

SAMUEL MILLER, York-chambers, Adelphi, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.  
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Dun, late of No. 8, Albany-villas, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and of No. 2, Kenilworth-villas, Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, and now of No. 8, Queen's-terrace, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Coal Agent.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 55, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

T. F. ALLINGHAM, 55, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Alfred Rogers, of No. 378, Oxford-street, London, and No. 115, Lionel-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builders' Ironmonger and Jewellers' Factor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Great Western Hotel, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

RYLAND, MARINEAU, and CARSLAKE,  
Birmingham, 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 Rayment, of 231, Wandsworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Fishmonger and Ice 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. 19, White Lion-street, Norton Folgate, in the county of Middlesex, on the 27th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOEL MORRIS BARNARD, 19, White Lion-street, E., Solicitor for the said Henry Rayment.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Noah William Mitchell, of Three Col-lane, Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, Cork Cutter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Robert Ward Stacpoole, Pinner's Hall, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH E. STACPOOLE, Pinner's Hall, Old Broad-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 Edward Hampton, Frederick Hampton, and William Hampton, all of 380, Cold Harbour-lane, Brixton, and Brixton-rise, both in the county of Surrey, Grocers, Wine, Spirit, and Provision Merchants, and Copartners in Trade, trading as Hampton Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of the Creditors' Association of Wholesale Dealers, 4, Artur-street East, London Bridge, in the city of London, on the 24th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

CARTER and BELL, 5, Eastcheap, London, Solicitors for the said Edward Hampton, Frederick Hampton, and William Hampton.

**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 Benjamin Adlington, of No. 6, Weymouth-street, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist.

NOTICE 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. Loxley and Morley, No. 80, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 24th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

JNO. LOXLEY, 80, Cheapside, 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 George Ellis Faircloth, of No. 44, Rhodeswell-road, Stepney, in the county of Middlesex, Corn Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward James Anning, No. 73, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

EDW. JAS. ANNING, 73, Cheapside, 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 Anne Reeves, of No. 5A, Gloucester Grove East, South Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, Cow 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 No. 21, Duke-street, Manchester-square, in the county of Middlesex, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

T. COOKE COLLIS, 21, Duke-street, Manchester-square, 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 Lewis Braham, of 142, Southampton-row, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Optician, trading in copartnership with Frank Frederick Bradshaw, at 142, Southampton-row, Holborn aforesaid, under the style or firm of Braham and Bradshaw, as Opticians.

NOTICE 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 15th day of December, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

LEWIS BRAHAM, the above-named 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 Boosey, trading as Edward Samuel Boosey, of 9, Hart-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer and Estate Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Evans and Eagles, Solicitors, No. 10, John-street, Bedford-row, London, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

EVANS and EAGLES, 10, John-street, Bedford-row, 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 Charles Entwistle, of the Commercial Tavern, Commercial-street, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, 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 Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

REED and LOVELL, 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, London, 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 George John McCombie, of No. 10, Oat-lane, Noble-street, in the city of London, Tie Manufacturer and Warehouseman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Cannon-street Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of November, 1877.

WILLIAM R. PHILP, 30, Budge-row, City, 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 Philip Samuel Dawes, of Covent Garden Market, Covent Garden, in the county of Middlesex, 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 Messrs. Lewis, Munns, and Longden, 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 27th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

LEWIS, MUNNS, and LONGDEN, 8, Old Jewry, 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 James Clemmans, of No. 5, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Harlesden Green, in the same county, Auctioneer, Charles James Marvin, of No. 4, Harrington-street, Hampstead-road, in the same county, Hotel Manager, and Henry Chorley, of No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, and of Benthall-road, Stoke Newington, in the same county, Auctioneer's Clerk, formerly trading in copartnership at No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, as Auctioneers, Surveyors, and Estate Agents, under the style of Clemmans, Marvin, and Chorley.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the joint creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ROSCOE, HINCKS, and SHEPPARD, 14, King-street, Finsbury-square, E.C., Solicitors for the said Debtors.

## 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 Clemmans, of No. 5, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Harlesden Green, in the same county, Auctioneer, Charles James Marvin, of No. 4, Harrington-street, Hampstead-road, in the same county, Hotel Manager, and Henry Chorley, of No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, and of Benthall-road, Stoke Newington, in the same county, Auctioneer's Clerk, formerly trading in copartnership at No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, as Auctioneers, Surveyors, and Estate Agents, under the style of Clemmans, Marvin, and Chorley.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named James Clemmans has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ROSCOE, HINCKS, and SHEPPARD, 14, King-street, Finsbury-square, 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 James Clemmans, of No. 5, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Harlesden Green, in the same county, Auctioneer, Charles James Marvin, of No. 4, Harrington-street, Hampstead-road, in the same county, Hotel Manager, and Henry Chorley, of 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, and of Benthall-road, Stoke Newington, in the same county, Auctioneer's Clerk, formerly trading in copartnership at No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, as Auctioneers, Surveyors, and Estate Agents, under the style of Clemmans, Marvin, and Chorley.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Charles James Marvin has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ROSCOE, HINCKS, and SHEPPARD, 14, King-street, Finsbury-square, 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 James Clemmans, of No. 5, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Harlesden Green, in the same county, Auctioneer, Charles James Marvin, of No. 4, Harrington-street, Hampstead-road, in the same county, Hotel Manager, and Henry Chorley, of No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, and of Benthall-road, Stoke Newington, in the same county, Auctioneer's Clerk, formerly trading in copartnership at No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, as Auctioneers, Surveyors, and Estate Agents, under the style of Clemmans, Marvin, and Chorley.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Chorley has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, No. 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ROSCOE, HINCKS, and SHEPPARD, 14, King-street, Finsbury-square, 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 Samuel Markham Archer, of 74, City-road, St. Luke's, and 177, Blackstock-road, Highbury Vale, both in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Maker, and Provision Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Joseph Foster, No. 21, Birch-in-lane, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 27th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

WM. J. FOSTER, 21, Birch-in-lane, 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 Joseph Matheson Purvis, of No. 51, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 24, Nicoll-road, Harlesden, in the said county, lately carrying on business as an Upholsterer and Dealer in Japanese Wares, at 51, Oxford-street aforesaid, under the name or style of Charles Benwell and Company, and now carrying on the same business under the name or style of J. Purvis 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 Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JNO. HOLDER, 12, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said Joseph Matheson Purvis.

## 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 Frost, of No. 139, Coburg-road, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Galmoys and Pilgrim, No. 40, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

GALMOYS and PILGRIM, 40, Chancery-lane, Solicitors for the Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert George Stokes and Pharour Chatterton Brewster, trading together as Copartners at No. 15, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, and at Kingstown, in the Island of St. Vincent, in the West Indies, under the style or firm of R. G. Stokes and Co., as West India Merchants and Shippers.

**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 Cannon-street Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1877.

WILLIAM R. PHILIP, 30, Budge-row, Cannon-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Herbert Vincent, of No. 304, High-street, and No. 5, Chobham-road, both at Stratford, in the county of Essex, Tailor 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 offices of Messrs. Anderson and Sons, Solicitors, No. 17, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

ANDERSON and SONS, 17, Ironmonger-lane, 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 Frederick Jones, of 125, New North-cole, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor and Draper.

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

Thomas Girdwood, No. 2, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1877.

FINLAY THOS. GIRWOOD, 2, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, W.C., 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 William Mottisport Windover and Herbert Dougherty, of Fleet, in the county of Hants, Grocers, Drapers, and Provision Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Windover and Dougherty.

**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 Inns of Court Hotel, Holborn, London, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

DEANE and HANDS, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Solicitors for the said William Mottisport Windover and Herbert Dougherty.

**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 Warsop, of No. 16, Long-row, in the town of Nottingham, Cigar and Glass Merchant, trading under the style or firm of G. Warsop 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 Assembly Rooms, Low-pavement, in the town of Nottingham, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

EDWARD H. FRASER, Brougham-chambers, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, 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 Samuel Ward, of No. 7, Wright-street, Bluebell Hill, and Hardy's Factory Station-street, both in the town of Nottingham, Machinist.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Arthur Parsons, at Eldon-chambers, Wheeler-gate, in the town of Nottingham, on the 27th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ARTHUR PARSONS, Eldon-chambers, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, 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 John Selby, of 88, Derby-road, in the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Boot and Shoe 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 office of Mr. Joseph Harvey, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, on the 14th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH HARVEY, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, Solicitor for the said John Selby.

**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 Andrew Jackson Laslet, formerly of Derby-road, in the town of Nottingham, Furniture Dealer, but now living in lodgings at No. 13, Grey Friars-gate, in the same town, Warehouseman.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 14, Low-pavement, Nottingham, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

J. BLACK, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Jones, of Haddenham, in the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, Baker and Shopkeeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bell Hotel, in Ely, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

T. R. ADDISON, Fore Hill, Ely, Solicitor for the said Henry Jones.

**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 Henry Badham, of Spon-lane, Westbromwich, in the county of Stafford, Carpenter, Joiner, and Insurance Agent.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Theodore Charles Hughes, Solicitor, situate in Lodge-terrace, High-street, Westbromwich, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

T. C. HUGHES, Westbromwich, 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 Thomas Shaw, of Hancox-street, Bristnall-fields, Warley Wigorn, in the county of Worcester, Miner, formerly of the Saving Hand Inn, Causeway Green, Warley Wigorn aforesaid, 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 Mr. William Shakespeare, 55, Church-street, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 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 Thomas Lake, of Glebe-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Grocer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 16, Caroline-street, Longton, in the said county of Stafford, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

CHAS. JNO. WELCH, 16, Caroline-street, Longton, Staffordshire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Freeman, of the Prestwood Arms, Prestwood-road, Heath, Town, in the county of Stafford, Beerhouse Keeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Joseph E. Sheldon, 51, High-street, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH E. SHELDON, 51, High-street, Wednesbury, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Elizabeth Wilks, of Chapel Ash, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, carrying on there the business of a Milliner and Dressmaker, separate and apart from her husband, John Wilks.

**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 office, 53, Queen-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid, on the 11th day of December, 1877.



at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

ROBT. R. RHODES, 53, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jones, of Hall-street, Blakenhall, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. T. Gavis, Solicitor, 9, King-street, Wolverhampton, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

THOS. GAVIS, 9, King-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Poole, of Saint Mark-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Carpenter and Joiner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Dallow, 15, Queen-square, Wolverhampton, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

THOS. DALLO, 15, Queen-square, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Edward Poole.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Scragg, of New-road, Talk-o'-th'-Hill, in the parish of Dudley, in the county of Stafford.

