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Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 2, 1899.

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Friday next, the 3rd instant, for Her late Royal Highness The Princess of Bulgaria, First Cousin once removed of Her Majesty The Queen, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Friday, the 10th instant, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Monday, the 13th instant, the Court to go out of Mourning.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
January 17, 1899.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Drawing Rooms will be held at Buckingham Palace, on Friday, the 24th February, and on Friday, the 3rd March next, at three o'clock.

N.B.—The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars on the 24th February, it being a Collar Day.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED.

By Her Majesty's Command,

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

PRESENTATIONS.

The privilege of making presentations to The Queen at a Drawing Room is restricted to those Ladies who have themselves been previously presented to Her Majesty, and who are themselves present at the Drawing Room.

Under such circumstances a Lady has the privilege of presenting one Lady only at a Drawing Room in addition to her Daughters or Daughters-in-law.

This restriction does not apply to Ladies who, from official position or other circumstances, are specially privileged to make presentations to Her Majesty.

The Lady who proposes to present another must send in writing the name of such Lady to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Drawing Room, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the name to Her Majesty, when, if it be approved, presentation cards will be forwarded.

Printed Forms for this purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Ladies to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the presentation cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Drawing Room, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The number of Presentations at each Drawing Room is limited to 200.

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

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

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

HOPETOUN,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
January 20, 1899.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 27th February next, at two o'clock.

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

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY.

By Her Majesty's Command,

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

PRESENTATIONS.

Gentlemen who propose to present others must send in writing the name of such Gentlemen to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than two

days previous to the Levee, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the names to Her Majesty, when, if they are approved, Presentation Cards will be forwarded. Forms for the purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

Gentlemen who wish to be presented officially should communicate with the heads of their Department, who will provide them with the necessary cards and instructions.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Gentlemen to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the Presentation Cards delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Levee, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

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

HOPETOUN,

Lord Chamberlain.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.
Lord Privy Seal.

Duke of Marlborough.
Earl of Kintore.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1895, it was amongst other things enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient.

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, between Her Majesty and the Queen of the Netherlands for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

“HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, and Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands, having mutually resolved to conclude a new Treaty for the extradition of criminals, the said High Contracting Parties have named as Their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose, that is to say:

“Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, the Most Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot Gascoyne Cecil, Marquess of Salisbury, Earl of Salisbury, Viscount Cranborne, Baron Cecil, Peer of the United Kingdom, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, &c., &c.;

“And Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands, Alexander William Baron Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Chargé d'Affaires, *ad interim*, of the Netherlands in London, Knight of the Order of Orange Nassau, &c., &c.;

“Who, having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles:—

“ARTICLE I.

“The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime or offence committed in the territory of the one Party, shall

“HARE Majesteit de Koningin van het Vereenigd Koninkrijk van Groot-Britannië en Ierland, Keizerin Van Indie, en Hare Majesteit de Koningin der Nederlanden, in gemeenschappelijk overleg overeengekomen zijnde een nieuw verdrag te sluiten betreffende de uitlevering van misdadigers, hebben gezegde Hooge Contracteerende Partijen te dien einde tot Hoogstderzelver Gevolmachtigden benoemd te weten:

“Hare Majesteit de Koningin van het Vereenigd Koninkrijk van Groot-Britannië en Ierland, Keizerin van Indië, den Heer Robert Arthur Talbot Gascoyne Cecil, Markies van Salisbury, Graaf van Salisbury, Burggraaf Cranborne, Baron Cecil, Pair van het Vereenigd Koninkrijk, Ridder van de Orde van den Kouseband, Lid van Harer Majesteit's Geheimen Raad, Harer Majesteit's voornaamsten Secretaris van Staat voor Buitenslandsche Zaken, enz.;

“En Hare Majesteit de Koningin der Nederlanden, Alexander Willem Baron Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Tydelyk Zaakgelastigde der Nederlanden te London, Ridder der Orde van Oranje Nassau, enz., enz.;

“Die, na elkander hunne respectieve volmachten te hebben medegedeeld, welke in goeden en behoorlijken vorm zijn bevonden, omtrent de volgende Artikelen zijn overeengekomen en deze hebben vastgesteld:—

“ARTIKEL I.

“De Hooge Contracteerende Partijen verbinden zich aan elkander uit te leveren alle personen, die beschuldigd van of veroordeeld wegens een misdrijf gepleegd op het grondgebied van de

be found within the territory of the other Party, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

“ARTICLE II.

“The crimes or offences for which the extradition is to be granted are the following :—

“1. Murder, including infanticide, or attempt, or conspiracy to murder, including such crimes when directed against the Sovereign, his heir, or any other person whomsoever, provided that the crime is not of a political character.

“2. Manslaughter, including the manslaughter of a child.

“3. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm.

“4. Maliciously wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.

“5. Counterfeiting or altering money, or uttering counterfeit or altered money.

“6. Forgery, counterfeiting or altering, or uttering what is forged, counterfeited or altered.

“7. Embezzlement; fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director or member or public officer of any Company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force; or larceny.

“8. Malicious injury to property if the offence be indictable.

“9. Obtaining money, goods, or valuable securities by false pretences.

“10. Crimes against bankruptcy law.

“11. Perjury, or subornation of perjury.

“12. Rape.

“13. Carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have carnal knowledge, of a girl under 16 years of age.

“14. Indecent assault.

“15. Administering drugs, or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of a woman.

“16. Abduction.

“17. Child stealing.

“18. Kidnapping of minors and their false imprisonment.

“19. Burglary or house-breaking.

“20. Arson.

“21. Robbery with violence.

“22. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of a railway train.

“23. Threats by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort.

“24. Piracy by law of nations.

“25. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting to do so.

“26. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas, with intent to destroy life, or do grievous bodily harm.

“27. Revolt by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas, against the authority of the master.

“28. Dealing in slaves in such a manner as to constitute a criminal offence against the laws of both States.

“Extradition is also to be granted for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be an extradition crime by the laws of the State applied to.

“In the foregoing cases extradition shall take place only when the crime, if committed within

cene Partij; gevonden worden op het grondgebied van de andere Partij, onder de omstandigheden en voorwaarden in het tegenwoordig verdrag vermeld.

“ARTIKEL II.

“De misdrijven, ter zake waarvan de uitlevering zal worden toegestaan zijn de volgende :—

“1. Moord, daaronder begrepen kindermoord, of poging of samenspanning tot moord, daaronder begrepen zoodanige misdrijven gericht tegen den Souverein, tegen diens erfgenaam, of tegen ieder ander persoon wien ook, mits het misdrijf geen staatkundig karakter draagt.

“2. Doodslag, daaronder begrepen kinderdoodslag.

“3. Mishandeling zwaar lichamelijk letsel ten gevolge heb bende.

“4. Verwonding met voorbedachten rade of het toebrengen van zwaar lichamelijk letsel.

“5. Het namaken of vervalschen van muntspeciën en muntpapier of het in omloop brengen van valsche of vervalschte muntspeciën of muntpapier.

“6. Valschheid in geschriften, of het gebruik maken van de valsche of vervalschte geschriften.

“7. Verduistering of diefstal.

“8. Opzettelijke en ernstige beschadiging van goederen.

“9. Oplichting.

“10. Bedriegelijke bankbreuk.

“11. Meineed of het uitlokken van meineed.

“12. Verkrachting.

“13. Het hebben van vleeschelijke gemeenschap met een meisje beneden den leeftijd van 16 jaar, of poging daartoe.

“14. Aanslag tegen de zeden.

“15. Het toedienen van middelen of het gebruiken van instrumenten met het doel de afdrijving der vrucht van eene vrouw te veroorzaken.

“16. Schaking.

“17. Wegvoering van kinderen.

“18. Oplichting van minderjarigen en huone wederrechtelijke vrijheidsberoving.

“19. Inbraak.

“20. Opzettelijke brandstichting.

“21. Diefstal met geweld.

“22. Het opzettelijk doen ontstaan van gevaar voor een spoortrein.

“23. Bedreiging bij geschrifte onder eene bepaalde voorwaardē (Artikel 285 tweede lid Nederlandsch Wetboek van Strafrecht).

“24. Zeeroof.

“25. Het doen zinken of vernielen van een vaartuig op zee, of poging daartoe.

“26. Mishandelingen, met het oogmerk om te doden of zwaar lichamelijk letsel toe te brengen, gepleegd aan boord van een vaartuig in volle zee.

“27. Verzet van twee of meer personen tegen het gezag van den schipper, gepleegd aan boord van een vaartuig in volle zee.

“28. Het drijven van slavenhandel mits opleverende een strafbaar feit volgens de wetten der beide Staten.

“Uitlevering wordt ook toegestaan wegens medeplichtigheid aan een der bovengenoemde misdrijven, wanneer voor die medeplichtigheid kan worden uitgeleverd volgens de wetten van den Staat, aan welken de uitlevering wordt aangevraagd.

“In de bovengenoemde gevallen zal de uitlevering alleen plaats hebben, wanneer het misdrijf,

the jurisdiction of the country on which the claim for surrender is made, would constitute an extradition crime by the laws of that country.

"Extradition may also be granted, at the discretion of the State applied to, in respect of any other crime for which, according to the laws of both the Contracting Parties for the time being in force, the grant can be made.

"ARTICLE III.

"Either Government may, in its absolute discretion, refuse to surrender its own subjects to the other Government.

"ARTICLE IV.

"The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the British Government, or the person claimed on the part of the Netherland Government, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is actually upon his trial, within the territory of the other of the two High Contracting Parties, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

"If the person claimed on the part of the British Government, or if the person claimed on the part of the Netherland Government, should be under examination, or is undergoing sentence under a conviction, for any other crime within the territories of the two High Contracting Parties respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until after he has been discharged, whether by acquittal or on expiration of his sentence, or otherwise.

"ARTICLE V.

"The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution, or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

"ARTICLE VI.

"A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

"ARTICLE VII.

"A person surrendered may in no case be kept in prison, or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made, for any other crime or on account of any other matters than those for which the extradition shall have taken place, until he has been restored or had an opportunity during one month of returning to the State by which he has been surrendered.

"This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

"ARTICLE VIII.

"The requisition for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

"The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of

indien het ware gepleegd binnen het rechtsgebied van het land, waaraan de aanvraag tot uitlevering is gedaan, volgens de wetten van dat land tot uitlevering aanleiding zou kunnen geven.

"Uitlevering zal ook kunnen worden toegestaan, naar het goedgevoelen van den Staat, aan welken de uitlevering wordt aangevraagd, ten opzichte van eenig ander misdrijf waarvoor, overeenkomstig de wetten der beide Contracteerende Partijen op dat tijdstip van kracht, de toestemming kan worden verleend.

"ARTIKEL III.

"Elke Regeering mag, geheel naar eigen goedgevoelen, weigeren zijne eigen onderdanen aan de andere Regeering uit te leveren.

"ARTIKEL IV.

"De uitlevering zal geen plaats hebben, indien de persoon door de Britsche Regeering opgeëischt, of de persoon door de Nederlandsche Regeering opgeëischt, ter zake van het misdrijf, waarvoor zijne uitlevering aangevraagd wordt, reeds heeft terecht gestaan, en vrijgesproken, van rechtsvervolging ontslagen of gestraft is, of eene strafvervolging tegen hem aanhangig is op het grondgebied van de andere Hooge Contracteerende Partij.

"Indien de persoon door de Britsche Regeering opgeëischt, of indien de persoon door de Nederlandsche Regeering opgeëischt, wegens een ander misdrijf, op het grondgebied van de andere Hooge Contracteerende Partij gepleegd, wordt vervolgd, of is veroordeeld, zal zijne uitlevering worden uitgesteld tot dat hij is ontslagen, hetzij ten gevolge van vrijspraak of ontslag van rechtsvervolging, hetzij hij zijne straf heeft ondergaan, hetzij op andere wijze.

"ARTIKEL V.

"De uitlevering zal geen plaats hebben indien, na het plegen van het misdrijf, of het instellen van eene strafrechterlijke vervolging, of de daarop gevolgde veroordeeling, de vervolging of de straf verjaard is, volgens de wetten van den Staat, aan welken de uitlevering wordt aangevraagd.

"ARTIKEL VI.

"Een voortvluchtig misdadiger zal niet uitgeleverd worden indien het strafbaar feit, ter zake waarvan zijne uitlevering wordt gevraagd, een staatkundig karakter draagt, of indien hij het bewijs levert, dat de aanvraag om zijne uitlevering opzettelijk is gedaan met de bedoeling om hem ter zake van een strafbaar feit van staatkundigen aard te vervolgen of te straffen.

"ARTIKEL VII.

"De persoon, wiens uitlevering heeft plaats gehad, mag in geen geval in hechtenis gehouden of vervolgd worden in den Staat aan welken de uitlevering heeft plaats gehad, ter zake van eenig ander misdrijf, of wegens eenig ander feit, dan dat waarvoor de uitlevering geschied is, alvorens hij is teruggekeerd of gedurende eene maand de gelegenheid heeft gehad terug te keeren naar den Staat door welken hij uitgeleverd is.

"Deze bepaling is niet toepasselijk op misdrijven na de uitlevering gepleegd.

"ARTIKEL VIII.

"De aanvraag tot uitlevering zal worden gedaan respectievelijk door de Diplomatieke Agenten der Hooge Contracteerende Partijen.

"De aanvraag tot uitlevering van een beschuldigde moet vergezeld zijn van een bevel van

arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

“ If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

“ A sentence passed in *contumaciam* is not to be deemed a conviction, but a person so sentenced may be dealt with as an accused person.

“ ARTICLE IX.

“ If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

“ ARTICLE X.

“ Pending the presentation of the demand for extradition through the Diplomatic channel, a fugitive criminal may be apprehended under a warrant issued by any Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or other competent authority in either country, on such information or complaint, and such evidence, or after such proceedings as would, in the opinion of the authority issuing the warrant, justify the issue of a warrant if the crime had been committed or the person convicted in that part of the dominions of the two Contracting Parties in which the Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or other competent authority exercises jurisdiction; provided, however, that in the United Kingdom the accused shall, in such case, be sent as speedily as possible before a Magistrate. He shall, in accordance with this Article, be discharged, as well in the Netherlands as in the United Kingdom, if within the term of twenty days a requisition for extradition shall not have been made by the Diplomatic Agent of the demanding country in accordance with the stipulations of this Treaty. The same rule shall apply to the cases of persons accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences specified in this Treaty, and committed on the high seas on board any vessel of either country which may come into a port of the other.

