

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Stirling.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1867 and 1877; and in the Matter of the Consolidated Telephone Construction and Maintenance Company Limited and Reduced.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition has been presented to the Court of Chancery for confirming a resolution of the Company, being in the words and figures following:—
 “That the capital of the Company be reduced from £307,545, divided into 75,000 preference shares of £1 each, 75,150 ordinary shares of £1 each, and 224,850 ordinary shares of 14s. each, to £234,938, divided into 47,363 preference shares of £1 each, and 75,150 ordinary shares of £1 each, and 224,850 ordinary shares of 10s. each, and that such reduction be effected by returning the amount of £1 per share credited as paid upon each of the 27,637 issued preference shares of the Company to the holders thereof, and thereupon cancelling such shares, and by returning 2s. per share to each of the holders of the 224,850 issued ordinary shares of the Company, and by writing off each of the said 224,850 ordinary shares the sum of 2s. per share as being capital unrepresented by available assets.” A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 7th day of June, 1893, may be inspected at the offices of the Company, at 109, Farringdon-road, London, E.C., or at the offices of Messrs. Linklater and Co., 2, Bond-court, Walbrook, London, E.C., at any time during the usual business hours, on payment of a charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the lastmentioned day and still to be a creditor of the Company, and who is not entered on the said list and claims to be so entered must, on or before the 29th day of June, 1893, send in his name and address, and the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any), to the undersigned, Messrs. Linklater, Hackwood, Addison, and Brown, at 2, Bond-court, Walbrook, London aforesaid, or in

default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 15th day of June, 1893.

LINKLATER, HACKWOOD, ADDISON, and BROWN, 2, Bond-court, Walbrook, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice North.

In the Matter of Adie and Lovekin Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £55,000 to £6,000, was, on the 2nd day of June, 1893, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, and is now pending; and that the list of creditors of the Company is to be made out as for the 17th day of July, 1893.—Dated 13th June, 1893.

STIBBARD, GIBSON, and Co., 21, Leadenhall-street, E.C.; Agents for ROWLANDS and Co., Birmingham, Solicitors for the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Chitty.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1867 and 1877, and in the Matter of the Bilbao River and Cantabrian Railway Company Limited and Reduced.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of April, 1893, for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the abovenamed Company from £360,000 to £300,000, is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice North (sitting for Mr. Justice Chitty), on Saturday, the 24th day of June, 1893.—Dated this 15th day of June, 1893.

TARRY and SHERLOCK, 17, Serjeants'-inn, Fleet-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACTS, 1878 TO 1892.

RETURN of the Number of Cattle Slaughtered in Great Britain by order of the Board of Agriculture under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) (Pleuro-Pneumonia) Act, 1890, during the Week ended June 10th, 1893.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as diseased, including those which were found after Slaughter to be diseased.	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as having been in contact with Cattle affected or as having been otherwise exposed to infection.	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as suspected, but found free from Pleuro-Pneumonia.
ENGLAND.			
COUNTY.*			
Middlesex (ex. London)	34	...
Surrey (ex. London)	1
SCOTLAND.			
COUNTY.*			
Forfar	1
TOTAL	34	2

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