NOTICE 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. Tomkinson and Furnival, situate in Hanover-street, Burslem aforesaid, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

TOMKINSON and FURNIVAL, Hanover-street, Burslem, Solicitors for the said John Scragg.

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 James Somerfield the elder, of Bloxwich, in the county of Stafford, Bit Maker, previously of the Miners' Arms, High-street Bloxwich aforesaid, Beerhouse Keeper and Bit Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Joseph Edward Sheldon, 51, High-street, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, on the 15th day of December, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH E. SHELDON, 51, High-street, Wednesbury, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Edward Cox, of Walsall-road, Cannock, in the county of Stafford, Baker and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 66, Park-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

JOHN GLOVER, No. 66, Park-street, Walsall, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Abram Allen, of Walton, in the county of Suffolk, Maltster.

NOTICE 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. C. Block, situate in Westgate-street, Ipswich, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

WM. C. BLOCK, Solicitor for the said Abram Allen.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Brinkley, of Woodbridge, in the county of Suffolk, Innkeeper and Mail Cart Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. C. C. Brooke, Church-street, Woodbridge, Suffolk, Solicitor, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

COOPER C. BROOKE, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Foskett, of Harrold and Turvey, both in the county of Bedford, Saddler and Harness Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Stimson, Solicitor, No. 26, Mill-street, Bedford, on the 15th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

WILLIAM STIMSON, Bedford, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jane Maria Allen, of Church End, Barton-le-Clay, in the county of Bedford, Baker, a Widow.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Inn, Ampthill, in the county of Bedford, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

WALTER NEVE, Luton, Beds, Solicitor for the said Jane Maria Allen.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Watson, of Hawby, in the said county of York, Innkeeper and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Court house, in Helmsley, in the said county of York, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

HUGH W. PEARSON, of Helmsley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Robinson, of Ebenezer-place, Bramley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Furniture Broker.

NOTICE 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 Lee Hardwick, 8, Infirmary-street, Leeds aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

LEE HARDWICK, Solicitor for the said Edward Robinson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Tattersall, of Cora Mill Bridge, Keighley, in the county of York, Basket Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Terry and Robinson, Solicitors, 9, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 11th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

SAML. COOKE, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alexander McKay, of No. 69, North-parade, Bradford, in the county of York, Dentist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of me, the undersigned, on



the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

ARTHUR SINGLETON, 1, New Booth-street, Bradford, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Squire Stowell, of 136, Manningham-lane and 67, Princeville-street, both in Bradford, in the county of York, Glass, China, and Earthenware Dealer, and Wool Sorter.

NOTICE 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. Dawson and Greaves, Solicitors, 33B, Kirkgate, Bradford, in the county of York, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

DAWSON and GREAVES, 33B, Kirkgate, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Peter Paterson, of Savile Town, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, Woolen Printer and Embosser.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Mitre Hotel, situate in Cathedral-yard, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

D. ALLISON SHAW, Dewsbury, 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 George Atkinson and Alfred Yates, of Birstal, Stone Masons and Contractors, carrying on business in co-partnership at Birstal aforesaid, under the firm of Atkinson and Yates.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of John Marn, High-street, Birstal, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

D. CHARLES, Solicitor for the said George Atkinson and Alfred Yates.

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 Frank Crowther, of Brow Bridge, in Greetland, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Blacksmith and Farrier.

NOTICE 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 William Henry Boocock, Silver-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

WM. HY. BOOCOCK, Silver-street, Halifax, Solicitor 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 Joseph Allison, of Princes-street and Albert-street, Harrogate, in the county of York, Dealer in Flour and Horse Corn.

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. Griffith's Temperance Hotel, 85, Linthorpe-road, Middlesborough, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

BAINBRIDGE and BARNLEY, Corporation Hall, Middlesborough, 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 William Durham, of Skipworth, near Selby, in the county of York, Tailor, Grocer, and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the house of Mr. James Bradley, the Old Swan Inn, in Selby aforesaid, on the 29th day of

December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

FRANCIS G. WRIGHT, No. 2, Abbey-place, Selby, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Elijah George Gledhill, of No. 9, St. Sepulchre-street, Scarborough, in the county of York, Shoe Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Abbot's Hotel, in the city of York, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

WILLIAM WATTS, 38, Queen-street, Scarborough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Benjamin Kenworthy, of Barnsley, in the county of York, Wheelwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Barnsley, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

BEN. KENWORTHY.

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 Shuttleworth, of the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, Shipbuilder, Surveyor, and Salvage Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Carlill and Burkinshaw, No. 4, Parliament-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, Public Accountants, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

LOWE, MOSS and MOSS, Solicitors for the said John Shuttleworth.

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 Newton (trading as Isaac Newton and Son), of Wellington-street, in the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Mast and Block 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. Joseph Edmund Pettingell, Solicitor, County-buildings, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

J. E. PETTINGELL, 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 Isaac Banyard, of No. 82, Osborne-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Upholsterer and Mattress 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 Queen's Hotel, Wellington-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 15th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

E. LAVERACK, County-buildings, 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 Thomas Wiles, of Cottingham, in the county of York, Farmer and Cowkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 24, Bishop-lane, Hull, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

ARTHUR HALL, 24, Bishop-lane, Hull, Solicitor for the said Thomas Wiles.

**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 Francis Henry Moxon, of Pontefract, in the county of York, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Walker, Solicitor, 11, East-parade, Leeds, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**JOSEPH WALKER**, Solicitor for the said Francis Henry Moxon.

**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 Joseph Hartley, of Whitwood and Normanton, in the county of York, Clog and Boot 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. C. A. Phillips, Solicitor, 15, Carlton-street, Castleford, in the county of York, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**C. A. PHILLIPS**, Solicitor for the said Joseph Hartley.

**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 Robert Collins, of Wadsley Bridge, in the parish of Ecclesfield, in the county of York, 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 Frank England Machen, 37, Bank-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**FRANK E. MACHEN**, Solicitor for the said Robert Collins.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Mills, of St. Anne's-on-the-Sea, in the county of Lancaster, Plumber and Glazier and Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Buck and Dicksons, Solicitors, 3, Tulketh-street, Chapel-street, Southport, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**BUCK and DICKSONS**, 3, Tulketh-street, Southport, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Mason, of Shefferlands, in Halton, in the county of Lancaster, Silkspinner, and Thomas Mason, of Carus Lodge, Halton aforesaid, Silkspinner, carrying on business in copartnership at Ridge Lane Mill, Bulk, in the said county, under the firm of Hinde 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 Albion Hotel, Market-street, Manchester, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**MAXSTED and GIBSON**, Castle Hill, Lancaster, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Mason, of Shefferlands, in Halton, in the county of Lancaster, Silkspinner, and Thomas Mason, of Carus Lodge, Halton aforesaid, Silkspinner, carrying on business in copartnership at Ridge Lane Mill, Bulk, near Lancaster, in the said county, under the firm of Hinde and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Edward Mason has been summoned to be held at the Albion Hotel, Market-street, Manchester, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**MAXSTED and GIBSON**, Castle Hill, Lancaster, Solicitors for the said Edward Mason.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Mason, of Shefferlands, in Halton, in the county of Lancaster, Silkspinner, and Thomas Mason, of Carus Lodge, Halton aforesaid, Silkspinner, carrying on business in copartnership at Ridge Lane Mill, Bulk, in the said county, under the firm of Hinde and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Mason has been summoned to be held at the Albion Hotel, Market-street, Manchester, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**MAXSTED and GIBSON**, Castle Hill, Lancaster, Solicitors for the said Thomas Mason.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Todd, formerly of Saint Anne's-on-the-Sea, near Lytham, but now of Southshore, Blackpool, and also of Saint George's-road, in Preston, all in the county of Lancaster, Cotton and Linen Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of John Todd 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. Thomas Dodd, 47, Lune-street, Preston, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**THOS. DODD**, 47, Lune-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael Shea, of No. 3, Fish Market and No. 8, Birley-street, both in Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fish and Game 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 Banks, 9, Lune-street, Preston, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**WILLIAM BANKS**, 9, Lune-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said Michael Shea.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Leake, of 4, Stanley-buildings, Lancaster-road, Preston, and of Woodplumpton, both in the county of Lancaster, Upholsterer and Lankeeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Shelley's Arms Hotel, Fishergate, Preston, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**CUNLIFFE and WATSON**, 8, Winckley-street, Preston, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ward, of No. 3, Cross-street, and 43, Raper-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Milk Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Whitaker, Solicitor, No. 1, St. Peter-street, Oldham aforesaid, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**JOSEPH WHITAKER**, No. 1, St. Peter-street, Oldham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Makepeace, of No. 14, Tuior-street, in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, 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 Mr. John Davier, Solicitor, No. 2, Clegg-street, Oldham aforesaid, on the 31st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**JOHN DAVIES**, 2, Clegg-street, Oldham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Harrison, of No. 64, Hyde-lane, Hyde, in the county of Chester, Confectioner and Sugar Boiler.

**NOTICE** 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, Stockport, in the said county of Chester, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

W. POINTON, Crewe, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ashton Hine, of Nos. 28 and 30, Princess-street, Bury, in the county of Lancaster, and of No. 46, Union-square, Bury aforesaid, Hat 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 Albion Hotel, Haymarket-street, Bury aforesaid, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

FRED. ANDERTON, 6, Garden-street, Bury, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Rigby, of Baldwin-street and No. 3, Scowcroft-street, both in Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Biscuit Manufacturer 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 my office, No. 9, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

J. MARTIN RUTTER, 9, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Pickering and Hiram Pickering, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Builders, carrying on business in copartnership together, at Bolton-le-Moors aforesaid, under the style and firm of Pickering Brothers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of William Henry Mawdsley, 14, Wood-street, Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

W. H. MAWDSLEY, 14, Wood-street, Bolton, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Fingland, of Whitefield New Mill, Whitefield, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Addleshaw and Warburton, Solicitors, No. 67, King-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

ADDLESHAW and Warburton, 67, King-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said John Fingland.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Houghton, of Chapel-street, Bedford, in the parish of Leigh, in the county of Lancaster, Draper and Outfitter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Whittingham, Solicitor, Church-street, Leigh, in the said

county, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

W. WHITTINGHAM, Church-street, Leigh, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Charles Louch, of 8, Market-place, Manchester, and carrying on business there as an Accountant and Estate Agent, under the style of F. C. Louch and Co., and formerly carrying on the same business at the same place under the same style, and at 21, Dickinson-street, Manchester aforesaid, under the style of Charles Pierson and Co., in partnership with Charles Pierson, and also formerly carrying on business at 21, Dickinson-street aforesaid, under the style of Louch and Pierson, as Accountants and Auditors, and under the style of Pierson and Louch, as Estate Agents and Valuers, in partnership with the said Charles Pierson.