“ ARTICLE XI.

“ If the fugitive have been arrested in the British dominions he shall forthwith be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him, and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the British dominions.

“ In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the British dominions shall admit as valid evidence depositions or statements on oath or the affirmations of witnesses taken in the Netherlands, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, and certificates of, or judicial documents stating the fact of, a conviction, provided the same are authenticated as follows:—

gevangenneming, afgegeven door de bevoegde overheid van den Staat, welke de uitlevering aanvraagt, en van zoodanige stukken als welke, overeenkomstig de wetten der plaats, waar de beschuldigde gevonden is, zijne aanhouding zouden wettigen, indien het misdrijf aldaar gepleegd ware.

“ Indien de aanvraag eenen veroordeelde betreft, moet zij vergezeld zijn van het veroordeelend vonnis of arrest, ten laste van den veroordeelde gewezen door den bevoegden rechter van den Staat welke de uitlevering aanvraagt.

“ Een vonnis bij verstek wordt niet geacht te zijn eene veroordeeling, maar een persoon, tegen wien zoodanig vonnis is gewezen, mag worden beschouwd als een beschuldigde.

“ ARTIKEL IX.

“ Wanneer de aanvraag tot uitlevering overeenkomstig de voorgaande bepalingen is geschied, zal de bevoegde macht in den Staat, aan welken de aanvraag gedaan is, de noodige maatregelen nemen tot inhechtenisstelling van den voortvluchtige.

“ ARTIKEL X.

“ In afwachting van de aanvraag om uitlevering langs Diplomatieken weg, kan de voortvluchtige in hechtenis worden genomen krachtens een bevel afgegeven door een ‘Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace,’ of andere bevoegde overheid in elk der beide landen, op zoodanige aangifte of klacht en zoodanige bewijsstukken, of na zoodanig onderzoek als, naar het oordeel van de autoriteit, die het bevel verleent, termen tot het verlenen daarvan zou opleveren, indien het misdrijf gepleegd of de persoon veroordeeld ware binnen het ressort van het gebied der twee Contracteerende Partijen, waarover de ‘Magistrate,’ ‘Justice of the Peace,’ of andere bevoegde autoriteit rechtsmacht uitoefent; met dien verstande evenwel dat, in het Vereenigd Koninkrijk de beschuldigde in dat geval zoo spoedig mogelijk voor een ‘Magistrate’ zal worden gebracht. Hij zal, overeenkomstig dit Artikel, ontslagen worden, zoowel in Nederland als in het Vereenigd Koninkrijk, indien binnen twintig dagen geene aanvraag tot uitlevering door den Diplomatieken vertegenwoordiger van het land dat de uitlevering aanvraagt is gedaan overeenkomstig de bepalingen van dit verdrag. Dezelfde regel zal worden toegepast in de gevallen dat personen zijn beschuldigd of veroordeeld ter zake van een der misdrijven in dit verdrag vermeld, en gepleegd in volle zee aan boord van een vaartuig van een der beide landen, hetwelk mocht komen in eene haven van het andere land.

“ ARTIKEL XI.

“ Wanneer de voortvluchtige op Britsch grondgebied is aangehouden zal hij oogenblikkelijk worden gebracht voor een bevoegd ‘Magistrate’ die hem verhoort en de zaak voorloopig onderzoekt, evenals of de aanhouding had plaats gehad ter zake van een misdrijf gepleegd op Britsch grondgebied.

“ Bij het onderzoek hetwelk de Britsch autoriteiten overeenkomstig de voorgaande bepalingen moeten instellen, zullen zij als wettige bewijsstukken aannemen beeedigde klachten of opgaven of getuigeverklaringen in Nederland afgelegd of gedaan, of afschriften daarvan, en eveneens de bevelschriften en vonnissen aldaar ter zake uitgevaardigd of gewezen, en stukken of gerechtelijke akten, waaruit blijkt van de veroordeeling, mits dezelve zijn gewaarmerkt als volgt:—

"1. A warrant must purport to be signed by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the Netherlands.

"2. Depositions or affirmations, or the copies thereof, must purport to be certified under the hand of a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the Netherlands, to be the original depositions or affirmations, or to be the true copies thereof, as the case may require.

"3. A certificate of, or judicial document stating the fact of, a conviction must purport to be certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the Netherlands.

"4. In every case such warrant, deposition, affirmation, copy, certificate, or judicial document must be authenticated either by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of State of the Netherlands; but any other mode of authentication for the time being permitted by the law in that part of the British dominions where the examination is taken may be substituted for the foregoing.

"ARTICLE XII.

"If the fugitive have been arrested in the dominions of the Netherlands the officer of justice shall prefer a requisition within three days after the arrest, or, if the arrest have not taken place, or if it have taken place prior to the application for extradition, then within three days after the receipt of authority for that purpose from the Netherland Government in order that the person claimed may be interrogated by the Court, and that it may express its opinion as to the grant or refusal of extradition.

"Within fourteen days after the interrogatory the Court shall forward its opinion and its decision, with the papers in the case to the Minister of Justice.

"The extradition shall only be granted on the production, either in original or in authenticated copy:—

"1. Of a conviction; or,

"2.—(a.) Of a warrant of arrest (which, by the law of the British dominions, is the only document which is granted when it is adjudged upon evidence taken on oath that the accused ought to be taken into custody), issued in the form prescribed by British law, and indicating the offence in question sufficiently to enable the Netherland Government to decide whether it constitutes, in contemplation of Netherland law, a case provided for by the present Treaty; and,

"(b.) Of the evidence.

"In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the Netherland dominions shall admit as valid evidence depositions or statements on oath, or the affirmations of witnesses taken in the British dominions, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, and certificates of, or judicial documents stating the fact of, a conviction, provided the same are authenticated as follows:—

"1. A warrant must purport to be signed by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the British dominions.

"1. Een bevelschrift moet inhouden de verklaring van te zijn geteekend door een Nederlandsch rechter, Officier van Justitie of andere bevoegde autoriteit.

"2. Klachten of verklaringen, of de afschriften daarvan, moeten de verklaring inhouden van te zijn gewaarmerkt door een Nederlandsch rechter, Officier van Justitie of andere bevoegde autoriteit, als te zijn het origineel of in de gevallen waarin zulks noodzakelijk is, het eensluitend afschrift daarvan.

"3. Een stuk of gerechtelijke akte, constateerende de veroordeeling, moet de verklaring inhouden dat het is gewaarmerkt door een Nederlandschen Rechter, Officier van Justitie of andere bevoegde autoriteit.

"4. In ieder geval moet van zulk een bevelschrift, klacht, verklaring, afschrift, stuk of gerechtelijke akte de echtheid worden verzekerd, hetzij door een beëdigde getuigeverklaring, hetzij door het daaraan gehecht officieel zegel van den Minister van Justitie, of van een ander Hoofd van een Ministerieel Departement in Nederland; doch hiervoor kan in de plaats treden eenige andere wijze van waarmerking, welke op dat tijdstip geoorloofd is volgens de wet van dat gedeelte van het Britsche grondgebied, waar het onderzoek plaats heeft.

"ARTIKEL XII.

"Wanneer de voortvluchtige op Nederlandsch grondgebied is aangehouden requireert de Officier van Justitie binnen drie dagen na de aanhouding, of, zoo de aanhouding niet heeft plaats gehad of reeds vóór de aanvraag tot uitlevering is geschied, binnen drie dagen na daartoe te zijn aangeschreven door de Nederlandsche Regeering, dat de opgeëischte persoon door de rechtbank worde gehoord, en dat deze haar advies uitbrengt over het al of niet toestaan der uitlevering.

"Binnen veertien dagen na het verhoor zendt de rechtbank haar advies en hare beslissing, met de tot de zaak behoorende stukken, aan den Minister van Justitie.

"De uitlevering zal alleen worden toegestaan op vertoon van het origineel of van een gewaarmerkt afschrift—

"1. Van een veroordeelend vonnis of

"2.—(a.) Van een bevelschrift van gevangenneming (hetwelk volgens de wet van het Britsche Rijk het eenige stuk is dat wordt afgegeven wanneer op grond van onder eede afgelegde getuigeverklaringen bij rechterlijke uitspraak is beslist, dat de beschuldigde in bewaring behoort te worden gesteld), afgegeven in den vorm, door de Britsche wetgeving voorgeschreven, en waarbij het feit waarvan sprake is op zoodanige wijze is omschreven, dat de Nederlandsche Regeering in staat zij te beslissen of het, volgens de Nederlandsche wet, een der gevallen oplevert, in het tegenwoordige verdrag voorzien; en

"(b.) Van de bewijsstukken.

"Bij het onderzoek, hetwelk de Nederlandsche autoriteiten overeenkomstig de voorgaande bepalingen moeten instellen, zullen zij als wettige bewijsstukken aannemen, beëdigde klachten of opgaven, of getuigeverklaringen in het Britsche Rijk afgelegd of gedaan, of afschriften daarvan, en eveneens de bevelschriften en vonnissen aldaar ter zake uitgevaardigd of gewezen, en stukken of gerechtelijke akten, waaruit blijkt van de veroordeeling, mits dezelve zijn gewaarmerkt als volgt:—

"1. Een bevelschrift moet inhouden de verklaring van te zijn geteekend door een 'Judge,' 'Magistrate,' of 'Officer' van het Britsche Rijk.

"2. Depositions or affirmations, or the copies thereof, must purport to be certified under the hand of a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the British dominions, to be the original depositions or affirmations, or to be true copies thereof, as the case may require.

"3. A certificate of, or judicial document stating the fact of, a conviction, must purport to be certified by a Judge, Magistrate or officer of the British dominions.

"4. In every case such warrant, deposition, affirmation, copy certificate, or judicial document must be authenticated either by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of one of the Principal Secretaries of State, or some other Minister of State of the British dominions, but any other mode of authentication for the time being permitted by law in that part of the dominions of the Netherlands where the examination is taken may be substituted for the foregoing.

" ARTICLE XIII.

"The extradition shall not take place unless the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, if the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition, and that the crime of which he has been convicted is one in respect of which extradition could, at the time of such conviction, have been granted by the State applied to. The fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered until the expiration of fifteen days from the date of his being committed to prison to await his surrender.

" ARTICLE XIV.

"If the individual claimed by one of the two High Contracting Parties in pursuance of the present Treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers, on account of other crimes or offences committed upon their respective territories, his extradition shall be granted to that State whose demand is earliest in date.

" ARTICLE XV.

"All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered, at the time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place, and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

" ARTICLE XVI.

"The respective Governments mutually renounce all claim for the repayment of expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance and transport of the person to be surrendered, and all other expenses which may be incurred within the limits of their respective territories until the person to be surrendered is placed on board ship, together with the expenses of giving up and returning all seized articles and of sending, and returning the

"2. Klachten of verklaringen of de afschriften daarvan, moeten de verklaring inhouden van te zijn gewaarmerkt door een 'Judge,' 'Magistrate,' of 'Officer' van het Britsche Rijk, als te zijn het origineel, of in de gevallen waarin zulks noodzakelijk is, het eensluidend afschrift daarvan.

"3. Een stuk of gerechtelijke akte, constateerende de veroordeeling, moet de verklaring inhouden dat het is gewaarmerkt door een 'Judge,' 'Magistrate,' of 'Officer' van het Britsche Rijk.

"4. In ieder geval moet van zulk een bevelschrift, klacht, verklaring, afschrift, stuk, of gerechtelijke akte de echtheid worden verzekerd hetzij door een beëdigde getuigeverklaring, hetzij door het daaraan gehecht officieel zegel van een van de 'Principal Secretaries of State,' of eenig ander 'Minister of State' van het Britsche Rijk; doch hiervoor kan in de plaats treden eenig andere wijze van waarmerking, welke op dat tijdstip geoorloofd is volgens de wet van dat gedeelte van het Nederlandsch grondgebied, waar het onderzoek plaats heeft.

" ARTIKEL XIII.

"De uitlevering zal geen plaats vinden, tenzij er voldoende bewijs bestaat, volgens de wetten van den Staat, aan welken de uitlevering is aangevraagd, hetzij om eene verwijzing naar de openbare terechtzitting terechtaardigen, indien het misdrijf zou zijn gepleegd binnen het grondgebied van bedoelden Staat, hetzij om de zekerheid te verschaffen dat de aangehoudene dezelfde persoon is, die door de rechtbank van den Staat, welke de aanvraag doet, veroordeeld is, en dat het misdrijf, ter zake waarvan hij is veroordeeld, behoort tot de zoodanige waarvoor, op het tijdstip van die veroordeeling, uitlevering had kunnen worden toegestaan door den Staat, aan welken de uitlevering is aangevraagd. De voortvluchtige misdadiger zal niet worden uitgeleverd, alvorens de termijn van vijftien dagen is verstreken sedert den dag dat hij in afwachting van zijne uitlevering in bewaring is gesteld.

" ARTIKEL XIV.

"Wanneer de uitlevering van een persoon, krachtens het tegenwoordig verdrag door een der Hooge Contracteerende Partijen opgeëischt, eveneens door een of meer andere Staten wordt aangevraagd, op grond van andere misdrijven op hun respectievelijk grondgebied gepleegd, zal zijne uitlevering worden toegestaan aan dien Staat, welke het eerst de aanvraag daartoe heeft gedaan.

" ARTIKEL XV.

"Al de in beslag genomen goederen, welke zich op het oogenblik zijner aanhouding in het bezit van den uit te leveren persoon bevonden, zullen, indien de bevoegde overheid van den Staat, aan welken de uitlevering wordt aangevraagd, de overgave daarvan bevolen heeft, worden overgegeven op het oogenblik, waarop de uitlevering plaats heeft, en die overgave zal zich uitstrekken niet alleen tot de door misdrijf verkregen voorwerpen, maar tot alles wat tot bewijs van het misdrijf kan dienen.

