or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and i must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 25th day of October 1898.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Wright.

No. 00289 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Birmingham Manufacturing Company Limited.

OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 7th day of September 1898 presented to the said Court by Arthur Major Lermit of 55 Beaufort-road Birmingham in the county of Warwick Leather Goods Manufacturer a creditor of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vacation Judge sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand Loudon on Wednesday the 28th day of September 1898 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may 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 charges for the same.

ALEX. S. C. DOYLE of and whose address for service is 1 New-inn Strand in the county of London Agent for

C. F. BROWN TAYLOR and COY. of Birmingham aforesaid Solicitors for the said Petitioner Arthur Major Lermit.

Nore.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the abovenamed notice of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the abovenamed not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 27th day of September 1898.

The Companies Acts 1862 to 1898.

Company limited by Shares. Special Resolution (pursuant to the Companies Act 1862 sections 50 51 and 129) of the Associated Underwriters Limited.

Passed 10th August 1898.

Confirmed 8th September 1898.

A T an Extraordinary Ĝeneral Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at 5 Philpot-lane in the city of London on the 10th day of August 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 8th day of September 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :--

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Arthur Edwin Woodington of No. 5 Philpot-lane in the city of London Incorporated Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 14th day of September 1898.

A. E. WOODINGTON Director of the Company.

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AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 14th day of September, 1898.

			Issue DE	PARTMENT.			
			£			1	£
Notes issued	 •••	•••	49,278,950		•••	: 600	11,015,100
				Other Securities			5,784,900
				Gold Coin and Bullion			32,478,950
				Silver Bullion			
			£ 19,27 8,950			:	£ 19,278,950
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Dated the 15th day of September, 1898.

J. G. Mairne, Deputy Chiof Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£			i	£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	•••		13,413,593
Rest	3,758,743	Other Securities	•••	i	29,589,405
Public Deposits (including Ex-		Notes ····		•••	21,849,770
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-		Gold and Silver Coin	***		2,171,858
missioners of National Debt, and				·	•
Dividend Accounts)	8,349,941				
Other Deposits	40,246,040				
Seven Day and other Bills	116,902				•
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	£67,024,626				£67,024,626

Dated the 15th day of September, 1898.

J. G. Nairne, Deputy Chief Cashier.