**NOTICE** 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 above-named Frederick Charles Louch, 8, Market-place, in the city of Manchester, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

E. ROBINSON WALKER, 18, St. Ann-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Walker, of 18, George-street, Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Porter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Harris, 3, Blue Boar-court, in the city of Manchester, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

T. W. HARRIS, 3, Blue Boar-court, Manchester, 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 Charles Thomas Baxter, of 1, Ducie-street, London-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Building Material 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. James Gardner, Solicitor, 1, Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 27th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

JAMES GARDNER, 52, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Millward, of David-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Paper, Paper Waste, and Old Building Materials Dealer, trading as J. Millward 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 Falstaff Hotel, Market-place, Manchester, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

R. D. LAW, 1, Ridgesfield, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Barton, of No. 55, Oxford-street, in the city of Manchester, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer.

**NOTICE** 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. Sale, Seddon, and Hilton, Solicitors, 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

SALE, SEDDON, and HILTON, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Joseph Barton.

## 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 Samuel Wright, of the Old Bank Dining Rooms, 87, Market-street, Manchester, and residing at Elm-terrace, Didsbury, both in the county of Lancaster, Restaurant Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Nicholson and Milne, Public Accountants, 100, King-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 27th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

JOHN LEIGH, 80, Brown-street, Manchester, 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 Mary Marsden, of Thornhurst Highfield, Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, and Edward Lorimer Marsden, of Childer Thornton, Hooton, in the said county, Brass Founders and Copper Smiths, trading in partnership together under the firm of John Marsden and Son, and carrying on business at 23, Dublin-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and 134 and 136, Bridge-street and 11 and 13, Lord-street, Birkenhead, in the said county of Chester.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Norris and Sons, 11, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

NORRIS and SONS, 11, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, in the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mary Marsden, of Thornhurst Highfield, Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, and Edward Lorimer Marsden, of Childer Thornton, Hooton, in the said county, Brass Founders and Copper Smiths, trading in partnership together under the firm of John Marsden and Son, and carrying on business at 23, Dublin-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and 134 and 136, Bridge-street and 11 and 13, Lord-street, Birkenhead, in the said county of Chester.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Mary Marsden has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Norris and Sons, 11, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

NORRIS and SONS, 11, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mary Marsden, of Thornhurst Highfield, Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, and Edward Lorimer Marsden, of Childer Thornton, Hooton, in the said county, Brass Founders and Copper Smiths, trading in partnership together under the firm of John Marsden and Son, and carrying on business at 23, Dublin-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and 134 and 136, Bridge-street and 11 and 13, Lord-street, Birkenhead, in the said county of Chester.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Edward Lorimer Marsden has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Norris and Sons, 11, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

NORRIS and SONS, 11, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Philip Herbert James, of No. 6, New Quay, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tea Merchant.

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

Solicitor, situate at No. 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 2nd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

THOS. ETTY, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor,

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Walwyn Morris, of Drury-lane, Goree Piazzas, and Saint George's-place, all in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Restaurateur.

NOTICE 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 Carruthers, Solicitor, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH CARRUTHERS, 14, Clayton-square, 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 Ellen Seddon, of St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, formerly carrying on business at East-street, St. Helen's aforesaid, as a Printer and Stationer, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. H. W. Collins Robinson and Co. Solicitors, 3, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, on the 24th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

ANSELL and SON, St. Helen's, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Swaine, of 48, Birchfield-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Yardman.

NOTICE 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. Francis Quelch, Solicitor, 77, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

FRANCIS QUELCH, 77, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Thomas, of 18, Chapel-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine Merchant and Commission Agent, trading under the style or firm of William Maxwell 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 W. Morris and J. Howard Jones, Solicitors, 13, Harrington-street, Liverpool, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

W. MORRIS and J. HOWARD JONES, 13, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Isaac Roberts, of Rossett-road, Great Crosby, and of Spring-grove, Bootle, in the county of Lancaster, Joiner and Builder, and also carrying on business at Hindley, in the said county, in copartnership with Robert Hewison, as Brick and Tile Makers, and trading under the style of the Hindley Brick and Tile 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 offices of Messrs. Radcliffe and Layton, situate and being No. 12, Hackin's Hey, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

RADCLIFFE and LAYTON, 12, Hackin's Hey, Liverpool, Solicitors 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 William Gibson, of Walsden, near Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Warp Sizer.

**N**OTICE 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, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

FRANCIS HARTLEY, 22, Nicholas-street, Burnley, Solicitor for the said William Gibson.

## 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 Peter Nowell, of Napps, near Hellifield, in the county of York, and James Nowell, of Barrowford, near Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business as Cattle Dealers, in copartnership, under the style of Peter and James Nowell.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Devonshire Hotel, in Skipton, in the county of York, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

FRANCIS HARTLEY, 22, Nicholas-street, Burnley, Solicitor for the said Peter Nowell and James Nowell.

## 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 Rawlinson, of 32, School-lane, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. James Wilson, Solicitor, 23, King-street, in Wigan aforesaid, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

JAMES WILSON, 23, King-street, Wigan, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Baldwin, of No. 67, Howard-street, Eccles New-road, and of Nos. 2 and 4, Phœbe-street, Regent-road, both in Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Paper Dealer, Bagmaker, and Printer.

**N**OTICE 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. Marriott and Woodall, Solicitors, No. 12, Norfolk-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

MARRIOTT and WOODALL, 12, Norfolk-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 Edward Henry Stansby, of Broughton Bridge Paper Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Paper Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Mitre Hotel, Cathedral-gates, in the city of Manchester, on the 28th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

RITSON and GRUNDY, 52A, Cross-street, Manchester, Solicitors 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 Zachæus Simcock, of 67, John-street, and 52 and 54, Forshaw-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Glass, China, and Earthenware Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Ship Hotel, Strand, Barrow-in-Furness aforesaid, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

R. B. D. BRADSHAW, Strand, Barrow-in-Furness, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederic Charles Lupton, of Laughton Villa, Victoria-road, Teddington, in the county of Middlesex, a Clerk in Her Majesty's Post Office.

**N**OTICE 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 Evelyn Copp, Solicitor, 37, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

J. PIOSLEY MANN, Jun, Kingston-on-Thames, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Miles Walter, of Edenbridge, in the county of Kent, Painter and Glazier.

**N**OTICE 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. Fenner, Hilton, and Gifford, 2, Gresham-buildings, Guildhall, London, E.C., on the 12th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December 1877.

GEO. PALMER, Tunbridge, Kent, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## 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 Edward Haiden, of Castle Hedingham, in the county of Essex, Corn and Seed Merchant.

**N**OTICE 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. E. H. Inman, Solicitor, Halstead, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

EDWIN H. INMAN, Halstead, Solicitor for the said Edward Haiden.

## 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 Henry Pearce, of Stratton Saint Margaret, in the county of Wilts, out of business, formerly a Grocer and Baker.

**N**OTICE 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. Coleman, Bulwer, and Co., Public Accountants, No. 3, North-street, Swindon, in the county of Wilts, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1877.

HENRY PEARCE, the above-named 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 Day, of the Upper Priory, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Poulterer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Reuben Taylor, No. 37, Colmore-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Solicitor, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

REUBEN TAYLOR, 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 Thomas Lees, of 26 and 27, Henrietta-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and of Florence Villa, Livingstone-road, Birchfields, in the county of Stafford, Weighing Machine and Steel Yard Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Stephenson-place, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

JOHNSON, BARCLAY, and JOHNSON, 36, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joshua Elcox, of 106, Great Hampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in furnished lodgings, Provision Dealer.

**N**OTICE 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. Arthur Henry Foster, 13, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

A. H. FOSTER, 13, Bennett's-hill, 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 Barnabus Lett, of Vauxhall Grove, Vauxhall-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, but lately of No. 244, Nechells Park-road, Birmingham aforesaid, also carrying on business at Nos. 39 and 40, Lawley-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Coal, Brick, and Timber Merchant, trading under the style or firm of B. J. Letts and Co.

**N**OTICE 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 Fallows, Solicitor, No. 12, Cherry-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

WM. FALLOWS, 12, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**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 Bryan Dunn, formerly Carrier's Assistant, at the city of Coventry, and now residing at Avon House, Holyhead-road, in the said city of Coventry, out of business.

**N**OTICE 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. Dewes, Son, and Wilks, 10, Hay-lane, Coventry, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

DEWES, SON, and WILKS, 10, Hay-lane, Coventry, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**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 Thomas Humphreys, of 24 and 25, West Orchard, Coventry, Broker.

**N**OTICE 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, Priory-row, Coventry, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

W. R. GOATE, 8, Priory-row, Coventry, Solicitor for the said Thomas Humphreys.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Drury Lockwood, of Brumby, in the parish of Frodingham, in the county of Lincoln, Joiner and Builder.

**N**OTICE 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. Stephenson and Mountain, Solicitors, Bethlehem-street, Great Grimsby, in the county of Lincoln, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

STEPHENSON and MOUNTAIN, Solicitors for the said Richard Drury Lockwood.

**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 James Lucas, of No. 1, West-street, Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer and Draper.

**N**OTICE 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 Durance, Solicitor, 25, Mint-lane, in the city of Lincoln, on the 20th

day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

JOSH. DURANCE, 25, Mint-lane, Lincoln, Solicitor for the said James Lucas.

**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 Locke, of No. 64, Castle-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Draper.

**N**OTICE 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. Harry Hughes Beekingham, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, in the city and county of Bristol, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-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 Charles Sowden, of the Two Trees Tavern, Wilder-street, Saint Paul's, in the city and county of Bristol, Licensed Victualler.