" ARTIKEL XVI.

"De beide Regeeringen doen over en weer afstand van alle terugvordering van kosten, door haar gemaakt voor de aanhouding, gevangenhouding en het transport van den uit te leveren persoon, en van alle andere kosten, welke mochten worden gemaakt binnen de grenzen van haar respectievelijk grondgebied, totdat de uit te leveren persoon aan boord is gebracht, benevens van de kosten, veroorzaakt door het over en weer zenden

papers, containing proof of the crime, or other documents, and they reciprocally agree to bear all such expenses themselves.

"The above stipulations, however, shall not apply to extradition to and from Canada, as regards which Colony all the expenses shall be borne by the demanding State.

"The person to be extradited shall be sent to the port which the Diplomatic or Consular Agent of the demanding State shall indicate.

"ARTICLE XVII.

"If in any criminal matter pending in any Court or Tribunal of one of the two countries it is thought desirable to take the evidence of any witness in the other, such evidence may be taken by the judicial authorities in accordance with the laws in force on this subject in the country where the witness may be; and any expenses incurred in taking such evidence shall be defrayed by the country in which it is taken.

"ARTICLE XVIII.

"The stipulations of the present Treaty shall apply to the Colonies and foreign possessions of the two High Contracting Parties, but being based upon the legislation of the mother country, shall only be observed on either side so far as they may be compatible with the laws in force in those Colonies or possessions.

"The demand for the extradition of an offender who has taken refuge in a Colony or foreign possession of either Contracting Party may also be made directly to the Governor or principal functionary of that Colony or possession by the Governor or principal functionary of a Colony or possession of the other Contracting Party when the two Colonies or foreign possessions are situated in Asia, Australia (including New Zealand and Tasmania), the Pacific and Indian Oceans, or South or East Africa.

"The same rule shall be followed if the two Colonies or foreign possessions are situated in America (including the West India Islands).

"The said Governors or principal functionaries shall have the power either of granting the extradition or of referring the question to their Government.

"In all other cases, the demand for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic channel.

"The period of provisional arrest provided for in Article X shall for the purposes of this Article be extended to sixty days.

"ARTICLE XIX.

"From the day when the present Treaty shall come into force the Treaty of Extradition between the two countries of the 19th June, 1874, shall cease to have effect; but the present Treaty shall apply to all crimes within the Treaty, whether committed before or after the day when it comes into force.

"ARTICLE XX.

"The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged as soon as possible.

van al de in beslag genomen voorwerpen en van papieren, inhoudende het bewijs van het misdrijf, of van andere bescheiden. Zij stemmen er wederkeerig in toe al die kosten zelve te dragen.

"De bovenbedoelde bepalingen zijn echter niet van toepassing bij de uitlevering naar en uit Canada. Met betrekking tot deze Kolonie zullen alle kosten worden gedragen door den Staat, welke de uitlevering aanvraagt.

"De uit te leveren persoon zal worden gezonden naar de haven, welke de Diplomatieke of Consulaire Agent van den aanvragenden Staat aanwijst.

"ARTIKEL XVII.

"Wanneer het in een bij eenig hof of rechtbank van een der beide landen aanhangige strafzaak wenschelijk geoordeeld wordt een getuige in het andere land te hooren, zal zoodanig verhoor plaats hebben voor de rechterlijke overheid, overeenkomstig de wet, ten deze van kracht in het land, waar de getuige zich bevindt; en de kosten tengevolge van zoodanig verhoor gemaakt, zullen worden gedragen door het land waar dit heeft plaats gehad.

"ARTIKEL XVIII.

"De bepalingen van het tegenwoordige verdrag zullen van toepassing zijn op de Koloniën en overzeesche bezittingen der beide Hooge Contracteerende Partijen, doch, daar zij gegrond zijn op de wetgeving van het moederland, zullen zij van weerszijden slechts worden nagekomen voor zoover zij vereenigbaar zijn met de wetten in die Koloniën of bezittingen van kracht.

"De aanvraag tot uitlevering van een misdadiger die de wijk heeft genomen naar eene Kolonie of overzeesche bezitting van een der Contracteerende Partijen, kan ook rechtstreeks worden gedaan aan den Gouverneur of ander hoofd van die Kolonie of bezitting door den Gouverneur of ander hoofd van eene Kolonie of bezitting van de andere Contracteerende Partij, wanneer de twee Koloniën of overzeesche bezittingen zijn gelegen in Azië, Australië (daaronder begrepen Nieuw-Zeeland en Tasmania) den Stillen en den Indischen Oceaan, of Zuid of Oost Afrika.

"Dezelfde regel zal worden toegepast wanneer de beide Koloniën of overzeesche bezittingen zijn gelegen in Amerika (daaronder begrepen de West-Indische Eilanden).

"De bedoelde Gouverneurs of andere hoofden zullen de bevoegdheid hebben hetzij de uitlevering toe te staan, hetzij de zaak ter beslissing over te brengen aan hunne Regeering.

"In alle andere gevallen zal de aanvraag tot uitlevering langs Diplomatieken weg geschieden.

"De termijn voor voorloopige aanhouding, vastgesteld in Artikel X, zal, voor de toepassing van dit Artikel, worden gesteld op zestig dagen.

"ARTIKEL XIX.

"Te rekenen van den dag van inwerkingtreding van het tegenwoordig verdrag zal het verdrag van uitlevering tusschen de twee landen van 19 Juni, 1874, ophouden van kracht te zijn; het tegenwoordig verdrag zal echter toepasselijk zijn op alle misdrijven hierin vermeld, hetzij deze zijn gepleegd vóór, hetzij ná den dag waarop het in werking treedt.

"ARTIKEL XX.

"Het tegenwoordig verdrag zal worden bekrachtigd, en de akten van bekrachtiging er van zullen zoo spoedig mogelijk worden uitgewisseld.

"The Treaty shall come into force three months after the exchange of the ratifications. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties at any time on giving to the other six months' notice of its intention to do so.

"In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

"Done in duplicate at London, this 26th day of September, 1898.

"Het verdrag zal in werking treden drie maanden nadat de akten van bekrachting zullen zijn uitgewisseld. Het zal te allen tijde door elke der Hooge Contracteerende Partijen kunnen worden opgezegd door aan de andere zes maanden te voren daarvan kennis te geven.

"Ten blijke waarvan de wederzijdsche Gevolmachtigden het hebben ondertekend en van huu zegel voorzien.

"Gedaan in dubbel te Londen den 26 September, 1898.

"SALISBURY.

"SCHIMMELPENNINCK v. D. OYE."

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at London on the fourteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the fourteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the said Acts shall apply in the case of the Netherlands, and of the said Treaty with the Queen of the Netherlands.

Provided always, that the operation of the said Acts, shall be and remain suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as an Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and entitled "An Act respecting the extradition of Fugitive Criminals," shall continue in force there, and no longer.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Most Noble Charles Richard John, Duke of Marlborough, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Sir Charles Hall, K.C.M.G., M.P., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Colonel Edward James Sanderson, M.P., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day William Kenrick, Esquire, M.P., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Harry Ralph Mines, Esquire, Sub-Inspector of the First Class; George Arthur Turner, Esquire, M.A., late Scholar of Trinity College, Cambridge; Joseph Frank Leaf, Esquire, M.A., Fellow of Peterhouse, Cambridge; and Edward Champion Streatfeild, Esquire, B.A., late Scholar of Pembroke College, Cambridge, to be four of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Lord Privy Seal.

Duke of Marlborough.

Earl of Kintore.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date the twentieth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight and known as the Southern Rhodesia Order in Council 1898 provision was made for the administration of certain Territories of South Africa wherein Her Majesty has power and jurisdiction within the limits in the said Order in Council described and set forth.

And whereas by clause ninety-three of the said Order it was further provided that the said Order should be published in the Gazette and should thereupon commence and come into operation.

And whereas doubts have arisen as to the meaning of the term Gazette as used in clause ninety-three of the said Order and as to the day on which the said Order came into operation.

Now therefore Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act 1890, or otherwise in Her Majesty vested

is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

I. The said Order in Council of the twentieth of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight shall be deemed for all purposes to have commenced and come into operation on the twenty-fifth day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

II. This Order may be cited as the Southern Rhodesia Order in Council 1899.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by Treaty grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, Her Majesty the Queen has power and jurisdiction in China, Japan, and Corea.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," and otherwise in Her vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. Any act which, if done in the United Kingdom or in a British possession, would be an offence against any of the following Statutes of the Imperial Parliament or Orders in Council, that is to say—

"The Merchandise Marks Act, 1887."

"The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Acts, 1883 to 1888."

Any Act, Statute, or Order in Council for the time being in force relating to copyright or to inventions, designs, or trade-marks; or

Any Statute amending or substituted for any of the above-mentioned Statutes—

Shall, if done by a British subject in China, Japan, or Corea, be an offence against this Order, whether such act is done in relation to any property or right of a British subject, or of a foreigner or otherwise:

Provided—

(1.) That a copy of any such Statute or Order in Council shall be published in the public offices of the Consulates-General of Shanghai, Tôkiô, and Seoul respectively, and shall be there open for inspection by any person at all reasonable times; and a person shall not be punished under this Order for anything done before the expiration of one month after such publication, unless the person offending is proved to have had express notice of the Statute or Order;

(2.) That a prosecution by or on behalf of a prosecutor who is not a British subject shall not be entertained without the consent, in writing, of Her Majesty's Minister or Chargé d'Affaires, who may withhold such consent, unless he is satisfied that effectual provision exists for the punishment, in Consular or other Courts in China, Japan, or Corea (as the case may be), of similar acts committed by the subjects of the State or Power of which such prosecutor is a subject, in relation to or affecting the interests of British subjects.

2. An offence against this Order shall be punishable with imprisonment for any period not exceeding three months, or fine not exceeding £100, or both.

3. This Order may be cited as "The China, Japan, and Corea (Patents, &c.) Order in Council, 1899."

And the Most Honourable the Marquess of Salisbury, K.G., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS "The Patents Designs and Trade Marks Act 1883" amongst other things provides by section 39 that the exhibition of an invention at an industrial or international exhibition certified as such by the Board of Trade or the publication of any description of the invention during the period of the holding of the exhibition or the use of the invention for the purpose of the exhibition in the place where the exhibition is held or the use of the invention during the period of the holding of the exhibition by any person elsewhere without the privity or consent of the inventor shall not prejudice the right of the inventor or his legal personal representative to apply for and obtain provisional protection and a patent in respect of the invention or the validity of any patent granted on the application provided that both the following conditions are complied with, namely:—

- (a.) The exhibitor must before exhibiting the invention give the Comptroller the prescribed notice of his intention to do so; and
- (b.) The application for a patent must be made before or within six months from the date of the opening of the exhibition:

And whereas the said Act further provides by section 57 that the exhibition at an industrial or international exhibition certified as such by the Board of Trade or the exhibition elsewhere during the period of the holding of the exhibition without the privity or consent of the proprietor of a design or of any article to which a design is applied or the publication during the holding of any such exhibition of a description of a design shall not prevent the design from being registered or invalidate the registration thereof provided that both the following conditions are complied with, namely:—

- (a.) The exhibitor must before exhibiting the design or article or publishing a description of the design give the Comptroller the prescribed notice of his intention to do so; and
- (b.) The application for registration must be made before or within six months from the date of the opening of the exhibition:

And whereas Her Majesty, by virtue of the authority committed to Her by the provisions of "The Patents Act, 1886," is empowered by Order in Council from time to time to declare that the provisions of the said Act of 1883, above recited, shall apply to any exhibition mentioned in the Order in like manner as if it were an industrial or international exhibition certified by the Board of Trade, and to provide that the exhibitor shall be relieved from the conditions specified in the said hereinbefore recited sections of the said Act of 1883:

Now therefore, Her Majesty by and with the advice of Her Privy Council and by virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said Act of 1886, doth declare, and it is hereby declared that the provisions of the foregoing sections of the said Act of 1883 shall apply to the International Exhibition to be held at Paris in the year 1900, and further, that the exhibitor of an invention a design or any article to which a design is applied shall be relieved from the conditions specified in

the said hereinbefore recited sections of the said Act of 1883 of giving notice as therein required of his intention to exhibit such invention, design, or article to which a design is applied.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the twenty-second day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words following, viz. :—

“Whereas Your Majesty was graciously pleased by Your Order in Council of the twelfth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, to approve of expenditure incurred in any one year on account of special Greenwich Hospital pensions beyond the limit of £20,000 a year (extended by Your Majesty's Order in Council of the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, to £22,000 a year) being deducted from the amount provided for the year next ensuing.

“And whereas we deem it advisable, in order to avoid probable cases of hardship, that no deduction should be made from the amount provided for the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in respect of expenditure in excess of the before-mentioned limit of £22,000 incurred in the year ended the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

“We humbly recommend that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to sanction the removal of the restriction accordingly.”

And whereas the provisions of section one of “The Rules Publication Act, 1893,” have been complied with.

Her Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by “The County Court (Districts) Amendment Order in Council, 1898,” certain alterations were made in the districts of the County Courts of Glamorganshire held at Cardiff and Pontypridd :

And whereas the provisions hereinafter appearing are necessary as consequential thereon :—

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf by the County Courts Act, 1888 (51 and 52 Vict. c. 43), or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as “The County Court (Districts) Amendment Order in Council 1898 No. 3.”

2.—(a). The district of the County Court of Monmouthshire held at Newport comprises the parishes of Romney and Saint Mellons.

(b) The district of the County Court of Glamorganshire held at Merthyr Tydfil comprises the whole of the parish of Merthyr Tydfil.

3. This Order shall be read with the said County Court (Districts) Amendment Order in Council 1898 which shall have effect as if the provisions herein contained had formed part of that Order.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the 582nd and 583rd Sections of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is enacted that a Pilotage Authority may, by bye-law made under Part X. of that Act, do all or any of the things specified in Section 582 ; but that a bye-law so made shall not have any effect until it is submitted to Her Majesty in Council, and confirmed by Order in Council :

And whereas the Port Talbot Railway and Docks Company as the Pilotage Authority for the Harbour of Port Talbot have made and submitted for the consent of Her Majesty certain bye-laws, which proposed bye-laws are set forth in the Schedule hereto annexed :

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the proposed bye-laws are proper and reasonable :

And whereas the provisions of Section 1 of the the Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in Her by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council is pleased to confirm, and doth hereby confirm the bye-laws set forth in the Schedule hereto annexed.