**N**OTICE 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 Frederick Augustus Meeres, Solicitor, 3, Nicholas-street, Bristol, on the 15th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

F. A. MEERES, 3, Nicholas-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Rothery, of James-street, Cleator Moor, in the county of Cumberland, Carter.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of John Webster, Solicitor, No. 32, Queen-street, Whitehaven, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOHN WEBSTER, 32, Queen-street, Whitehaven, Solicitor for the said John Rothery.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Banbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Mascord, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Ironmonger and Oil and Cake Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Lion Hotel, Banbury aforesaid, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

PAIN and HAWTIN, Bridge-street, Banbury, Solicitors for the said Joseph Mascord.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Dummer, of Northam, in the county of Southampton, Yacht and Boat Builder.

**N**OTICE 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. G. Newman, Solicitor, 4, Upper East-street, Southampton, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

W. G. NEWMAN, 4, Upper East-street, Southampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Wood, of Congleton, in the county of Chester, carrying on business at Washford Mill, Buglawton, in the same county, as a Silk Manufacturer, under the style or firm of James Wood and Son.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Railway Hotel, Congleton aforesaid, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

THOMAS COOPER, Congleton, Cheshire, Solicitor for the said James Wood.



**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 Samuel Jackson Clarke, late of the Wholesale Fish Market, Manchester, and now of Heaton Moor, both in the county of Lancaster, 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 Dolphin Hotel, Shudehill Market, in the city of Manchester, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

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**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 Thomas Britten, of 54, Argyle-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, 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. J. S. and R. Blease, 25, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Accountants, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**BARRELL and RODWAY**, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Francis Whitfield, of the city of Truro, in the county of Cornwall, Cooper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 5, Quay-street, Truro, on the 15th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**ROBERT DOBELL, Jun.**, Truro, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mark Anderson, of Fore Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, 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 the offices of Messrs. Trotter, Bruce, and Trotter, No. 56, North Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**THOS. HUTCHINSON**, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Mark Anderson.

**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 Joseph Hutchinson, of 51 and 52, Bridge-street West, Middlesborough, Temperance Hotel Keeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hope and Co., Solicitors, 7, Exchange-place, Middlesborough, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of November, 1877.

**JOHN HENRY HOPE**, 7, Exchange-place, Middlesborough and 152, Euston-road, London, Solicitor for the said Joseph Hutchinson.

**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 George Wright, of 80, Vaughan-street, Middlesborough, in the North Riding of 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. James Tweedy, Solicitor, 59, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**JAMES TWEEDY**, 59, High-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 Marshall, of South Bank, in Cleveland, in the North Riding of 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. James Tweedy, Solicitor, 59, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**JAMES TWEEDY**, 59, High-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 Mary Stewart, of No. 17, Wharf-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Widow.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hunton and Bolsover, Solicitors, No. 66, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**HUNTON and BOLSOVER**, 66, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitors 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 George Cuthbert Smith, late of Nos. 38 and 40, Durham-street, but now of 39, St. Paul's-road, both in Middlesborough, in the county of York, 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 Alfred Henry Sill, No. 9, Zetland-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**ALFRED H. SILL**, 9, Zetland-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said George Cuthbert Smith.

**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 Stoddart, of No. 14, Bridge-street and No. 14, Grace-terrace, both in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Robert Richard Edington, Accountant, 20, Bridge-street, in the borough of Sunderland aforesaid, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

**GEORGE H. BLAKEY**, 6, Fawcett-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 Chapman, of 87, Hendon-road, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, 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 the offices of Robert Richard Edington, Accountant, 20, Bridge-street, Sunderland, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**GEORGE H. BLAKEY**, 6, Fawcett-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 William Edward Young, of 23, Villiers-street and 23, Crow Tree-road, both in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Builder and Joiner.

**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. George Henry Blakey, Solicitor, 6, Fawcett-street, Sunderland, on the 11th

day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

GEORGE H. BLAKEY, 6, Fawcett-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 William Pickering, of the Market Hotel, Coronation-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Publican.

NOTICE 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 Jolly Bentham, Solicitor, Arcade-chambers, Sunderland, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

JNO. J. BENTHAM, Arcade-chambers, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said William Pickering.

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 Charles Phillips, of Diglis, in the city of Worcester, Japanner, lately trading in copartnership with Charles Leonard, at the Worcester Japan Works, in the said city, under the style of Leonard and Phillips.

NOTICE 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 Lambert, Solicitor, at No. 14, Foregate-street, in the city of Worcester, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

WILLIAM LAMBERT, 14, Foregate-street, Worcester, 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 Ann Farrant, of Sidmouth, in the county of Devon, Undertaker.

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. Edgar Smale's Castle Hotel, Castle-street, Exeter, Devon, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

FRANCIS ROBERT JEFFERY, Ottery Saint Mary, Devon, 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 John Cocks, of No. 48, Brook-street, Tavistock, in the county of Devon, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. E. Elworthy, Curtis, and Dawe, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 11th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

RICHD. H. DAWE, of the firm of J. E. Elworthy, Curtis, and Dawe, of Plymouth, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Morcombe, of Okehampton, 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 the office of Mr. Christopher Vickry Bridgman, No. 14, Princess-square, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

CHRISTR. V. BRIDGMAN, of 14, Princess-square, Plymouth, 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 Connell Berthon Loughman, of Callington, in the county of Cornwall, 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 my office, 44, George-street,

Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 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 East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Vereker Smyth, of the Royal Marine Barracks, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, Surgeon in the Royal Marine Light Infantry.

NOTICE 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 Rodda, Solicitor, No. 10, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

CHAS. RODDA, of No. 10, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, Solicitor for the said Arthur Vereker Smyth.

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 Simon Heay Lake, of Market-street, Ilfracombe, in the county of Devon, Shopkeeper, Licensed Dealer in Game, and Dealer in Rabbits, Fruit, and Fish.

NOTICE 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 Arnold Thorne, Solicitor, Castle-street, Barnstaple, Devon, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

J. A. THORNE, Castle-street, Barnstaple, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edmund Holborn, of Bridge-street, in the parish of Saint George of Colegate, in the city of Norwich, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

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, as below, on the 13th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

SADD and LINAY, of Theatre-street, Norwich, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Albert Savory, of Billingford, in the county of Norfolk, Wool 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 Mr. Matthew Sallitt Emerson, Solicitor, No. 6, Rampant Horse-street, Norwich, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

M. S. EMERSON, 6, Rampant Horse-street, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Steward, of the parish of Saint Paul, in the city of Norwich, Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Winter and Francis, Solicitors, Saint Giles-street, Norwich, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

WINTER and FRANCIS, Saint Giles-street, Norwich, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Jackson Plowright, of No. 4, Tower-place, King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Oil, Colour, and Glass 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 the offices of Mr. Edward Milligen Beloe, of New Conduit-street, King's Lynn, Norfolk, Solicitor, on the 10th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

EDWD. M. BLOE, King's Lynn, Norfolk, 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 Joseph William Wright, of No. 12, Free-lane, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Wholesale Ironmonger and Manufacturer of Trunk Furniture.

**N**OTICE 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 the undersigned, situate in Market-street, Leicester aforesaid, on the 10th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

B. A. SHIRES, Market-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 Thomas Harrison the younger, of Ullesthorpe, in the county of Leicester, Shoemaker and Grazer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Hiram Abiff Owston, Solicitor, situate at No. 23, Friar-lane, Leicester aforesaid, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

H. A. OWSTON, 23, Friar-lane, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Arthur Taylor, of No. 3, Guthlaxton-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Book-keeper.

**N**OTICE 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 21st day of December, 1877, at three o'clock, in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 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 William Ellis, of Oakham, in the county of Rutland, Wheelwright.

**N**OTICE 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 Farmery Law, 3, Saint Mary's-place, Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

WM. F. LAW, 3, Saint Mary's-place, Stamford, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Watkin Morgan, of Pentre, in the parish of Ystrad-fodwg, in the county of Glamorgan, Tailor and Woollen Draper.

**N**OTICE 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 Matthew Wayne Morgan, Solicitor, situate in Market-square, Pontypridd aforesaid, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

MATTHEW WAYNE MORGAN, Solicitor for the said Watkin Morgan.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Shem Beynon, of Penrynlyn, Treherbert, and of Tynewydd, near Treherbert, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer.

**N**OTICE 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 Hotel, in the town of Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

RICE POWELL, THOMAS, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Brunker, of the Bedford Brewery, Castle-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Brewer, and of Llandaff, in the same county, Beerhouse Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the King's Head Hotel, Newport, in the county of Carmarthen, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

SALMON and HENDERSON, 50, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the said John William Brunker.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Woods, of No. 5, Working-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Plumber.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Albion-chambers, Bristol, Accountants, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

T. H. STEPHENS, Bute-crescent, Cardiff, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jacob Poole, now of No. 1, Ellen-street, Newtown, Cardiff aforesaid, but formerly of Liswerry, in the parish of Christchurch, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Nos. 29 and 30, Saint Mary-street, Cardiff, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

DAVID BLELLOCH, 29 and 30, Saint Mary-street, Cardiff, Solicitor for the said Jacob Poole.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Rosser, of Walter's Farm, Wenvoe, in the county of Glamorgan, Farmer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 18, High-street, Cardiff aforesaid, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

MORGAN and SCOTT, 18, High-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Shaddick and James Henry Burgess, both of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Ship Brokers, carrying on business there and at Cardiff and Liverpool, under the style or firm of Burgess, Shaddick, and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the debtors' offices, Cambrian-place, Swansea, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

HENRY H. FIELD, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

**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 George Shaddick and James Henry Burgess, both of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Ship Brokers, carrying on business there and at Cardiff and Liverpool, under the style or firm of Burgess, Shaddick, and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named George Shaddick has been summoned to be held at the debtors' offices, Cambrian-place, Swansea, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

HENRY H. FIELD, Solicitor for the said George Shaddick.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Shaddick and James Henry Burgess, both of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Ship Brokers, carrying on business there and at Cardiff and Liverpool, under the style or firm of Burgess, Shaddick, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named James Henry Burgess has been summoned to be held at the debtors' offices, Cambrian-place, Swansea, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

HENRY H. FIELD, Solicitor for the said James Henry Burgess.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Morris, of No. 11, Cardiff-street, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of W. and J. Beddoe, Solicitors, Canon-street, Aberdare, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

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

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Dillon, late of 181, Westgate-street, Gloucester, Glass and China Dealer, afterwards of Bedford-place, Redland, Bristol, Butcher, but now of No. 5, New Bond-street, Bath, 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 No. 13, Queen-square, Bath, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

STONE, KING, and KING, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James House, of Durston, in the county of Somerset, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Reed and Cook, Solicitors, King-square, Bridgwater, in the county of Somerset, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

REED and COOK, Bridgwater, 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 Patrick McConnon, of 24, Middle-street, Consett, in the county of Durham, 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 Adam Brodie, Town-hall, Consett, Accountant, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

WELFORD and SON, Middle-street, Consett, 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 Isaac Attwood, of 15, Eldon-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and formerly carrying on business at 37, Clayton-street East, in Newcastle aforesaid, and now at the Green Market, in Newcastle aforesaid, as a 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 offices of William Lockey Harle, Solicitor, 2, Akenside-hill, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 15th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

WM. LOCKEY HARLE, 2, Akenside-hill, 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 Innes, of the Stockbridge, in the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. G. and J. E. Joel, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

J. G. and J. E. JOEL, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the said James Innes.

## 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 Henry John Leech, of No. 36, Clayton-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of No. 36, Grove-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Hosier 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 Henry Lucas Turner, of No. 5, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of the same town, Solicitor, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

H. LUCAS TURNER, 5, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Henry John Leech.

## 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 Ralph Nicholson, of Bedlington, in the county of Northumberland, Draper, carrying on business under the firm of R. Nicholson 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. Charles Chisholm Davison, Solicitor, Newgate-street, Morpeth, in the county of Northumberland, on the 21st day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

CHARLES C. DAVISON, Newgate-street, Morpeth, Solicitors for the said Ralph Nicholson.

## 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 Abraham Henry James, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Sculptor and Stone Merchant, trading under the style or firm of A. H. James 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. Joseph Gibbs, Solicitor, No. 10, Tredegar-place, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH GIBBS, Newport, Mon., 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 Mary Evans, of Cross-street, Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Shoe 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 office of Mr. George Albert Jones, situate in Frogmore-street, Abergavenny aforesaid, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

GEORGE ALBERT JONES, Abergavenny, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Evans, of Llaing, in the parish of Conwil Elvet, in the county of Carmarthen, Currier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. J. F. Morris, No. 1, Quay-street, in the county of the borough of Carmarthen,

Solicitor, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**JAMES FREDERICK MORRIS, 1, Quay-street, Carmarthen, Solicitor for the said Debtor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Dowling and Henry Dowling, of Nos. 121 and 122, Gloster-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Brewer, the said John Dowling separately carrying on the business of a Mineral Water Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 150, North-street, Brighton, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**THOMAS A. GOODMAN, 150, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said John Dowling and Henry Dowling.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Dowling, of Nos. 121 and 122, Gloster-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Mineral Water 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. 150, North-street, Brighton, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**THOMAS A. GOODMAN, 150, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said John Dowling.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Blackford, of 6, Saint Mary's-terrace, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Beerhouse Keeper and 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 my offices, 1, Harold-place, Hastings aforesaid, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**C. DAVENPORT JONES, 1, Harold-place, Hastings, Solicitor for the said Debtor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Beet, late of Ripley, in the county of Derby, Shopkeeper and Beerseller, but now of Leabrooks, in the parish of Alfreton, in the said county of Derby, Engine Smith.

**NOTICE** 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. Ernest Gratian Jackson, Solicitor, 19, Market-place, Derby, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**ERNEST G. JACKSON, 19, Market-place, Derby, Solicitor for the said George Beet.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Adie, of Nos. 35, 85, 89, and 90, Calverley-road, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Auctioneer, Estate Agent, Builder, and Brickmaker.

**UPON** sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 17th day of December, 1877, is hereby directed to be held at the Calverley Assembly Rooms, Calverley-road, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 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 William Davies, of Staunton Hill, Skegby, Nottinghamshire, Provision Merchant.

**UPON** sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 13th day of

December, 1877, is hereby directed to be held at the office of Mr. Henry Stanley, Washington-buildings, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Hardstaff, of Spanby, near Falkingham, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer.

**A GENERAL** Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the Bristol Arms Inn, Sleaford, in the county of Lincoln, on Monday, the 17th day of December next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes following, viz.:—Auditing the accounts of the Trustee; declaring a First and Final Dividend; releasing the Trustee; granting the debtor his discharge, and fixing the close of the liquidation.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1877.

**JOHN SINCLAIR, Trustee.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Tait, of Queen's-lane, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Dryalter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named James Tait will be held at the offices of Messrs. Hoyle, Shipley, and Hoyle, Solicitors, 20, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes, viz.:—1. To cancel the offer of twenty shillings in the pound and to pay the costs of and incident to the proceedings made by the said James Tait, and accepted by the creditors on the 2nd day of November last, and in lieu thereof to consider the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustees of an amended offer now made by the said James Tait, to pay the creditors a further dividend by way of composition of ten shillings in the pound on the amount of their proved claims, making, with the dividend of six shillings in the pound already paid, a total dividend or composition of sixteen shillings in the pound, and to pay forthwith all costs of and incident to the proceedings, such further dividend or composition to be payable as follows: Seven shillings in the pound in cash at the expiration of one month from the date of the said meeting; one shilling in the pound at the expiration of twelve months from the said date; one shilling in the pound at the expiration of twenty-four months from the said date; and one shilling in the pound at the expiration of thirty-six months from the said date; with power, before the first instalment becomes due and payable, for the Trustees to permit and suffer the said James Tait to raise the amount thereof by a further charge to the Guardian Building Society over his real property already in mortgage to them; the last three instalments of one shilling in the pound, payable at twelve, twenty-four, and thirty-six months respectively, to be secured in such manner as the creditors present at the said meeting may determine and approve of, and in the event of such offer being accepted; 2. To close the liquidation; and 3. To grant the discharge of the Trustee under the liquidation.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

**JOHN M. WINTER,  
T. PRAGNELL, Trustees.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Casper Nathan, of No. 20, Melbourn-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at No. 43, Queen-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid, under the style or firm of O. Nathan and Co., as Clothiers, also carrying on business at No. 16, Dudley-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid, under the style or firm of W. Potts and Co., as Clothiers.

**A GENERAL** Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Charles Casper Nathan is hereby summoned to be held at the Great Northern Hotel, No. 30, Wellington-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on Friday, the 14th day of December instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—For the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustees from the said Charles Casper Nathan of a composition of twelve shillings in the pound, payable as follows, viz.:—By eight equal instalments of one shilling and sixpence in the pound each, payable at three, six, nine, twelve, fifteen, eighteen, twenty-one, and twenty-four months respectively, from the 19th day of November, 1877, the four last instalments to be

secured by the joint and several promissory notes of the debtor and his brother, N. Nathan, of No. 8, High-street, Shoreditch, London, Clothier, or of assenting to a general scheme of settlement of the affairs of the said Charles Casper Nathan, or of passing any other resolution or resolutions competent to the creditors under the provisions of the said Act and the rules and orders in such case made and provided. For the release of the said Trustees. For the appointment of new Trustees. For the close of the liquidation, and for the discharge of the said Charles Casper Nathan.—Dated the 4th day of December, 1877.

A. K. DOBSON, Aire-street, Leeds.  
JOSEPH MARSDEN, Littlewood's - buildings,  
Huddersfield, Trustees assenting in above Matter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Oxley, of the city of Bristol, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. John and Samuel Brazier Parsons, Public Accountants, Queen Victoria-buildings, 16, High-street, in the city of Bristol, on Thursday, the 13th day of December, 1877, at half-past three P.M., for the following purposes:—1. To fix the Trustee's remuneration; 2. To audit the Trustee's accounts; 3. To declare a First and Final Dividend; 4. To close the liquidation; 5. To grant the Trustee his release, and for passing such resolutions in reference to the above matters as the creditors may think expedient; 6. To consider an application from the debtor for his discharge.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

JNO. PARSONS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Christian Adolph Sauerland and Henry Arthur Hatch, of Nos. 24 and 25, Newhall-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Sauerland, Hatch, and Co.

**A MEETING** of the Creditors of Christian Adolph Sauerland and Henry Arthur Hatch, of Newhall hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Merchants trading under the style or firm of Sauerland, Hatch, and Co., who presented a petition for liquidation by arrangement or composition with their creditors to the above-named Court, on the 15th day of October, 1877, will be held at the office of Messrs. Beale, Marigold, and Co., Solicitors, 30, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 17th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning, and if thought expedient to sanction, the assent by the Trustee to a general scheme proposed by Christian Adolph Sauerland, one of the debtors, for the settlement of the debtors' affairs upon such terms as may be thought expedient, and for the purpose of granting or otherwise the debtors' discharge, such scheme to be subsequently approved by the Court.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

LUKE J. SHARP, 47, Ann-street, Birmingham,  
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 Baines, of Nos. 55 and 114, Columbia-road, Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Dealer.

**THE** creditors of the above-named William Baines who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Mogg, of No. 1, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

THOMAS MOGG, 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 Eliza Sarah Ray and Edwin Stewart Harrison of 35, Great Castle-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Goldsmiths, Jewellers, and Silversmiths.

**THE** creditors of the above-named Eliza Sarah Ray and Edwin Stewart Harrison who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Richard Webb, of No. 86, Newman-street, Oxford-

street, and John A. Norman, of No. 5, Margaret-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1877.

RICHARD WEBB,  
JOHN A. NORMAN, 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 George Noble Wilkinson and James Byers Watt, both of No. 90, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, and late of No. 18, Billiter-street, in the said city, trading as Wilkinson, Watt, and Company.

**THE** separate creditors of the above-named George Noble Wilkinson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Fletcher, of 3, Lothbury, London, E.C., the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

ROB. FLETCHER, 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 William Poole, of 36, Praed-street, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Maker, late in partnership with Henry Welsh Warwick, of the same place, under the style of Poole and Co., as Boot and Shoe Makers.

**THE** creditors of the above-named William Poole who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Hickson, of 20, West Smithfield, in the city of London, Wholesale Boot Manufacturer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

WILLIAM HICKSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Chapman and Patrick Leahy (trading as Chapman and Leahy) of 13A, Tabernacle-walk, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex.