A. W. FitzRoy.

SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Order refers.

Port Talbot Harbour.

Pilotage Rates, Bye-laws, and Regulations.

1. Pilots are licensed by the Port Talbot Railway and Docks Company under Section 136 of their Act of 1894, to conduct, navigate, and move vessels within the Harbour of Port Talbot.

2. No person shall be licensed to act as a pilot unless he shall have served a regular apprenticeship for five years to a pilot in the waters of the district, and have afterwards served at sea at least twelve months in square rigged vessels in the oversea trade and twelve months in steamers ; and no person shall be deemed eligible if less than twenty-three or more than forty-five years old, unless he be already licensed by some other Pilotage Authority having jurisdiction over the Bristol Channel as far as Lundy Island. In case the Board shall at any time be of opinion that an increased number of pilots is required in the said district, and there shall not be a sufficient number of duly qualified apprentices to supply the deficiency, the Board shall be at liberty to dispense with all or any part of the said apprenticeship or other requirements, and after examination to appoint any fit and proper person to act as a pilot without having served such term of apprenticeship or complied with such other requirements.

3. No person shall be licensed to act as a pilot unless, in addition to the requirements of Bye-law 2, he produce (a) satisfactory testimonials as to his character, (b) a recent Board of Trade Certificate as to colour blindness, and shall have

passed a creditable examination in the following subjects, viz. :—

- (1) He must be able to give the course and distance between any two places within the limits of the channel.
- (2) The rise, velocity, and set of tides.
- (3) The depth and character of the soundings.
- (4) The best anchorages, and where to stop for a tide.
- (5) The sandbanks, rocks, shoals, and other dangers.
- (6) The landmarks, buoys, lights—their different bearings and distance.
- (7) The appearance of different headlands.

(8) The management of a vessel; to bring her to anchor; to keep her clear of her anchor in a tideway; to moor, unmoor, and get under weigh; and to handle a vessel under any circumstances.

(9) He must also show a thorough acquaintance with the entrance channel to the harbour and docks of Port Talbot.

4. Subject to the provisions of the before-mentioned Act, every licensed pilot who may be employed to pilot any vessel within the limits of the harbour, shall be paid the following pilotage rates, according to the net registered tonnage of the vessel :—

PORT PILOTAGE.

Limits of Harbour to Dock and Vice Versâ.

Under 60 Tons.	60 Tons and under 100	100 Tons and under 150	150 Tons and under 200	200 Tons and under 250	250 Tons and under 300	300 Tons and under 400	400 Tons and under 500
<i>s. d.</i> 3 4	<i>s. d.</i> 5 0	<i>s. d.</i> 6 8	<i>s. d.</i> 8 4	<i>s. d.</i> 10 0	<i>s. d.</i> 11 8	<i>s. d.</i> 14 0	<i>s. d.</i> 16 8
500 Tons and under 600	600 Tons and under 800	800 Tons and under 1000	1000 Tons and under 1300	1300 Tons and under 1500	1500 Tons and under 1700	1700 Tons and under 1800	For every additional 100 Tons or part thereof.
<i>s. d.</i> 18 4	<i>£ s. d.</i> 1 0 0	<i>£ s. d.</i> 1 3 4	<i>£ s. d.</i> 1 13 4	<i>£ s. d.</i> 2 0 0	<i>£ s. d.</i> 2 6 8	<i>£ s. d.</i> 2 13 4	<i>s. d.</i> 5 0

5. Any pilot, who may be required to remain on board any ship or vessel for the convenience of the captain, master, owner, or agent shall be paid 10s. per day or part of a day he may be retained on board while at anchor; and any pilot who may be required to move any ship or vessel from one dock or tidal harbour to another dock or tidal harbour, or employed to pilot any ship or vessel for adjusting compasses, or other purposes occupying one tide or part of a tide, shall be paid for every ship :—

	<i>s. d.</i>
Not exceeding 100 tons register	5 0
100 " 300 "	10 0
300 " 500 "	12 6
500 " 800 "	17 6
800 and upwards	25 0

6. Every master, owner, or agent of any vessel employing a pilot shall, in addition to the foregoing charges, pay a clerk or collector's fee as follows :—

	<i>s. d.</i>
All vessels not exceeding 100 tons register	0 6
100 tons and " 300 "	1 0
300 " " 500 "	1 6
500 " " 800 "	2 0
800 " upwards	2 6

7. The pilots are permitted to collect their own pilotage rates, or they may be collected by a person who may be appointed for the purpose by the Board; and every pilot is required to make a monthly return to the Board of the pilotage earned by him, whether in piloting vessels to or from Port Talbot or elsewhere, the name and tonnage of the vessels piloted, where belonging, where from, and where bound, the cargo and the distance piloted; paying over at the same time to the persons appointed by the Board to receive it, a poundage of 6d. in the pound, for the creation of a fund under Sub-section 8 of Section 582 of The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, or such other sum of not more than 6d. in the pound as shall from time to time be fixed by the Board, on the amount earned. The pilot shall

also state in such return all cases where vessels bound to or from Port Talbot have been piloted over any and what portion of the district by a pilot not licensed by the Board. Any pilot failing to make a proper return, or making a false return shall be liable to a penalty of not exceeding £10, and to the loss of his license.

8. Any master or mate of a vessel who holds a certificate under the Board to enable him to pilot his vessel within any portion of the district under the jurisdiction of the Board, shall, for every time he may navigate his vessel within the waters of the district over which he is licensed, pay into the Port Talbot Pilotage Fund a sum not exceeding $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. of the amount of pilotage which the vessel of which he is in charge would have paid had the services of a licensed pilot been engaged; and every such master or mate shall, within a month of the thirtieth June and thirty-first December in each year, make a return to the Clerk of the Board of such services rendered by him during the previous six months (but such payment shall not entitle any such master or mate to a participation in any of the benefits of the said fund) under a penalty of not exceeding £5 for every breach thereof.

9. If a master of a ship navigating within this pilotage district knowingly employs or continues to employ an unqualified pilot after a qualified pilot has offered to take charge of the ship, or has made a signal for that purpose, he shall, for each offence, be liable to a fine of double the amount of pilotage which could be demanded for the conduct of the ship.

10. The master of every ship carrying passengers between any place in the British Isles and any other place so situate, shall, while navigating within the limits of this district, employ a qualified pilot, unless he or the mate of his ship holds a pilotage certificate for this district, and if he fails to do so, shall for each offence be liable to a fine not exceeding £100, but pilotage shall not be compulsory in any other case.

11. Each pilot shall provide himself with a good

and efficient cutter or pilot boat, which shall be approved and registered by the Board, he paying 2s. 6d. for such register. And such cutter or boat shall be kept in good repair, and be subject to periodical examinations by the Board; and there shall be one indentured apprentice to each pilot, articulated to serve his apprenticeship as a Port Talbot Pilot. Two but not more than three pilots may, by permission of the Board, sail in the same boat and act in conjunction.

12. Every candidate for apprenticeship, before he can be considered eligible for the pilot service, shall produce satisfactory testimonials as to character, a surgeon's certificate that he is of sound health, and a Board of Trade certificate as to colour blindness; he shall prove to the satisfaction of the Board that he is not less than fourteen, nor more than eighteen years of age, and that he is able to read and write correctly, and that he has a competent knowledge of arithmetic. Having complied with these requirements, he may, after a month's probation, if approved by the Board, be apprenticed to a pilot for five years.

13. The indenture of apprenticeship, which shall be in a form approved by the Board, shall be signed by the pilot and the apprentice, and then be registered at the Pilotage Office.

The Board shall have full power to enquire into the conduct of the pilots towards their apprentices, and vice versa, and to investigate all complaints made by pilots against their apprentices and also by apprentices against pilots, whether they be masters to such apprentices or not, and into the general conduct of apprentices. And the Board shall have full power to make such orders or inflict fines in reference thereto, and also to direct any apprenticeship indenture to be cancelled upon such terms and conditions as shall be determined.

14. The pilot to whom any apprentice is serving shall endorse on the back of every indenture a statement of time lost by the apprentice, and of pecuniary losses which have been incurred by the pilot by reason of the negligence or want of attention of the apprentice, and such statement shall be initialed by the pilot and the apprentice on the respective dates when such losses shall be charged against the apprentice.

15. At the completion of the five years' apprenticeship the pilot shall appear before the Board with the apprentice and his indenture, and the Board shall thereupon decide as to the amount of time and money (if any) to be made good by the apprentice before his indenture shall be surrendered to him, and such decision shall be finally binding on all parties. Whenever an apprentice shall for the first time appear before the Board or their Examining Committee for examination for a license to act as pilot, his indenture of apprenticeship and all necessary papers required by these bye-laws shall be submitted to the inspection of the Board.

16. A rota shall be prepared by the Clerk of the Board of the pilots and their cutters on turn for duty, so that there shall at all times, both day and night, be at least one cutter and its pilots under weigh and stationed within the port limits guarding the port. Any pilot who shall neglect to get and keep his cutter under weigh and on station duly guarding the port upon any day or night upon which it was his turn to keep guard, shall, for the first offence, pay a sum according to the judgment of the Board, not exceeding £10; and for the second or subsequent offence pay the sum of £10, or lose his license. Provided always that any pilot may, with the consent of the Clerk, provide by arrangement

some other duly-licensed cutter and pilot as a substitute.

17. Each pilot's cutter or boat shall have on her stern the name of her owner and the port to which she belongs painted in white letters at least one inch broad and three inches long, and on each bow the number of her license, and shall have the letters P.T. marked in black paint of not less than three feet six inches in length painted on her foresail or mainsail; and shall by day carry at her masthead a flag of not less than six feet by four feet in two colours—the upper horizontal half white and the lower part red; and at night each pilot's cutter or boat shall carry a white light only at the masthead, and shall exhibit a flare-up light or flare-up lights at short intervals which shall never exceed fifteen minutes. Every pilot shall immediately on boarding any vessel and taking charge thereof hoist a flag in some conspicuous place and keep the same flying during the time he so remains in charge: the flag to be the regular pilot flag, red and white with the colours horizontal. In case of default in any of the above requirements the pilot to be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20 for every breach thereof.

18. If any vessel, whilst in charge of a pilot, does or receives damage, he shall immediately report such damage done or received to the Clerk of the Board on the form adopted by the Board under a penalty not exceeding £10, and such report shall be read to the Board at their next meeting. The circumstances of the accident shall be investigated by the Board, if deemed necessary, and the Board may, if they see fit, require the license of the pilot to be given up to the Board, until the case has been disposed of.

19. Any captain, master, or agent of any ship or vessel bound to sea who may make application at the office of the Board for a pilot, shall give the ship's draught of water and registered tonnage, with such other information as may be required; and upon payment of the pilotage fees shall have a pilot named and appointed to take charge of his ship or vessel, preference in all cases to be given to the pilot who piloted her inwards. Such application to be made during office hours, and at least twelve hours before the pilot shall be wanted. Any pilot attending after being ordered and the captain declining to go to sea (except the weather be such as to prevent his going) shall receive the sum of 10s. for each attendance.

20. Any pilot who shall refuse or neglect to proceed to either of the pilot stations in the channel fixed by the Board when ordered to do so by the Clerk, unless prevented by illness or the loss of his boat, or who shall be guilty of drunkenness or of insolent or abusive language, or unwarrantable conduct towards any member of the Board or the Clerk or other officers of the Board, or the captain, master, owner, or agent of any ship or vessel for which he may be engaged shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £10 for the first offence, and for the second or any subsequent offence to the like penalty or the loss of his license.

21. Any pilot who may absent himself from duty, or go overland to take charge of any ship or vessel, or seek employment otherwise than in his own boat, without the written consent of the Clerk shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £10.

22. Should any owner or captain apply for a pilot to be sent for the purpose of bringing a vessel to Port Talbot, such application must be made to the Pilotage Office, and a pilot will be sent according to the rotation of the printed

pilotage list. Should the pilot first on turn be absent, then the pilot next on turn shall be sent. The absent pilot to lose his turn.

23. Each pilot shall strictly conform to the directions of the harbour or dockmaster, touching the mooring or unmooring, placing or removing of any ship or vessel which such pilot may have under his charge, so long as such vessel shall be within the limits of the authority of any such harbour or dockmaster.

24. For every original license which shall be granted there shall be paid to the Board the sum of £1 1s., and for every renewal thereof the sum of 10s. 6d. The licenses of the pilots shall be renewable annually, at the Board's first meeting in January.

25. Any pilot having charge of a vessel inward bound shall not be released from his duties or responsibilities until such vessel is securely moored in the dock or basin as directed by the dockmaster, but if in charge of a vessel bound to a port for which he is not licensed he shall be released from his duties and responsibilities when such vessel is anchored in the nearest roadstead to the port to which he is bound, and if outward bound, to the distance or stage for which he has been engaged. Any pilot violating this rule shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding £10 or the loss of his license, or such other punishment as the Board may think necessary.

26. Every pilot making any change in his residence shall forthwith, thereafter, give notice thereof, and of his new residence to the clerk of the Board, under a penalty of not exceeding 20s. for each offence.

27. Every pilot shall strictly obey and observe all quarantine instructions and regulations; and all other regulations of a like nature, applicable either to the district or the port, which may from time to time be issued by any competent authority, under a penalty of not exceeding £10 for each offence.

28. Each pilot shall keep in his possession his license, together with a printed copy of the Rates, Bye-laws, and Regulations, and shall produce the same to the captain, commander, owner, or agent of any ship or vessel when required so to do, under a penalty not exceeding £10.

29. All complaints of offences by pilots against the Acts of Parliament of the foregoing bye-laws, shall be made in writing, signed by the party aggrieved, and delivered to the Clerk of the Board, or left at his office, as soon as practicable after the commission of the offence; and the Clerk shall procure the attendance of all such persons as the Board may desire to examine.