**THE** creditors of the above-named John William Chapman and Patrick Leahy (trading as Chapman and Leahy) who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur Barron, of 10, Old Jewry-chambers, 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 3rd day of December, 1877.

ARTHUR BARRON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors instituted by Joseph Hardstaff, of Spauby, near Falkingham, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer.

**THE** creditors of the above-named Joseph Hardstaff who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Sinclair, of Horbling, near Falkingham, in the county of Lincoln, 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 November, 1877.

JOHN SINCLAIR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Rosina Pickernell, now of No. 3, Retreat, Hither-green, Lewisham, in the county of Kent, Widow, but late of the White Hart Hotel, Hart-street, Henley-on-Thames, in the county of Oxford, Hotel Keeper.

**THE** creditors of the above-named Rosina Pickernell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry M. Imbert-Terry, of No. 10, Park Village West, Gou-



chester-gate, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, 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 21st day of November, 1877.

**HENRY M. IMBERT-TERRY, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Francis the younger, of Saint Thomas the Apostle, in the county of Devon, Tanner, and John Francis, of Tattenham, in the parish of Longfleet, in the county of Dorset, Tanner, carrying on in copartnership together the trade or business of Tanners, at Poole, in the county of Dorset, under the style or firm of Francis and Francis.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Francis and Francis who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Edwin Fewings, of 16, Queen-street, 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 1st day of December, 1877.

**EDWIN FEWINGS, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Hughes and Rowland Morgan, of Mold, in the county of Flint, Tin and Black Plate Manufacturers, trading there under the style or firm of the Mold Tin Plate Company, and as regards the said John Hughes also carrying on business in copartnership with another as a General Commission Merchant, at City-road, in the city and county of Chester.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Hughes and Rowland Morgan who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 12th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned John Stanley Blease, of 25, Castle-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 1st day of December, 1877.

**JOHN S. BLEASE, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Jenkins, of Ringwood Villa, Shanklin, in the Isle of Wight, Builder.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Henry Jenkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Edmonds, Accountant, Newport, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**WM. EDMONDS, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Crimson, of 97, High-street and 1, Oakwellgate Chare, both in Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Butcher.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Crimson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John George Smith, 3, West-street, Gateshead, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**J. G. SMITH, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Merricks and Edward Merricks, both of No. 65, South-street, in the city of Chichester, Grocers, trading as Samuel Merricks and Son.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Samuel Merricks and Edward Merricks who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Francis Neale Hobgen, of East-street, in the city of Chichester,

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 4th day of December, 1877.

**FRANCIS N. HOBGEN, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Merricks and Edward Merricks, both of No. 65, South-street, in the city of Chichester, Grocers, trading as Samuel Merricks and Son.

**T**HE separate creditors of the above-named Samuel Merricks who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Francis Neale Hobgen, of East-street, in the city of Chichester, 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 4th day of December, 1877.

**FRANCIS N. HOBGEN, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Bousfield the younger, of Darlington, in the county of Durham, Printer, Bookseller, and Stationer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Bousfield the younger who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Francis Laidler, of 41, High-row, Darlington, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

**R. F. LAIDLER, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William O'Reilly, of No. 21, Great George-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Glass and China Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William O'Reilly who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Adolph Zappert, of No. 25, Commercial-street, Whitechapel, 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 6th day of December, 1877.

**ADOLPH ZAPPERT, 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 John Francis and Alfred Eraut, of 19, Brunswick-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ship Brokers and Commission Agents, trading there under the style or firm of Robert J. Francis and Co., and formerly acting as Managers and Agents of the Liverpool and Continental Steam Ship Company Limited.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Robert John Francis and Alfred Eraut who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Hayes Sheen, of 21, North John-street, Liverpool, 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 4th day of December, 1877.

**THOMAS H. SHEEN, Trustee.**

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Lyon, of 5, Burscough-street, Ormskirk, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Lyon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Price, of 26, North John-street, Liverpool, in the said county, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

**JOHN PRICE, 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 Yule Manson, of No. 194, Great Homer-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger, Whitesmith, and General Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Robert Yule Manson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 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 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 5th day of December, 1877.

HENRY 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 William Horn and Howard Gow both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants and Copartners, trading under the firm of Horn, Gow, and Co.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Horn and Howard Gow who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

HENRY 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 France, of No. 84, the Market-hall, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Toffy Manufacturer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John France who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Brooks, of Coldwall Works, Spotland, Rochdale, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1877.

JAMES BROOKS, Trustee.

**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 John Boyd Crawford, of 9, Grosvenor-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Plumber, Glazier, and Gasfitter.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Boyd Crawford who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Simpson, of Jackson's-row, Deansgate, Manchester aforesaid, Auctioneer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JAS. SIMPSON, Trustee.

**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 Ann Travis, of Albert Mill, Albert-street, in the city of Manchester, Smallware Manufacturer, trading under the style of Executors of T. Travis.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Ann Travis who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Kerr, of Faulkner-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

JOHN KERR, Trustee.

**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 Ravenscroft, of Town-lane, Mobblerley, in the county of Chester, Coach Builder and Wheelwright.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Ravenscroft who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Jepson Knight, of Townhall-chambers, Northwich, in the county of Chester, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

GEO. J. KNIGHT, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William James Smith, of Cawood, in the county of York, Draper and Grocer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William James Smith who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joshua Crowther, of Bath-chambers, 39, York-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

JOSHUA CROWTHER, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Collett, of Stow Wood, in the county of Oxford, Farmer and Publican.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Collett who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bacon, of No. 30, Broad-street, Oxford, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

HENRY BACON, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of David Price, of Melrose Villa, Stow Park, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Shipowner.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named David Price who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Alfred Williams and Richard Baugh Evans, both of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Accountants, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

ALFRED WILLIAMS,  
R. B. EVANS, Trustees.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Francis John Gilbert, of Upper Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Currier and Leather Merchant.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Francis John Gilbert who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Henry Burrell, of 18, Albion-street, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

W. H. BURRELL, Trustee.

**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 Alexander Chalmers, of No. 39, Church-street, Rotherham, in the county of York, Fish and Game Dealer and Tailor.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Alexander Chalmers who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Weir, of No. 14, Church-street, Rotherham aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOHN WEIR, Trustee.

**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 Frederick Dalzell Carr, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Metal Broker, formerly carrying on business in copartnership with William Calvert, under the style of the Owlerton Forge and Axle Company, at Sheffield, in the said county of York.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Frederick Dalzell Carr who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Weir, of No. 14, Church-street, Rotherham aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOHN WEIR, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Harris, of Orchard-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, General Factor.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Thomas Harris who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, John Unwin Wing, of Prideaux-chambers, Change-alley, Sheffield aforesaid, Accountant, or Isaac Eyre, of Lincoln Plate Works, Arundel-street, Sheffield aforesaid, Electro-Plate Manufacturer, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

J. UNWIN WING,  
I. EYRE, Trustees.

**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 Edward Ripley, McCroben, of Darley-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Draper.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Edward Ripley McCroben who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Daniel Viney, of No. 99, Cheapside, 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 6th day of December, 1877.

J. D. VINEY, Trustee.

**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 Thomas William Grantham, of No. 19, Silver-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Thomas William Grantham who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Hall, of Saint Mary's-chambers, Hull, 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 4th day of December, 1877.

BENJAMIN HALL, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Watson, of Waitwith, near Richmond, in the county of York, Farmer and Thresher of Corn by Steam Power.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Watson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Henry Christopher Priestman, of Richmond aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

HENRY C. PRIESTMAN, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Moffatt, of

Kirkgate, Wakefield, in the county of York, Baker and Confectioner.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Charles Moffatt who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 22nd day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Reuben Reynolds, or to Joseph Longbottom, of Wakefield, Corn Millers, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

R. REYNOLDS,  
J. LONGBOTTOM, Trustees.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Judge Skinner, of No. 64, Victoria-street, Birmingham, and No. 101, Varna-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Factor, trading as J. J. Skinner and Co.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Joseph Judge Skinner who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Luke Jesson Sharp, of 47, Ann-street, Birmingham, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

LUKE J. SHARP, 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 John Heal, of No. 203, Coventry-road, Small Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Heal who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Luke Jesson Sharp, of 47, Ann-street, Birmingham, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

LUKE J. SHARP, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Bentley, of the Westfields Farm, Earl Shilton, in the county of Leicester, Farmer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Henry Bentley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Powers, of Barwell, in the said county of Leicester, 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 3rd day of December, 1877.

G. POWERS, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Middleton, of Paddock Wood, in the county of Kent, Farmer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Middleton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ebenezer Stewart, of Bracebridges, near Paddock Wood, in the county of Kent, Seed Crusher, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

EBENEZER STEWART, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Stanley, of 180, Middle-street, Deal, in the county of Kent, Grocer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Stanley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or

claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Hayward, of Dover, in the county of Kent, 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 4th day of December, 1877.

HENRY HAYWARD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Saint Albans.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas King, of Marlowes, Hemel Hempstead, in the county of Hertford, Carriage Builder.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Thomas King who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 22nd day of December, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, at the offices of Messrs. Boyes and Child, 42, Poultry, London, E.C., Accountants, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

J. BOYES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Charles Rex, of Moorgate, in the parish of Claborough, in the county of Nottingham, Farmer, late of the George Inn, Moorgate aforesaid, and of the Wine and Spirit Vaults, East Retford, in the said county of Nottingham, Licensed Victualler.

**S**AMUEL HAVENHAND BENNETT, of East Retford, in the said county of Nottingham, Publican, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Harris, of Hazlewood-road, in the town of Northampton, Commission Agent and Shoe Manufacturer.

**J**ONATHAN GREAVES, of Abington-square, in the town of Northampton, Leather Merchant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Kidderminster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Jones, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Builder.

**T**HOMAS REES, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

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 Joseph Lee and William Lee, of Strensham, in the county of Worcester, Millers, Farmers, and Copartners, carrying on business under the style or firm of Lee Brothers.

**J**OHAN BRISCOE, of Hill Croome, Severn Stoke, in the county of Worcester, Farmer, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Anthony Bonfield, residing at Shap, and carrying on business at Shap, and at Bampton Grange, both in the county of Westmoreland, as a Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant.

**J**OHAN KIDD, of Penrith, in the county of Cumberland, 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 1st day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Young Skinner, trading under the style or firm of J. Y. Skinner and Co., of Wisbech, in the county of Cambridge, and also of Upwell, in the said county of Cambridge, General Outfitter.

**W**ILLIAM COMBEN HARVEY, of No. 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire holden at Saint Albans.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas King, of Marlowes, Hemel Hempstead, in the county of Hertford Carriage Builder.

**J**AMES BOYES, of No. 42, Poultry, 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 proof of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

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 Yule Manson, of No. 194, Great Homer-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger, Whitesmith, and General Dealer.

**H**ENRY BOLLAND, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William O'Reilly, of No. 21, Great George-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Glass and China Dealer.

**A**DOLPH ZAPPERT, of No. 25, Commercial-street, Whitechapel, London, 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 9th day of May, 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 Ann Travis, of Albert Mill, Albert-street, in the city of Manchester, Smallware Manufacturer, trading under the style of Executors of T. Travis.

**J**OHAN KERR, of Faulkner-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Emery, of Pendleton, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer.

**EDWIN BANKS HARDING**, of Cooper-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 4th day of December, 1877.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Brookshaw Harvey and John Pickston, of Nos. 10 and 12, Trentham-street, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Aerated Water Manufacturers and Copartners.

**ROBERT HENRY ASPDEN**, of Princess-street, Manchester aforesaid, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the said 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 3rd day of December, 1877.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Gledhill, of 35, Northgate, and St. James's Market, Bradford, in the county of York, Fruit and Potato Salesman.

**JOHN WILLIAM TEMPEST**, of Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1877.

## 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 Thompson, of North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Boot and Shoe Maker and News Agent.

**WILLIAM SMITHSON** and John Spoor Smirk, both of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

## 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 Matthew Miller, of North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Fish Curer.

**WILLIAM SMITHSON**, of No. 9, Grainger-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

## 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 Joseph Sutton Peck, trading under the style or firm of Watson, Peck, and Son, of 75, Argyle-street, and 2, Holly Bank-road, Clifton-road, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Linen and Woollen Draper.

**JOHN DANIEL VINEY**, of 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, and Thomas Theodore Rogers, of 16, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, 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 4th day of December, 1877.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

**A DIVIDEND** is intended to be declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of John Gibson, of the Brindley Arms Inn, Chell, in the county of Stafford, Lunkeeper and Blacksmith. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 15th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1877.

ARTHUR WAYTE, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

To Basil O'Brien, of No. 54, the Grove, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex.

In the Matter of a Debtor's Summons issued against you by Frederick Nassau Golding, of No. 1, Sun-court, Cornhill, in the city of London, Stock and Share Broker.

**TAKE** notice, that a Debtor's Summons having been granted against you by this Court, the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and Times newspaper shall be deemed to be service of such summons on you on the seventh day after such publication. The summons can be inspected by you on application to this Court.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

## In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A MEETING** of Creditors of Edward Kent, of Glamis-road, Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, Lighterman and Coal Merchant, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 23rd day of September, 1876, will be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Francis Bullard Birchall, No. 2, Cowper's-court, Cornhill, in the city of London, on Monday, the 17th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of one shilling in the pound (or to sanction the assent by the Trustee to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt), and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated the 5th day of December, 1877.

## In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.

**A MEETING** of the Creditors of Joseph Stafford, of New Mills, in the county of Chester, Wood Turner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of January, 1877, will be held at the office of Nathaniel Calvert, 8, Warren-street, Stockport, on Wednesday, the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt, or the assent by the Trustee to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt, and for annulling the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Patrick Pirie Gordon, of 5, Talbot-road, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, and of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, and of Middleton, in the Presidency of Madras, Coffee Planter, not a Trader, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 25th day of July, 1874.

**A GENERAL** Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Patrick Pirie Gordon is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. C. F. Kemp, Ford, and Co., 8, Walbrook, in the city of London, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—1. To sanction the sale by the Trustee of all the remaining outstanding estate to the wife of the bankrupt for a sum of £706; 2. To assent to an application being made to the Court by the bankrupt for his discharge.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

C. F. KEMP, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Thomas Smith, of Cheveley, in the county of Cambridge, Gentleman, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 26th day of February, 1876.

**A GENERAL** Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. James Neal York, Solicitor, at Newmarket, in the county of Suffolk, on Monday, the 17th day

of December instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purposes following, that is to say:—1. To consider the question of making the bankrupt an allowance out of his estate; 2. To consider the question of the Trustee's remuneration; and 3. To consider the report of the Trustee and Committee of Inspection, and the expediency of closing the bankruptcy.

HENRY DURRANT, Trustee.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Lichfield. In the Matter of John Titley, of Cannock Chase, in the township of Burntwood, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated Bankrupt on the 30th day of August, 1867.

A MEETING of the Creditors of this estate will be held before the Registrar, at his office, Saint John-street, Lichfield, on the 14th day of December, 1877, at half past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of choosing an Assignee or Assignees of bankrupt's estate and effects in the place of Robert McFarlane Roy, deceased. Proofs of debt will be received, and creditors who have not yet proved, and do not then prove, cannot vote in such choice.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861, and the Bankruptcy Act, 1869. The Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of William Charles Harris, late of Eardisland, in the county of Hereford, Cattle Dealer, Grazier, and Farmer, afterwards of Risbury, in the parish of Stoke Priory, in the same county, Farm Bailiff, then of Leominster, afterwards of Dilwyn, both in the same county, Cattle Dealer, and now of Clent, in the county of Worcester, out of business, who was adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 2nd day of April, 1864.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the said William Charles Harris, the above-named bankrupt, will be held at the Court House, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of December, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, before the Registrar of the said Court, when and where the creditors of the said bankrupt who have proved their debts are to attend in order to choose one or more Assignee or Assignees of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, in the room of Edward James, deceased, late one of the Assignees who had lately died.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Young, of No. 9, Liverpool-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer, formerly carrying on business in copartnership with one Alfred Browne, under the style or firm of Young and Browne, and now also carrying on business with one George White, at Suffolk-place, 14, Snowfields, Bermondsey, under the style or firm of Young, White, and Co., residing at 16, Claremont-square, Islington, in the said county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of May, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Andrews and Mason, 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, Cheapside, in the city of London, on and after the 10th day of December, 1877.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A DIVIDEND of 3s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of James Penn and William Russel, of Virginia-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, adjudicated bankrupts on the 17th day of February, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my office, 206, Lord-street, Southport, on any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two, after the 24th day of November, 1875.—Dated this 24th day of November, 1875.

R. BENTINCK, Trustee.

At the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Mence Wilkinson, of Hurlfield House, in the parish of Handsworth, in the county of York, and of Sheffield, in the said county of York, Chemist and Dealer in Safety Fuse, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of March, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Camm and Corbidge, 133 and 135, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, on and after Monday, the 17th day of December, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

COOPER CORBIDGE, Jun., Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 7s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Thomas Straw, of 20 and 22, Division-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the

5th day of January, 1877, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Camm and Corbidge, 133 and 135, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, on and after Monday, the 17th day of December, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

COOPER CORBIDGE, Jun., Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A THIRD and Final Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joseph Knott and Edmund Knott, of Highfield Steel Works, London-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturers, Tilters, and Rollers, carrying on business under the style of Joseph Knott and Company, adjudicated bankrupts on the 31st day of July, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Camm and Corbidge, 133 and 135, Norfolk-street, Sheffield aforesaid, on and after Monday, the 17th day of December, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

COOPER CORBIDGE, Jun., Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 12th July, 1864, against Edward Caddon, of No. 23, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Wine Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Dividend at the rate of fifteen-sixteenths of one penny in the pound, and 2s. 7d. and fifteen-sixteenths of one penny to New Proofs, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on Wednesday next, and the following Wednesday, or any Wednesday after the 26th December, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—December 6, 1877.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 2nd July, 1866, against Daniel Millard, of 5, Ampton-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk in a Public Office for the Registration of Acknowledgments of Deeds by Married Women, Lancaster-place, Strand.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Fifth Dividend at the rate of 9d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on Wednesday next, and the following Wednesday, or any Wednesday after the 26th December, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—December 6, 1877.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Thomas Philp, of 37, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, late of 67A, Basinghall-street, in the said city, Merchant, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Thomas Philp, an order of adjudication was made on the 25th day of October, 1877. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 3rd day of December, 1877.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1877.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Robert Dance, of Natal, South Africa, and Mark Eweu's Public House, corner of Basinghall-street and London Wall, in the city of London, Woollen Merchant, trading as Dance and Knell.

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

By the Court.

James R. Brougham, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Dance 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 December,



1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Stephen Thomas Griffiths and Cornelius Griffiths, of No. 15, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, trading there in copartnership under the style or firm of Griffiths Brothers and Company, Merchants and Commission Agents, formerly carrying on business at the same place, under the style or firm of Griffiths and Griffiths, as Accountants.

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 Stephen Thomas Griffiths and Cornelius Griffiths having been given, it is ordered that the said Stephen Thomas Griffiths and Cornelius Griffiths be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*James R. Brougham, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Stephen Thomas Griffiths and Cornelius Griffiths 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 December, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid, to James Rigg Brougham Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Freeman, late of No. 255, Portobello-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Butcher.

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

By the Court,

*Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Freeman is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to William Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Arthur James Brunning and Charles Abraham Brunning, of Great Yarmouth and Kirby Cane, in the county of Norfolk, Nurserymen, Florists, and Seed Merchants, trading as Isaac Brunning and Company.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Arthur James Brunning and Charles Abraham Brunning having been given, it is ordered that the said Arthur James Brunning and Charles Abraham Brunning be, and they are hereby, adjudged

bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*Edward W. Worledge, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Arthur James Brunning and Charles Abraham Brunning is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the Court, No. 26, King-street, Great Yarmouth, on the 18th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat statements of their joint and separate 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 Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frederick Day Latham, of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, late Coal Merchant, but now out of business.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Frederick Day Latham having been given, it is ordered that the said Frederick Day Latham be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*Richd. Cooke, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frederick Day Latham is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Luton, on the 18th day of December, 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 Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Worrall and Ralph Worrall, both of Congleton, in the county of Chester, Silk Throwsters, carrying on business under the style or firm of T. and R. Worrall.