30. Every pilot shall, when required by the Clerk of the Board (by writing delivered or offered to such pilot or left a reasonable time at his registered place of residence), attend the Board or any of their committees, or their Clerk, to answer any charge brought against him for any breach of these bye-laws, or in relation to any matter in connection with the Pilotage Service; and in default of such attendance every such pilot shall for the first offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding 40s., and for the second and every subsequent offence not exceeding £5.

31. If any pilot shall be guilty of a breach of any of the foregoing bye-laws for which breach no pecuniary penalty is hereinbefore provided, or shall be guilty of any misconduct in any matter relating to the Pilotage Service, for which misconduct no punishment is hereinbefore provided, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 for every such offence.

32. All pecuniary penalties incurred by the

breach of the foregoing bye-laws shall be applied to the Superannuation Fund.

33. Throughout these bye-laws the expression "the Board" shall mean the Board of Directors of the Port Talbot Railway and Docks Company, being the Pilotage Authority of the port and harbour appointed under Section 136 of the Port Talbot Railway and Docks Act, 1894, the word "Clerk" shall mean the Secretary for the time being of the said Board of Directors, and the word "vessel" shall include any ship, boat, or lighter and craft of every kind, and whether navigated by steam or otherwise.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the 33rd Section of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, the Tyne Pilotage Commissioners, being the Pilotage Authority for the River Tyne, made and submitted, for the consent of Her Majesty, certain bye-laws which were approved by an Order in Council dated the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two:

And whereas by the 582nd and 583rd Sections of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is enacted that a pilotage authority may, by bye-law made under Part X of that Act, do all or any of the things specified in Section 582, but that a bye-law so made shall not take effect until it is submitted to Her Majesty in Council, and confirmed by Order in Council:

And whereas the said Pilotage Commissioners have made and submitted for the consent of Her Majesty certain new bye-laws in substitution for the bye-laws approved by the said Order in Council of the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, which said new bye-laws are set forth in the Schedule hereto annexed:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the proposed new bye-laws are proper and reasonable:

And whereas the provisions of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in her by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, is pleased, by and with the advice of her Privy Council, to confirm, and doth hereby confirm, the bye-laws set forth in the Schedule hereto annexed in substitution, from and after the date of this Order, for the bye-laws approved by the Order in Council of the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

A. W. FitzRoy.

SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Order refers.

BYE-LAWS made by the Tyne Pilotage Commissioners for the Regulation and Government of the Pilots of the Tyne, and for other purposes, pursuant to the powers vested in the said Commissioners under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and the Tyne Pilotage Order Confirmation Act, 1865.

1. From and after the coming in force of these bye-laws, all and every the bye-laws heretofore in force with respect to the pilots and pilotage of the Tyne shall be and the same are hereby rescinded, except as to anything done thereunder; or any right, power, duty, obligation, penalty, or liability acquired or incurred thereunder. In lieu thereof the Commissioners do hereby make and ordain the following bye-laws

for the government of existing and future pilots, which shall come in force on and from the date of the Order in Council approving these bye-laws.

Pilot Superintendent.

2. The duties of the pilot superintendent shall be as follows:—

- (a) To exercise supervision and control, under the commissioners, over all the pilots and pilots' assistants, so as to see that the pilot Acts and these bye-laws and all resolutions and orders to which the pilots are required to conform are duly observed.
- (b) To obtain from the pilots reports of all occurrences affecting the service on which the commissioners or the superintendent may require information.
- (b_a) To prepare and post up for the information of the pilots orders received for ships and steamers requiring pilots in conspicuous places on the several premises of the commissioners.
- (c) To hear and determine such differences as may arise between the pilots and the pilots' assistants.
- (d) To prevent the employment of unlicensed pilots.
- (e) To enquire into complaints made against pilots by masters and owners of vessels and others interested, and into circumstances attending cases of collision or loss, when vessels have been under charge of a pilot.
- (f) To take soundings of the river and channel from time to time, and especially to draw the earliest attention to any alterations in the conditions and depth thereof.
- (g) To keep a daily journal, and to enter therein daily the direction and nature of the wind, the height of the barometer and swell at the entrance to the harbour.
- (h) To assist in obtaining the daily returns from the pilots of the vessels piloted, docked, undocked, moved, or transported by them.
- (i) To see that pilot cibles and other boats regularly used in the pilot service are duly licensed and properly numbered in figures of not less than 15 inches in length, commencing at No. 1, and continuing in numerical order.
- (j) To keep a register and character book in which shall be recorded the name and description of each pilot's assistant, the date of his entering the service and his character, and any particulars of conduct during the service.
- (k) To introduce steady, sober, and qualified young men as they stand in the register book for examination for licenses.
- (l) To assist in the examination of persons applying for licenses.
- (m) To carry out all orders and regulations of the commissioners and the nautical committee, which may be from time to time issued relative to the piloting of vessels, and the keeping of a sufficient number of pilots always on duty for sea or river service, or relative to other matters within the scope of his duties.
- (n) To report to the commissioners and to the nautical committee from time to time, in a book to be kept for that purpose, on all the above subjects, and also on all cases of misconduct or breach of the bye-laws, that may come to his knowledge on the part of any of the pilots, and to record the sentence or punishment passed or imposed for the same.
- (o) All instances of neglect of duty shall be

brought before the commissioners, and the pilot superintendent shall not compromise any offence committed by any pilot.

- (p) The time of the pilot superintendent shall be wholly devoted to the service of the commissioners.

Pilots.

3. There shall continue to be one body of licensed pilots who, having qualified or upon qualifying as hereinafter mentioned shall be licensed, and during the continuance of their licenses shall be empowered to pilot vessels to and from and throughout any part of the Tyne pilotage district.

4. All cibles and other boats now or hereafter regularly employed in the pilot service in the river or at sea must, pursuant to the 611th Section of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, before being so employed, be approved and licensed by the commissioners, besides being numbered as directed by Subsection (i) of the second of the foregoing bye-laws, and must carry the lights required by law.

5. Every present or future pilot owning or having control over any such cible or other boat, is accordingly hereby required to take out a license from the pilot superintendent, which will in approved cases be granted on payment of a fee of 2s. 6d. for each such license. Every license will remain in force during the pleasure of the commissioners, and is subject to payment of an annual renewal fee of 2s. 6d., due and payable not later than on the 1st day of March in each year.

6. Licensed cibles may be used for sea and river service, but other licensed boats of smaller size are only to be used for river service, *i.e.*, not seaward of an imaginary line drawn from the end of the south pier to the end of the north pier.

7. All pilots are prohibited from using in the pilotage service at sea or in port, or when boarding vessels, any cible boat, steam tug, or other vessel of any description not licensed as aforesaid, excepting only the pilot steamer or steamers for the time being provided by the commissioners, and excepting in such special and individual cases of emergency as shall be afterwards allowed by the commissioners.

8. Every pilot using the pilot steamer shall, subject to the ship master's general right of selection, take his turn whether the vessel requiring a pilot be large or small, and if all the pilots (excepting those only qualified to pilot vessels not exceeding 500 tons register) obtain vessels, the pilot steamer shall return for a relay of pilots, and as soon as a sufficient number are on board, the pilot steamer shall proceed to sea immediately.

9. When two or more licensed pilot boats are making for the same vessel, the pilot in the first or leading boat shall be entitled to board such vessel, and the other pilots in the vicinity shall not interfere in any way in the act of boarding, but shall keep off at a distance of at least one quarter of a mile.

10. No pilot boat shall be allowed to be towed outwards by any steamer, steam tug, or vessel towed by steam power beyond an imaginary line drawn from the south to the north pier heads. This rule is not to prevent any pilot towing homewards; and if whilst so towing he shall fall in with any vessel requiring a pilot, he shall be at liberty to board and take charge of such vessel.

11. Every pilot shall use his utmost care and diligence to conduct the ships and vessels under his charge without causing or contributing to damage or injury thereto, or to other vessels, craft, quays, dock walls, piers, bridges, or other

erections; and shall behave himself with strict sobriety and due respect towards the owners, masters, and officers of the ships and vessels under his charge; and shall not leave his vessel until she is safely and permanently moored; and shall forthwith, but not exceeding in any case within forty-eight hours after his leaving each vessel, report to the pilot superintendent all accidents which may have happened to such vessel while under his direction inwards or outwards. He shall always have with him when on duty a copy of these bye-laws, his license, and a pilot flag as described in the fifteenth of these bye-laws. On taking charge of a vessel he shall, if required, exhibit his license to the officer in command. In the case of vessels outward bound, he shall repair on board at least two hours before high water, or when required by the master, to ascertain if the vessel of which he is about to take charge is ready for sea, or to moor in the river, and, except with the consent of the master, he shall not leave a vessel piloted seawards until she is fairly clear of the entrance to the harbour. He shall obey and execute all orders received from the commissioners or the nautical committee, the secretary, or the pilot superintendent. No pilot shall be absent from duty without the permission of the pilot superintendent, and every pilot found guilty of drunkenness whilst on duty shall be liable to have his license cancelled and withdrawn.

12. All pilots going to sea in search of vessels shall first visit the pilot office to ascertain what orders there are for vessels expected inwards, and shall pay due regard thereto. Pilots cruising within or without the Tyne pilotage district must take charge of vessels requiring pilots without preferring one vessel over another.

13. Pilots must first obtain leave from the pilot superintendent before engaging to pilot vessels from other British or from Foreign ports into the River Tyne, and failing such leave, any pilot at sea offering his services is to be entitled to the inward pilotage of any such vessel.

14. Every pilot engaged to pilot a vessel lying in the river, and bound into the Tyne, Northumberland, or Albert Edward Docks, shall be on board at least one hour before high water to make ready for going into dock, and every pilot in charge of a vessel in any part of the district shall be held responsible until the pilotage is completed.

15. Every pilot shall provide himself with a red and white flag 3 feet long by 2 feet broad, and of two colours, the upper horizontal half white, and the lower horizontal half red. On taking charge as pilot of any vessel, he shall cause his flag to be hoisted on board such vessel at the gaff-end, under the ensign, or wherever it may be most conspicuously seen (except on the foremast), and he shall keep his flag continually flying whilst in charge of any vessel. This bye-law shall apply to every vessel outward or inward bound, at sea or in port, under way or at anchor, and under all circumstances so long as any vessel is in charge of a pilot.

16. All pilots and pilots' assistants whilst using or being at or near any of the offices, look-out houses, or other premises used or occupied for the purposes of the pilot service, shall conduct themselves with strict sobriety, and be always of good behaviour; and shall on no account use insolent, improper, or quarrelsome language to any commissioner or any member of the pilots' committee or any official of the commissioners, either on any of the aforesaid premises or elsewhere, and if on the said premises, the offenders may be forthwith ejected therefrom without

prejudice to other penalties under any of these bye-laws.

17. All pilots shall obey the bye-laws for the time being, and all orders, resolutions, and directions of the commissioners, or of any committee of the commissioners; and also all proper orders and directions that may be given to them by the pilot superintendent, or by the dock and harbour masters, relative to the docking, undocking, towing, transporting, removing, or berthing of vessels under their charge.

Collection and Application of Pilotage.

18. Every pilot shall make daily returns on forms to be prescribed by and furnished at an office of the commissioners of the vessels piloted, docked, undocked, moved, or in any way transported or attended by him, showing the amount of earnings of every description earned each day by every pilot; such returns shall be made by each pilot to the secretary at the principal office of the commissioners, and in default of his so doing or paying over such pilotage dues as by the nineteenth of these bye-laws he is authorised to receive, he shall in each case be subject to a deduction from his share of pilotage of a sum not exceeding 10s., and be liable to have his license withdrawn or suspended.

19. Every pilot is prohibited from receiving from any owner, consignee, agent, or master any pilotage dues or earnings of any description, excepting only when there is no owner, consignee, or agent of the vessel piloted resident or carrying on business in any of the ports within the Tyne pilotage district, or in Sunderland or Blyth. In any such case the pilot receiving the dues or earnings shall forthwith pay over such dues without deduction to the proper officer of the commissioners at their principal office, or at such place and time as the commissioners may from time to time direct.

20. Every pilot earning any pilotage dues or earnings of any description, shall on completion of his services tender for signature to the master or other person in charge of the vessel, a form of order on the owner, consignee, or agent at one of the Tyne ports, or at Sunderland or Blyth, for payment of the pilotage dues earned, to be in such order specified, and shall forthwith on receipt of such order deliver the same to an official of the commissioners at the pilot office, Green's-place, South Shields, or at such office or place as the commissioners shall from time to time prescribe. In no case shall pilots deliver their pilotage orders at the pilot office later than the day after vessels have been taken to sea, and every pilot failing to do so without sufficient reason, shall be reported by the secretary to the commissioners, and in each such instance the pilotage shall be retained until the commissioners have given their decision thereon.

21. All owners, consignees, and agents at any of the Tyne ports, or at Sunderland or Blyth, of vessels piloted in the Tyne pilotage district, are hereby required to pay all pilotage dues of every description to the commissioners' collector for the time being, and not to any pilot. This bye-law is not to be construed to abridge or affect the legal liability of owners, masters, consignees, or agents to pay pilotage dues, and is intended to provide for payment of pilotage dues to the commissioners' collector instead of to the pilots as heretofore.

22. From the gross amount of pilotage dues and earnings received by the commissioners, there shall from time to time be deducted (1) the contributions of pilots under the 27th bye-law (2) the cost of collection of the earnings of all the pilots and (3) the expenses (but not exceeding 3½ per cent. on the gross amount of pilotage

dues) of and incident to steam pilot cutters, cobsles, or other vessels, and of pilots' assistants, as mentioned in the 23rd and 24th bye-laws. Such deductions, or any of them, may in the first place be upon estimate subject to subsequent quarterly or other adjustment, and it shall not be open to any pilot to recover from the commissioners any deduction made from the gross pilotage earnings by virtue of this or any other bye-law, now or hereafter ordained by the commissioners.

Pilot Steamers.

23. The commissioners may from time to time purchase or hire on such terms and for such periods as the commissioners shall think fit, one or more steam cutters or other vessels, of such size, burthen, equipment, and at such cost as the commissioners shall from time to time think fit, for the use of the pilots, and to enable them to keep the sea in every state of weather, and also for river service, with all necessary cobsles and other boats, gear, machinery, and appliances, and may keep any and every such cutter or other vessel insured and indemnified against all insurable risks, and may repair, maintain, and navigate every such cutter or other vessel, and may employ and pay, and discharge, remove, and substitute masters, crews, and engineers, and may, at the discretion of the commissioners, and for any of the purposes by these bye-laws authorized, enter into all necessary charter-parties and other contracts.

24. The pilots shall bear by deduction from time to time from the pilotage earnings as mentioned in the 22nd bye-law (but not exceeding $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the gross amount of pilotage earnings as from time to time collected by the commissioners) the cost of the purchase, hire, maintenance, repair, insurance, navigation and management of every steam cutter or other vessel, and of her boats, gear, machinery, and appliances, and of all cobsles for river services, so to be hired or chartered by the commissioners as aforesaid, and of all pilots' assistants employed by the commissioners in the pilot service.

25. The net amount of all pilotage earnings of every description received by the commissioners shall, after the deductions mentioned or referred to in the 22nd bye-law, be divided between the pilots earning such pilotage earnings in proportion to the amount of pilotage earned by each pilot. The division of such net pilotage shall take place as nearly as may be monthly, or more frequently at the discretion of the commissioners, and the decision of the commissioners as to the share of any pilot on any such division shall be conclusive.

26. No action shall be brought or claim set up against the commissioners by any pilot in respect of the collection, apportionment, or division by the commissioners from time to time of the pilotage earnings.

Contributions to Pilots' Funds.

27. A deduction of not exceeding, in the discretion of the commissioners, £5 per centum shall be made from the gross amount of pilotage earnings of every description earned by the pilots. The amount thus from time to time deducted, shall be placed to the credit of the Amalgamated Sea and River Pilots Fund, hereinafter referred to as "The General Pilotage Fund," and shall be applied in the same manner as the other moneys belonging to this fund, being nevertheless primarily applicable to the cost of the pilotage service.

28. Every master and every mate in the merchant service obtaining a pilotage certificate enabling him to pilot his vessel within any portion

of the Tyne pilotage district pursuant to Part X of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall, for each occasion on which he navigates his vessel within the district or part of the district to which his certificate applies, pay to the commissioners as hereinafter mentioned, a sum not exceeding in the discretion of the commissioners 5 per centum of the gross amount of pilotage dues payable in respect of the vessel to a qualified Tyne pilot on each such occasion. Every such payment shall be placed to the credit of the General Pilotage Fund. Provided always that such payments shall not entitle any such master or mate nor his widow or children to any pension, superannuation, or other benefit. Provided also that such payment shall not be made in respect of the same vessel, either for inward or for outward pilotage, more than once in a period of ten consecutive days.

29. Every such master and mate certificated as aforesaid shall, within one calendar month after each half-year, ending on the thirtieth day of June and the thirty-first day of December respectively, make a return in writing of the occasions during the half-year immediately previous on which he shall have navigated vessels within the Tyne pilotage district, with the names and all needful particulars of the vessels, and shall within the same periods respectively from time to time pay to the secretary at the principal office of the commissioners the amounts due from him under the foregoing 28th bye-law.

Pilots' Assistants.

30. Candidates for the pilot service must not be under fourteen years of age or over eighteen years of age. They will be required to prove that they are able to read and write correctly, and that they have a competent knowledge of arithmetic, and must possess such other requirements as the commissioners shall from time to time prescribe.

31. All approved candidates for the pilot service shall act as assistants therein for seven years under the direction of the commissioners before attaining the age of thirty-three years, the first five of which are to be served in the Tyne pilotage district, and four of these first five years to be served in a sea-going pilot coble. No assistant shall leave the pilot service in any case without permission from the pilot superintendent, and on application for examination for a pilot's license, proof shall be required of the satisfactory completion of the seven years term of service. Each such assistant shall serve six months of the above term after the first five years as seaman on board a sailing ship or ships, and shall serve one year and six months of the above term on board of a steam ship or steam ships, but such two years' service in sailing and steam ships shall be made when and as may be approved of by the commissioners. During service in sailing and steam ships, every assistant shall use his utmost efforts to become familiar with and experienced in the steering, handling, and working of such vessels. The service in sea-going cobsles is to be verified by the certificates in writing of the pilots employing each assistant, which they are hereby required to supply on each occasion of the assistant leaving the service of any pilot.

32. Satisfactory testimonials, including a surgeon's certificate, that a candidate for the pilot service is of sound health, shall in every case be submitted to the commissioners before a license is granted. The commissioners or the nautical committee shall have power as and when they shall think fit to hold investigations into the conduct of any pilot's assistant, and to

summon and require his attendance on any such investigation, and to dismiss any pilot's assistant from the pilot service at any time upon any misconduct on the part of the assistant deserving in the judgment of the commissioners or of the nautical committee such punishment. The name of every candidate shall be entered in the pilot superintendent's register and character book on his first entering the service, and his character shall be therein yearly entered up by the pilot superintendent, and, unless otherwise ordered by the commissioners, vacancies in the pilot service shall be filled up according to priority of date of entry as aforesaid.

33. Every assistant who shall have served the above term of seven years, and shall apply for a pilot's license, shall, if eligible in other respects, undergo an examination under the direction of the commissioners for the purpose of ascertaining his skill, knowledge, and experience in relation to the navigating, piloting, and conducting of steam and sailing vessels, including knowledge of the rule of the road at sea and his freedom from colour blindness. He must be able to give a correct and seamanlike description of the river, harbour, docks, and piers, and must know the course and distance between any two places within the Tyne pilotage district. He must be able to navigate any vessel requiring a pilot into, from, and throughout any part of the Tyne pilotage district, and for this purpose must possess a thorough knowledge of the chart and mariner's compass. He must be familiar with the rise and set of the tides; the depth and character of the soundings; the best anchorages; the sand banks, rocks, shoals, and other dangers; the land marks, buoys, and lights, and the marks and deeps of the lead line; he must understand the complete management of a vessel, and how to bring her to anchor, and to keep her clear of her anchor in a tideway; how to moor, unmoor, and get under way; and how to handle a vessel under any circumstances.

Licenses and Renewals.

34. Every pilot license, when first granted, and for a period of not less than one year thereafter, shall apply only to and authorize the navigating, piloting, and conducting of vessels not exceeding 500 tons net register. After the expiration of one year, every pilot who continues to hold such a license may, in the discretion of the commissioners, be required to pass a further examination on such heads and particulars as the commissioners shall from time to time by resolution prescribe, and on his passing such further examination, if so required, he shall be eligible to conduct vessels of any tonnage. Provided always that the commissioners may from time to time, in the case of either young pilots or old or infirm pilots, or in other special cases, restrict the form and operation of a pilot's license to such size of vessels, and for such period, and on such conditions as the commissioners shall prescribe.

35. Every pilot hereafter licensed shall, on receiving his license to pilot vessels not exceeding 500 tons, pay to the commissioners a fee of £2, and on receiving a license to pilot vessels of any tonnage shall pay a further fee of £2, and for the annual renewal of his license £1, the latter due on the first day of July in each year, and payable within one calendar month thereafter, and for the renewal of any license in place of one lost 10s. Every pilot being a pensioner on the General Pilotage Fund shall be liable to pay the annual renewal fee during each year that he earns pilotage earnings amounting

to £100 or upwards. Pilots being pensioners earning less in any year shall be exempt for that year.

36. Every master and every mate in the merchant service obtaining from the commissioners a pilotage certificate, pursuant to Part X. of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall, on receiving his license, pay to the commissioners a fee of £2, and for the annual renewal of his license 10s., and for the renewal of any license in place of one lost 10s.

37. In addition to persons qualifying for the pilot service, as prescribed by the foregoing bye-laws, the commissioners shall have power to grant licenses to such masters in the merchant service holding certificates of competency granted by the Board of Trade under the Merchant Shipping Acts, as the commissioners shall select as pilots, subject to each person before being licensed under this bye-law serving for a period of twelve months as an assistant in the pilot service under the direction of the commissioners, and passing the examination prescribed by the 33rd bye-law, and a further examination if required under the 34th bye-law, but assistants in the pilot service having duly qualified themselves for licenses shall be preferred over masters applying for licenses under this bye-law.

Pilots' Committee.

38. There shall be a committee of pilots appointed by the commissioners for examining in the presence of the pilot superintendent all applicants for licenses, and to hear and settle disputes between pilots themselves, or between pilots and assistants, or between assistants, and the pilot superintendent shall, if requested by any of the parties interested, refer the case to the commissioners for their decision which shall be final and binding upon the parties. The committee shall consist of such number as the commissioners shall from time to time appoint. For the present and until the commissioners shall otherwise appoint, the committee shall consist of twelve members with the addition of the two commissioners elected by the pilots, five of whom shall form a quorum. The three members of the committee who have longest acted as such shall retire at the end of each year, namely, on the date of the annual election of such two commissioners, but shall be eligible for re-election, and three members shall be elected out of the body of the pilots by the pilots themselves at a meeting convened for the purpose held after but on the same day as the said annual election, and the members then elected or re-elected shall, if approved, be appointed by the commissioners to act on the committee for the ensuing year. Each member of the committee shall hold office during the pleasure of the commissioners, and in case of the death, resignation, or removal of any member of the committee, the vacancy shall be filled up by the commissioners. Any other of the commissioners may be present at any meeting of the committee.

Rates and Conditions of Pilotage.

39. For the purposes of the following tariff the River Tyne is divided into four sections, viz.:-

- (1) From sea to and bounded by an imaginary line from Jarrow Quay Corner to the western boundary of the Northumberland Dock.
- (2) From the last-mentioned imaginary line to and bounded by an imaginary line drawn from Bill Point due south-east true to the South Shore.

(3) From the last-mentioned imaginary line up to and bounded by the east side of Newcastle Swing Bridge.

(4) From the east side of Newcastle Swing Bridge westward so as to include the remaining navigable portion of the river.

40. The following pilotage rates shall be paid for every foot of water which any ship or vessel shall draw, viz. :—

	From 1st April to 30th Sept., both inclusive.	From 1st Oct. to 31st Mar., both inclusive.
	Per Foot. s. d.	Per Foot. s. d.
Sea to Section 1 or the reverse	1 3	1 6
Sea to Section 2 or the reverse	2 0	2 3
Sea to Section 3 or the reverse	2 6	2 9
Sea to Section 4 or the reverse	3 0	3 3
From Section 1 to Section 2 or the reverse	1 0	1 0
From Section 1 to Section 3 or the reverse	1 6	1 6
From Section 1 to Section 4 or the reverse	2 0	2 0
From Section 2 to Section 3 or the reverse	1 0	1 0
From Section 2 to Section 4 or the reverse	1 6	1 6
From Section 3 to Section 4 or the reverse	1 0	1 0

41. The above rates shall apply to cases where vessels are piloted from any part of one section into any part of another section, and any part of a foot not being greater than half a foot will be charged as half a foot, and if more than half a foot will be charged as a foot.

42. Vessels exceeding 500 tons net register shall also pay one farthing per ton on the excess of such tonnage above 500 tons for pilotage from sea to any part of Section 1 and the reverse, and one farthing per ton extra for pilotage from Section 1 to any part of the river west of Section 1 and the reverse, but in no case shall this extra tonnage rate be paid more than once inwards and once outwards on each occasion of a vessel entering and leaving the port. The pilot first in charge of a vessel inward or outward bound shall be entitled to the benefit of this bye-law, although such vessel does not on the first occasion of pilotage reach her final destination inwards or proceed to sea.

43. In the cases of vessels bound from or to sea, and unable from any cause to reach their destinations or proceed to sea the same tide, pilots must if required attend the following tide to dock or berth such vessels or take them to sea as the case may require without any additional remuneration. Vessels requiring pilots and bound from any part of the river, and which have proceeded direct to sea, must pay pilotage to sea.

44. When any vessel at sea, inward bound to the River Tyne, shall arrive within the limits of the pilotage district of the Tyne without a pilot of the Tyne on board, the pilot who first offers his services thereafter, shall, although such services be refused by the master or other person having the charge and control of the vessel, be entitled to receive one-half of the pilotage dues for the pilotage inwards of such vessel, in case the master or other person having the charge or control of such vessel shall, after such refusal, employ any other pilot to pilot such vessel

inwards into the Tyne. Such inward pilotage shall be so divided, notwithstanding that the pilot actually employed was not informed that a pilot had previously offered his services as aforesaid. Provided that no pilot shall be entitled to such share of the inward pilotage of more than one inward-bound vessel refusing his services within twelve hours from the first offer and refusal.

45. A pilot, engaged in general terms at sea, who pilots a vessel into the harbour, but is there superseded by another pilot, shall be entitled to receive, in addition to the pilotage from sea into the harbour, half of the further pilotage to her destination.

46. When a vessel at sea bound into the Tyne shows one or more authorized signals for a pilot, and does not employ a pilot responding thereto, the inward pilotage of such vessel into Shields Harbour shall be payable to such pilot.

Docking and Transporting.

47. The rates for docking, undocking, transporting, shifting, and moving within the port not covered by the foregoing rates of pilotage shall be as follows, viz. :—

	s. d.
Vessels not exceeding 200 tons net register	5 0
Vessels not exceeding 400 tons net register	7 6
Vessels not exceeding 600 tons net register	10 0
Vessels not exceeding 800 tons net register	12 6
Vessels not exceeding 1,000 tons net register	15 0
Vessels exceeding 1,000 tons, for every 100 tons or part of 100 tons above 1,000 tons a further charge of	1 0

In the case of vessels exceeding 400 tons net register, two-thirds only of the above rates to be charged for moving vessels from tier to tier, or from tier to any dry dock within the distance of 300 yards.

For a pilot's attendance in harbour, when required on any vessel, when not ultimately engaged to pilot such vessel, per day or part of a day, 7s. 6d.

Launches.

The rates for attending at the launch of any vessel in the River Tyne, and conducting her to her moorings in dock, or elsewhere within the port, shall be as follows, viz. :—

	s. d.
Vessels not exceeding 400 tons net register	20 0
Vessels not exceeding 600 tons net register	25 0
Vessels not exceeding 800 tons net register	30 0
Vessels not exceeding 1,000 tons net register	32 6
Vessels exceeding 1,000 tons, for every 100 tons or part of 100 tons above 1,000 tons, a further charge of	1 0

For a pilot continuing in charge on request whilst a steamer's compasses are being adjusted, 10s. extra for such service.