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 Thomas Worrall and Ralph Worrall having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas Worrall and Ralph Worrall be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*Willm. Mair, Deputy-Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Worrall and Ralph Worrall is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Russel, of Zealand-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Builder.

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

By the Court,

*Thos. Bellringer, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Russel is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in

their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Edward Hulme, of 12, Brownlow-hill, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Licensed Victualler.

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

By the Court,

*Thos. Belbringer*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Edward Hulme is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 19th day of December, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Lowery, late of No. 78, Palmerston-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Grocer and Beerseller, but now of Richmond-road, Aylestone Park, in the said county of Leicester, 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 William Lowery having been given, it is ordered that the said William Lowery be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*Thos. Ingram*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Lowery is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Friar-lane, Leicester, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Joseph Clark, of Sweet-street, Holbeck, in the borough of Leeds, in the county of York, Grocer.

Before the Registrar acting as Judge.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Joseph Clark having been given, it is ordered that the said Joseph Clark be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*Thos. Marshall*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Joseph Clark is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 9th day of January, 1878, 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 Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Gudgeon, of Baildon, in the parish of Otley, in the county of York, Cabinet Maker.

Before the Registrar acting as Judge.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have

been committed by the said William Gudgeon having been given, it is ordered that the said William Gudgeon be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of December, 1877.

By the Court,

*Thos. Marshall*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Gudgeon is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 9th day of January, 1878, 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 London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Harry Stovold, of No. 98, Princes-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Butcher, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Masey, of 5, Mount-terrace, Taunton, in the county of Somerset, Cattle Dealer, 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 11th day of December, 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 14th day of November, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Nigel Kennedy, commonly called Lord Nigel Kennedy, of Portico House, Richmond, in the county of Surrey, a Bankrupt.

Ernest Foreman, of No. 7, Gresham-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 County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth, on the 8th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of George William Baldry, otherwise Herbert Leslie, of No. 6, Dagmar-terrace, Nelson-road South, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, a Bankrupt.

John Etheridge, of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, 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 Toll-house Hall, Great Yarmouth, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of John Jacob Clark, of East Dereham, in the county of Norfolk, Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

Edwin Matthias Bullard, of the city of Norwich, 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 Shire-hall, Norwich Castle, on the 21st day of December, 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 14th day of November, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of Robert Ferguson Strong, of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Timber Merchant, a Bankrupt. Thomas Millican Watson, of Sunderland aforesaid, 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-

house, John-street, Sunderland, on the 17th day of January, 1878, 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 5th day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Thomas Garrett, of 108, Gooch-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Provision Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Robert Free, of No. 31, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham aforesaid, 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, Waterloo-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 14th day of December, 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 16th day of November, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington. In the Matter of William Barlow, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Auctioneer and Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

John Lea, of Commercial-chambers, in Warrington aforesaid, 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 this Court, on the 20th day of December, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of David Blacklock, of Corporation-road, Middlesborough, in the North Riding of the county of York, Draper, a Bankrupt.

Peter Kerr Chesney, of Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

A First and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Charles Bedell, of 43, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wine and Spirit Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of October, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1877.

*W. Crosbie, Trustee.*

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Carwell and Frederick Henry Torvill, of 1, English-street, Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, Manure Merchants, trading under the style or firm of the Cumbrian Manure Works Company, adjudicated bankrupts on the 16th day of October, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 14th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1877.

*Harmood W. Banner, Trustee.*

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

A Third and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Gomersall and James France Gomersall, both of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, trading under the style or firm of Gomersall Brothers, adjudicated bankrupts on the 6th day of October, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

*John Gordon, Trustee.*

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

A Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Henry Willis, of No. 10, New Briggate, Leeds, in the county of York, Silk Mercer and General Draper, adjudicated

bankrupt on the 23rd day of November, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

*John Gordon, Trustee.*

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Thomas Dean, of Leeds, in county of York, Cloth Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of August, 1871. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

*John Gordon, Trustee.*

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

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Benjamin Barber Bradnum, of Gorleston, in the county of Suffolk, Shopkeeper and Market Gardener, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of October, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

*Lovewell Blake, Trustee.*

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Powell, of No. 43, Cross-street, Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Painter, Glazier, and Paperhanger, on the 19th day of December, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of December, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

*Manley Ashwin, Trustee.*

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.**

**Notice of Dividend Meeting.**

A Meeting of the Creditors of the Bankrupt hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the County Court of Lancashire, holden at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, before one of the Registrars:

John Hopkins, of Seaforth, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of December, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 19th day of December next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignee will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupt. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Commission of Bankrupt, awarded and issued on the 19th day of March, 1811, against Thomas Parkin and Thomas Scobell, of Broad-street, in the city of London, Merchants and Copartners, will sit on the 15th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869, and the Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of bankruptcy, filed on the 17th day of February, 1869, in the then Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District at Manchester, against David Barker, of Hilton-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Skirt Manufacturer, did, on the 3rd day of December, 1877, allow the said bankrupt an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Mark Collins, of No. 28, Broad-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Hatter, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Pepys, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Hazlitt, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 1st day of November, 1877, reporting that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of affairs could not be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that it has not been brought to his knowledge that the bankrupt has, since the adjudication, acquired any property that could be so realized, and that, in his opinion, it is expedient that the bankruptcy should be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 7th day of November, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, and the Court being satisfied that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of affairs could not be realized by the said Registrar-Trustee for the benefit of the creditors, and that it has not been brought to his knowledge that the bankrupt has, since the adjudication, acquired any property that could be realized, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy should be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Mark Collins has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of November, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Mary Josephine Skelton, of Mayfield-road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Widow, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 30th day of November, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of her creditors, but that no dividend has been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of her creditors, but that no dividend has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Mary Josephine Skelton has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Anthony Scott, of Ingersley Mills, Bollington, in the county of Chester, trading under the style or firm of A. Scott and Co., as a Dyer and Yarn Polisher, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, and that of the Committee of Inspection, dated the 4th day of December, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of five shillings in the pound has been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of five shillings in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Anthony Scott has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Ellis Grundy, of Lark-hill, Farnworth, in the county of Lancaster, Brickmaker, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 27th day of November, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of one penny in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement annexed to the Trustees' report, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of one penny in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement annexed to the Trustees' report, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Ellis Grundy has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of December, 1877.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of Luke Wright the younger, Grocer and Provision Dealer, of Ilkeston, in the county of Derby, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading the report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 9th day of October, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as in his opinion (there being no Committee of Inspection), can be realized for the benefit of the creditors, without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has been realized, and that the same amounts to the total sum of £40 11s. 3d., which sum is insufficient to meet the necessary expenses of the bank-

ruptcy, and for that reason no dividend has been declared, and the Court being satisfied that so much of the property of the bankrupt as (there being no Committee of Inspection), can be realized for the benefit of the creditors without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has been realized, and that the same amount to the total sum of £40 11s. 3d., which sum is insufficient to meet the necessary expenses of the bankruptcy, and for that reason no dividend has been declared, doth order and declares that the bankruptcy of the said Luke Wright the younger, has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of December, 1877.

**T**HE estates of Gardner and Muir, Builders, Paisley-road, Glasgow, and Dougald Gardner and Robert Muir, both Builders there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, and as Trustees for behoof of their said Company or copartnership concern and Partners thereof, were sequestrated on the 4th day of December, 1877, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Tuesday, the 18th day of December, 1877, within the Faculty-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 3rd day of April, 1878.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

BURNS, AIKEN, and CO., Writers, Glasgow, Agents.

**T**HE estates of John Shanks, Hotel Keeper, Railway Hotel, Denny, were sequestrated on the 4th day of December, 1877, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 4th December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, 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 the 4th day of April, 1878.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire, at Glasgow; and a Warrant of Protection granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

GEO. ANDREW, S.S.C., Agent,  
3, Hope-street, Edinburgh.

**T**HE estates of John Sommerville, Builder, Bardowie-street; Possilpark, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 4th day of December, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 4th December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow, on Tuesday, the 18th day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock, forenoon.

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 4th April, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt until the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WILLIAM KIDD-SMITH,  
128, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Agent.

**T**HE estates of John McMeekin, Iron and Metal Merchant, in Coatbridge, were sequestrated on the 4th day of December, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 14th day of December, 1877, within the Coatbridge Inn (Clarke's), Coatbridge.

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 4th day of June, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN M. ALSTON, Writer, Coatbridge, Agent.

**T**HE estates of James Ross, Millmaster, Saughton Mill, Murrayfield, near Edinburgh, and also sometime at Bellmills, at present a Prisoner in the Prison of Edin-

burgh, were sequestrated, on the 4th day of December, 1877, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of December, 1877.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, 1877, within Smith and Dewar's Rooms, No. 79, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 4th day of April, 1878.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

CURROR and COWPER, S.S.C, Agents,  
India-buildings, Edinburgh.

4th December, 1877.

**T**HE estates of D. D. Thomson and Company, Merchants, in Leith, and Daniel Durrand Thomson and Gordon Thomson, Partners of that Company, as such, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 4th December, 1877, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Wednesday, the 12th day of December, 1877, within the Old Ship Hotel, Leith.

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 4th April, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupts.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be inserted in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

D. D. THOMSON and CO,  
DANIEL DURRAND THOMSON,  
GORDON THOMSON, Petitioners.

**T**HE estates of Robert Gray Wilkinson, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, No. 29, Jamaica-street, Glasgow, sole Partner of and carrying on business under the firm or

style of R. Wilkinson and Company, as Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, at No. 29, Jamaica-street, Glasgow aforesaid, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on 3rd December, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 3rd December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 13th day of December, 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 the 3rd day of April, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt has been granted to the bankrupt.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

RICHD. McCULLOCH, Writer,  
4, North-court, Royal Exchange, Glasgow, Agent.

**T**HE estates of William Aitken, Grocer and Wine Merchant, Cambuslang, carrying on business there under the firm of Aitken and Company, of which Firm he is sole Partner, and also as a Partner of the dissolved firm of Aitken and Company, Grocers and Wine Merchants, Cambuslang, were sequestrated on 3rd December, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 3rd day of December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, 1877, within the County Hotel, Hamilton (Waddell's).

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 3rd April, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WM. POLLOCK, Solicitor, Hamilton, Agent.

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