Complaints: How to be Made.

48. All complaints of offences shall be made in writing, signed by the party aggrieved, and delivered to the secretary of the commissioners, or left at the head office as soon as practicable, and the secretary shall summon all such persons as the commissioners or any committee may desire to examine, to attend any meeting of the commissioners or committee.

Pilotage Funds.

49. Whereas since the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, the existing sea and river pilots' funds have been amalgamated. And whereas it is possible that certain river pilots may have been injuriously affected by such amalgamation. It is therefore hereby provided that each river pilot pensioned on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, shall in lieu of the pension then receivable by him, receive a pension of £30 per annum during his life. Each river pilot who shall have attained the age of forty-five years on the said first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, shall thereupon, and until he shall attain the age of sixty years, be entitled to a pension of £18 per annum, and upon his attaining the age of sixty years, he shall be entitled, in lieu of the said last-mentioned pension, to receive a pension of £30 per annum during his life. Provided nevertheless that the aforesaid pensions to river pilots living on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, shall not prevent them continuing to act as river pilots in the same manner as they did previous to such date.

50. Other pensioners on the sea and river pilots' funds on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, shall continue to receive pensions and allowances upon the same conditions as heretofore.

51. Sea and river pilots licensed prior to the said first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, shall be entitled to pensions and allowances upon the conditions in force on and before that date. Provided also that such last-mentioned pensions and allowances may be by the commissioners from time to time varied, and if necessary reduced, if, in the opinion of the commissioners, the funds after payment of expenses are insufficient to pay and provide for the pensions and allowances charged thereon.

52. Subject to the operation of the preceding Bye-laws 49, 50, and 51, the amalgamated sea and river pilots' funds, hereinafter called "the general pilotage fund," and all accretions thereto shall, after providing for all payments and expenses incurred by the commissioners for the purposes of the pilotage service, be applied by the commissioners for the relief and support of the widows and children of pilots licensed after the said first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and of such last-mentioned pilots when old and decayed on such terms and conditions, and in such amounts as the commissioners shall from time to time direct.

53. The commissioners may also from time to time in their discretion out of the general pilotage fund make grants of money towards the repair and replacement of licensed cobbles and other boats regularly employed in the pilot service, and damaged or lost without fault on the part of the pilot owning such coble or boat.

54. The commissioners may also out of the general pilotage fund pay or contribute towards the funeral expenses of any pilot in such special and individual cases as the commissioners shall in their discretion think fit.

55. No pension shall be assigned or assignable, and every pension shall be payable only to and against the receipt of the pensioner entitled thereto, and no attempt by any pensioner to anticipate, assign, mortgage, or otherwise deal with any pension shall be recognised or acted on.

56. For the purposes of the separate accounts to be returned to the Board of Trade pursuant to Section 585 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894,

the income from funds from time to time invested at interest as part of the general pilotage fund shall be primarily applicable to payment of pensions, superannuations, and benefits pursuant to the foregoing bye-laws, and shall be accordingly annually transferred from the general pilotage fund to a separate account to be intitled "Receipts and Expenditure in respect of Pensions, Superannuations, and other benefits," together with other items of receipts and expenditure appearing in the general pilotage fund applicable to pensions, superannuations, and benefits, and together with such further amount to be annually transferred from the general pilotage fund applicable to pensions, superannuations and other benefits as shall, subject to working expenses from time to time, be available and required to balance the account of receipts and expenditure in respect of pensions, superannuations, and other benefits. Save as aforesaid, the general pilotage fund shall continue to be administered as heretofore.

57. All funds now in or hereafter coming into the possession of the commissioners in respect of the Tyne pilotage district and available for investment, including the amalgamated sea and river pilots fund, may be and remain at the discretion of the Commissioners invested and may be from time to time invested and re-invested upon any of the following securities, namely:—

- (1) Upon loan to the Tyne Improvement Commissioners upon any of the securities on which these commissioners are from time to time authorized by law to borrow money.
- (2) In any post office savings' bank.
- (3) In the public funds.
- (4) Upon real securities of freehold or copyhold tenure in England or Wales.
- (5) Upon the debentures or debenture stock or the preference stock or preferred ordinary stock of any English, Scotch, or Welsh railway company.
- (6) Upon the securities offered by any municipal corporation, body of commissioners, harbour authority, or other corporation aggregate in England authorized by law to borrow money, including any debenture or preference stock of any gas or water company incorporated by Act of Parliament or by any provisional order confirmed by Parliament.
- (7) In the purchase of real property situate in England.
- (8) In addition to the foregoing, upon any of the securities upon which a trustee is authorized to invest trust funds by "The Trustee Act, 1893," or by any amendment thereof, or by any other statutory authority in force for the time being applicable to trustees and trust funds.

Penalties for Breach of Bye-Laws.

58. Every pilot or assistant offending against or contravening any of the preceding bye-laws or any bye-law hereafter ordained by the commissioners shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding £5, and in addition to this penalty, any pilot so offending or acting contrary to any resolution or order of the commissioners, or of any committee of the commissioners, or of any order of any pilot superintendent, is and is hereby made liable to have his license restricted, recalled, or suspended by the commissioners.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section sixteen of "The Pluralities Act 1838" it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the Bishop of any diocese, or by the Bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty as herein-after directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts, and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories, or vicarages, with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only; and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant."

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of York, pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"The undersigned William Dalrymple Lord Archbishop of York doth hereby state that it having appeared to him that the vicarage and benefice of Gate Helmsley and the rectory and benefice of Upper Helmsley both in the diocese of York might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice for ecclesiastical purposes under the Acts of Parliament of the first and second years of Your Majesty's reign chapter one hundred and six and the thirteenth and fourteenth years of the same reign chapter

ninety-eight he made enquiry into the circumstances and that on such enquiry it appeared to him that the said union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that he therefore caused to be published as required by the said first-mentioned Act a statement in writing of the facts with notice to any person or persons interested to show cause in writing within the time prescribed by the said Act against such union and that such time has expired without any reasonable cause having been shown to him wherefore the said Archbishop doth hereby pursuant to the said first-mentioned Act certify to Your Majesty in Council that the circumstances of the case respecting the said union appeared on the before mentioned enquiry to be as follows:—

"1. That the two benefices and parishes are contiguous.

"2. That the aggregate population of the said two parishes according to the latest returns of population made under the authority of Parliament does not exceed three hundred persons the population of the said parish of Gate Helmsley being one hundred and ninety-four and that of the said parish of Upper Helmsley sixty-four.

"3. That the net yearly value of the said benefice of Gate Helmsley is eighty pounds and that of the said benefice of Upper Helmsley is ninety-five pounds or thereabouts.

"4. That there is a church belonging to each of the said benefices sufficient for the accommodation of the parishioners.

"5. That the patronage or right of presentation to the said vicarage of Gate Helmsley is vested in the Archbishop of York for the time being and the patronage or right of presentation to the said rectory of Upper Helmsley is vested in the Right Honourable Hardinge Stanley Earl of Halsbury Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain on behalf of the Crown both of whom are consenting parties to the union hereby proposed.

"6. That the Reverend Francis Bartlett Proctor M.A. is the incumbent of the said vicarage of Gate Helmsley and is a consenting party to the union hereby proposed and that the said rectory of Upper Helmsley is now vacant.

"7. That it is proposed that the patronage of the united benefice of Gate Helmsley and Upper Helmsley shall be vested in the said Right Honourable Hardinge Stanley Earl of Halsbury and his successors Lord High Chancellors of Great Britain on behalf of the Crown and in the said Archbishop and his successors Archbishops of York as alternate patrons thereof and that the first turn of patronage to the said united benefice which shall happen next after the passing of any Order of Your Majesty in Council carrying this scheme into effect shall belong to and be exercised by the said Chancellor or his successor Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain as such alternate patron on behalf of the Crown.

"8. The said enquiry and consents are thus certified by the said Archbishop to the intent that your Majesty in Council may by virtue of the said Acts issue an Order if Your Majesty in Council shall so think fit for uniting the said benefices of Gate Helmsley and Upper Helmsley into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

"As witness the hand of the said Archbishop the thirteenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

"*Willelm. Ebor.*"

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order as it is hereby ordered that the vicarage and benefice of Gate Helmsley and the rectory

and benefice of Upper Helmsley in the county and diocese of York shall be united into one benefice with cura of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

And Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is further pleased to direct that the course and succession in which the respective patrons for the time being shall present or nominate to such united benefice from time to time as the same shall become vacant shall be as follows that is to say: the right of presentation shall be exercised alternately, the patron of Upper Helmsley having the first turn or right of presentation.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section twenty-six of "The Pluralities Act 1838," after reciting that "Whereas in some instances tithings, hamlets, chapeltries, and other places or districts may be separated from the parishes or mother churches to which they belong, with great advantage, and places altogether extra-parochial may in some instances with advantage be annexed to parishes or districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted separate parishes for ecclesiastical purposes," it is, amongst other things, enacted "That when with respect to his own diocese it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the Bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said Archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place or district within the diocese of such Archbishop, or the diocese of such Bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said Archbishop or Bishop shall draw up a scheme in writing (the scheme of such Bishop to be transmitted to the said Archbishop for his consideration) describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said Archbishop may approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect."

And whereas by section six of "The Church Building Act, 1839," it is amongst other things, enacted, "That any such scheme or modification may be drawn up according to the regulations

"and directions in the said 'Pluralities Act, 1838,' contained subject to the consent in writing of the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected thereby, under his or their hands, notwithstanding the vacancy of such benefice or benefices; and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council thereupon to make an Order for carrying such scheme or modification thereof into effect; and such Order being registered in the Registry of the diocese as directed by the said last-mentioned Act, shall come into operation and shall be forthwith binding on all persons whatsoever notwithstanding such vacancy or vacancies."

And whereas the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Saint Davids hath pursuant to the enactment aforesaid represented in a writing dated the third day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight to the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Frederick Lord Archbishop of Canterbury as follows:—

"I the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Saint Davids do in pursuance of the twenty-sixth section of the Act of Parliament of the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty chapter one hundred and six hereby represent to your Grace that there is in the county of Carmarthen and my diocese of Saint Davids the vicarage of Abergwili otherwise Abergwilly which is a distinct and separate civil parish defined by well-known metes and bounds and having a population that by the census of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one amounted to one thousand six hundred and forty.

"That there is also in the same county of Carmarthen and my diocese of Saint Davids the vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog which is also a separate and distinct civil parish defined by well-known metes and bounds adjoining the said parish of Abergwili and has a population that by the census of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one amounted to six hundred and eleven.

"That there is in the said parish of Abergwili a consecrated church or chapel of ease known as the Church of the Holy Cross otherwise Capel y Groes with a yard or enclosure surrounding the same which has been duly consecrated for the purposes of burial.

"That the benefice of Abergwili is now held by the Reverend Thomas Thomas and has a vicarage house or residence.

"That the benefice of Llanllawddog is now vacant and has also a vicarage house or residence.

"That the patronage or right of presentation to the said vicarage of Abergwili is vested in the Bishop for the time being of the said See of Saint Davids and the patronage or right of presentation or nomination to the said benefice of Llanllawddog is vested in the vicar for the time being of the said benefice of Abergwili.

"That the net annual value of the said vicarage of Abergwili is two hundred and nine pounds and of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog three hundred pounds.

"That the emoluments of the said vicarage of Abergwili include a piece of land containing three roods and six perches or thereabouts part of a farm called Aberddondwr situate at Capel Bach in the said parish of Abergwili and adjoining the said Church of the Holy Cross which said piece of land was conveyed unto and to the use of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and their successors by deed dated the fourteenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven as a part of the endowment of the said vicarage of Abergwili.

"That by indenture of lease dated in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four a portion of the said piece of land was demised to one William Davies for a term of ninety-nine years from the twenty-ninth day of September one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four at a yearly rent of one pound to be paid to the incumbent of the said vicarage of Abergwili and that such lease contained a covenant by the said William Davies to build a cottage on the portion of land so demised by him which cottage has since been built in accordance with the said covenant.

"That the emoluments of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog include a charge of five pounds which is paid yearly to the incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog by the incumbent of the said vicarage of Abergwili out of the income of the said benefice of Abergwili.

"That it appears to me that a portion of the parish of Abergwili (comprising the said Church of the Holy Cross and the churchyard thereof and the said piece of land conveyed as a part of the endowment of the said vicarage of Abergwili as aforesaid) may under the provisions of the Acts of Parliament of the first and second years of Her present Majesty chapter one hundred and six and the second and third years of Her said Majesty chapter forty-nine be with advantage separated from the said parish of Abergwili and annexed to the said parish of Llanllawddog.

"That the portion of the parish of Abergwili proposed so to be separated from that parish and united to the said parish of Llanllawddog adjoins the said parish of Llanllawddog and has a present population of about thirty-five and an area of three hundred and twenty-eight acres or thereabouts and is more particularly delineated and described in the map or plan annexed to the scheme appended to this representation being thereon bordered with a pink line.

"That it does not appear that any of the inhabitants of the parish of Abergwili have any right by faculty or otherwise to the exclusive use of any of the pews or sittings in the said Church of the Holy Cross nor does it appear that any of the inhabitants of the portion of the parish of Abergwili so proposed to be separated from that parish have any such right to the exclusive use of any of the pews or sittings in the parish church of Abergwili.

"That it is proposed that the said Church of the Holy Cross should cease to be a chapel of ease to the parish of Abergwili and should become a chapel of ease to the parish of Llanllawddog and that the churchyard surrounding the said Church of the Holy Cross should cease to be used as a burial ground for the inhabitants of the parish of Abergwili and should henceforth be used as a burial ground for the inhabitants of the parish of Llanllawddog.

"That it is also proposed that the said piece of land conveyed as before mentioned as an endowment to the parish of Abergwili should together with the said cottage erected on a portion thereof (but subject to the provisions of the said lease) be assigned to and form part of the emoluments of the said benefice of Llanllawddog and that the said yearly sum of five pounds shall from henceforth cease to be paid to the said incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog.

"That pursuant to the direction contained in the twenty-sixth section of the said first-mentioned Act of Parliament I the said Lord Bishop have drawn up a scheme in writing appended to this representation describing the mode in which it

appears to me that the alteration above proposed may be best effected and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithes rent charges and other ecclesiastical dues rates and payments and in respect to patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all persons interested.

"And I do submit the same to your Grace together with the consents in writing of myself the said Bishop the patron of the said vicarage of Abergwili and of the Reverend Thomas Thomas, Clerk vicar of the said vicarage of Abergwili and as such vicar the patron of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog. That your Grace may if on full consideration and inquiry you shall be satisfied with the said scheme certify the same and such consents to Her Majesty in Council."

And whereas the said scheme drawn up by the said Bishop and the consents referred to in the representation are as follows:—

"It is proposed to separate from the parish of Abergwili in the county of Carmarthen all that portion of the said parish of Abergwili containing three hundred and twenty-eight acres or thereabouts and adjoining on its north and west sides the parish of Llanllawddog in the said county of Carmarthen and more particularly delineated and described in the map or plan attached hereto being thereon bordered with a pink line. And to unite such portion of the parish of Abergwili so separated as aforesaid to the said adjoining parish of Llanllawddog so as to become hereafter for ecclesiastical purposes a part of such parish of Llanllawddog of which the parish church for the time being of the said parish of Llanllawddog shall be the parish church.

"That the said parish of Llanllawddog so enlarged shall be subject to the same ecclesiastical jurisdiction as the said parish was subject to before being so enlarged.

"That the church or chapel of ease known as the Church of the Holy Cross otherwise Capel y Groes which has been duly consecrated and is now a chapel of ease to the said parish of Abergwili and is situate together with the yard or enclosure surrounding the same in that portion of the said parish of Abergwili so to be separated therefrom being called Capel y Groes on the said map or plan shall cease to be a chapel of ease to the said parish of Abergwili and shall be a chapel of ease to the said parish of Llanllawddog.

"That the yard or enclosure surrounding the said church or chapel of ease known as the Church of the Holy Cross otherwise Capel y Groes which has been duly consecrated as a cemetery or burial ground for interment and Christian burial to such church or chapel of ease shall cease to be used as a cemetery or burial ground for the inhabitants of the said parish of Abergwili and shall henceforth be used as a cemetery or burial ground for the inhabitants of the said parish of Llanllawddog.

"That the said benefices of Abergwili and Llanllawddog shall respectively retain all the emoluments to which they are now respectively entitled save the emoluments and fees mentioned in the next four paragraphs of this scheme.

"That the annual sum of five pounds heretofore payable to the incumbent for the time being of the said benefice of Llanllawddog by the incumbent for the time being of the said benefice of Abergwili out of the income of the said benefice of Abergwili shall from henceforth absolutely cease to be payable.

"That a field containing three roods and six perches or thereabouts which has heretofore been a part of the endowment of the said benefice of

Abergwili and is situate at Capel-bach in that portion of the said parish of Abergwili so to be separated therefrom shall together with the cottage and premises erected on a portion of such field (but subject to the provisions of an indenture of lease whereby the said cottage and premises adjoining were demised to one William Davies for a term of ninety-nine years from the twenty-ninth day of September one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four) henceforth cease to be a part of the endowment of the said benefice of Abergwili and shall belong to and become a part of the endowment of the said benefice of Llanllawddog.

"That marriages in respect of the inhabitants of the said portion of the parish of Abergwili so to be separated from that parish and united to the said parish of Llanllawddog shall hereafter be performed in the parish church of Llanllawddog and that the fees for all such marriages usually payable to the incumbent of a benefice shall belong to the incumbent of the said benefice of Llanllawddog.

"That baptisms churchings and burials in respect of the inhabitants of the said portion of the parish of Abergwili so to be separated from that parish and united to the said parish of Llanllawddog shall hereafter be performed either in the parish church of Llanllawddog or in the said church or chapel of ease known as the Church of the Holy Cross otherwise Capel y Groes and that the fees for all such offices in relation thereto usually payable to the incumbent of a benefice shall belong to the incumbent of the said benefice of Llanllawddog.

"That the incumbent of the said parish of Llanllawddog shall also have cure of souls within the limits of the said portion so to be united to such parish as part of his parish.

"That the right of patronage or presentation to the said benefice of Llanllawddog shall remain as heretofore.

"That the inhabitants of the said portion of the parish of Abergwili so to be separated therefrom and united to the said parish of Llanllawddog shall be exonerated from all liability (if any such now exists) to repair the parish church of Abergwili or any other church or chapel now or hereafter to be erected in the said parish of Abergwili.

"CONSENTS.

I the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Saint Davids the patron of the vicarage of Abergwili otherwise Abergwilly in the county of Carmarthen. And I the Reverend Thomas Thomas Clerk B.A. vicar of the said vicarage of Abergwili and also as such vicar the person entitled to present to the benefice of Llanllawddog in the county of Carmarthen and diocese of Saint Davids do hereby respectively signify to your Grace our consent to the scheme now proposed for separating the said portion of the parish of Abergwili from that parish and uniting the same to the adjoining parish of Llanllawddog for ecclesiastical purposes.

"As witness our respective hands this third day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

"*J. St. Davids.*

"*Thomas Thomas.*"

And whereas the said scheme hath been transmitted by the said Bishop to the said Archbishop for his consideration.

And whereas the said Archbishop being satisfied with the said scheme hath certified the same and the consents aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council by his report dated the twenty-ninth day of

December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which said report is in the words and figures following:—

"We the undersigned Frederick Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury do hereby report to Your Majesty in Council:

"That the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Saint Davids has represented unto Us (amongst other things)

"That there are in the county of Carmarthen and his diocese of Saint Davids the vicarage of Abergwili and the vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog.

"That it appears to the said Lord Bishop that a certain district which includes the consecrated church or chapel of ease known as the Church of the Holy Cross otherwise Capel y Groes may be advantageously separated from the parish of Abergwili and annexed to the contiguous parish of Llanllawddog for ecclesiastical purposes only under the provisions of 'The Pluralities Act 1838.'

"That pursuant to the provisions contained in the said Act the said Lord Bishop has drawn up a scheme in writing describing the mode in which it appears to him the proposed alteration may best be effected and how the changes consequent upon such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithes rent charges and other ecclesiastical dues rates and payments and in respect to patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested which scheme together with the consents thereto, in writing of the said Lord Bishop as the patron or person entitled to present to the said benefice of Abergwili in case the same were now vacant and of the Reverend Thomas Thomas, Clerk, vicar of the said vicarage of Abergwili and as such vicar the patron of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Llanllawddog has been transmitted to Us by the said Lord Bishop for our consideration.

"The representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop and the consents before referred to are hereunto annexed.

"And We the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme do hereby pursuant to the said Pluralities Act 1838 certify the same and such consents as aforesaid to Your Majesty in Council to the intent that Your Majesty in Council may in case Your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for carrying the said scheme into effect."

Now therefore, Her Majesty in Council, by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the said scheme be carried into effect. *A. W. FitzRoy.*

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen and of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-

seven have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes to be taken partly out of the new parish (sometime particular district) of Saint Peter Southborough and partly out of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint John Tunbridge Wells, both in the county of Kent and in the diocese of Canterbury.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular portions of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Southborough and of the new parish of Saint John Tunbridge Wells aforesaid which are hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate district in manner hereinafter set forth.

"And whereas we are satisfied that each of the said cures is a cure wherein or in parts whereof the provision for public worship and for pastoral superintendence is insufficient for the wants of the inhabitants thereof.

"And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed separate district any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purpose of Divine worship.

"And whereas Colonel Robert Williams a Member of the Commons House of Parliament, and William Godden Esquire have contributed and paid to the credit of our account at the Bank of England a sum of four thousand three hundred pounds sterling in aid of the endowment of the district hereinafter recommended to be constituted and (so soon as the said district shall have become a new parish under the provisions of the secondly hereinbefore mentioned Act then) of the said new parish and of the maintenance of the minister or incumbent thereof for the time being and we have in respect of such sum, agreed, and have undertaken to provide and pay by equal half-yearly payments on the first day of May and the first day of November in each and every year to such minister or incumbent as aforesaid when duly licensed in accordance with the provisions of the lastly mentioned Act the sum of one hundred and twenty-nine pounds per annum so long as the said capital sum shall remain in our hands.

"And whereas the said capital sum of four thousand three hundred pounds sterling has been so contributed and paid as aforesaid upon the understanding and condition that we should grant out of the common fund created by the firstly herein named Act a capital sum of seven hundred pounds sterling in respect of which there shall be paid by us to the minister or incumbent for the time being of the said proposed district or new parish when duly licensed as before mentioned a yearly sum of twenty-one pounds and upon the further understanding and condition that (such arrangement appearing to us to be expedient) we should recommend and propose to Your Majesty in Council that the whole right of patronage of the said district or new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereof should be assigned in the manner hereinafter set forth.

"And whereas the said Robert Williams and William Godden have nominated to us as the persons in whom they desire that the whole right of patronage of the said proposed district or new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereof should be vested John Deacon of Mabledon, Tonbridge, in the county of Kent aforesaid, Esquire, the Reverend John Thomas Manley of the Abney Hill, Kenilworth, in the county of Warwick, Clerk in Holy Orders, John Francis William Deacon of Mabledon aforesaid Esquire, William Francis Courthope of Number

20 Birchin-lane in the city of London, Esquire and the Reverend Thomas Graham of Southborough aforesaid, Clerk in Holy Orders.

"And whereas the said grant of twenty-one pounds per annum will after the publication in the London Gazette of an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme be made and secured by an instrument to be executed by us the said Commissioners under our Common Seal in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and eleven.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Frederick Archbishop of Canterbury (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that all those portions of the said new parish of Saint Peter Southborough and of the said new parish of Saint John, Tunbridge Wells which are described in the Schedule hereunder written all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed shall upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme as aforesaid become and be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes and that the same shall be named 'The District of Saint Matthew, Southborough.'

"And we further recommend and propose that the whole right of patronage of the said district so recommended to be constituted and when such district shall have become a new parish as aforesaid then of the said new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereof shall without any assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and upon and from the day of the date of the publication of such Order in the London Gazette as aforesaid be assigned to and be vested in and shall be exercised jointly by the said John Deacon, John Thomas Manley, John Francis William Deacon, William Francis Courthope and Thomas Graham their heirs and assigns for ever.

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The District of Saint Matthew, Southborough comprising:—

"(1.) All that portion of the new parish (sometime particular district) of Saint Peter, Southborough in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury which is bounded upon the south-east partly by the new parish of Saint James Tunbridge Wells and partly by the new parish of Saint Barnabas Tunbridge Wells both in the said county and diocese upon the south partly by the last-named new parish, and partly by the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint John Tunbridge Wells in the county and diocese aforesaid and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the west, upon the north-west and upon the north-east by an imaginary line commencing at the point on the northern side of New England Wood where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John Tunbridge Wells from the new parish of Saint Peter, Southborough aforesaid crosses the middle of the footpath which leads from New England Farm into Powder Mill-lane and extending thence first north-westward and

then northward along the middle of the said footpath for a distance of thirteen chains or thereabouts to its junction with Powder Mill-lane aforesaid and with the footpath which leads along the western side of the plot of land known as the Allotment Gardens towards Southborough (which said plot of land is numbered 334 upon the Ordnance Survey Map of the parish of Southborough on the $\frac{1}{2500}$ scale and published in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven; and upon the map hereunto annexed) and extending thence northward along the last described footpath for a distance of twenty-two and a half chains or thereabouts to its junction with the footpath which leads along the northern side of the said Allotment Gardens into Powder Mill-lane aforesaid and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last described footpath for a distance of twenty-four and a half chains or thereabouts to its junction with the said Powder Mill-lane and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the same lane for a distance of ten chains or thereabouts to the point where it is joined by the footpath leading through Barnett's Wood to the Home Farm in Colebrook Park and extending thence first generally eastward, then north-eastward and then south-eastward along the middle of the last-mentioned footpath for a distance of fifty-eight chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing the line of the Tunbridge Wells and Hastings Branch of the South-Eastern Railway) to the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter Southborough from the new parish of Saint James Tunbridge Wells aforesaid.

"(2.) And also all that contiguous portion of the said new parish of Saint John Tunbridge Wells which is bounded upon the north-east and upon the north-west by the above described portion of the new parish of Saint Peter, Southborough aforesaid and upon the remaining sides that is to say, upon the west, upon the south, and upon the south-east by an imaginary line commencing at the said firstly hereinbefore mentioned point on the northern side of New England Wood aforesaid where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter, Southborough from the new parish of Saint John Tunbridge Wells aforesaid crosses the footpath leading from Powder Mill-lane to New England Farm as aforesaid and extending thence southward and in a direct line for a distance of five and a half chains or thereabouts to a point at the north-eastern extremity of the pond in the last-named wood at the outflow of the stream (now partly covered in) which flows thence under the line of the said Tunbridge Wells and Hastings Branch of the South-Eastern Railway towards the Tunbridge Wells Gasworks and extending thence generally eastward along the middle of the said stream for a distance of thirty-four chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge or culvert which carries Upper Grosvenor-road over the same stream and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of eight chains and a half or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John Tunbridge Wells from the new parish of Saint Peter Southborough aforesaid."

And whereas drafts of the said scheme have, in accordance with the provisions of the secondly hereinbefore mentioned Act, been transmitted to the patrons and to the incumbents of the cures out of which it is intended that the district recommended in such scheme to be constituted shall be taken, and such patrons and incumbents have respectively signified their assent to such scheme.

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

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the seventh and eighth years of Her Majesty chapter ninety-four, of the Act of the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Her Majesty chapter ninety-four and of the Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Her Majesty chapter ninety-four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme or representation bearing date the first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting under the provisions of the Act of the seventh and eighth years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four, of the Act of the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four, and of the Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme or representation for altering the boundaries of the new parish of Saint John Meads and of the new parish of All Saints Eastbourne both in the county of Sussex and in the diocese of Chichester.

"Whereas by the authority of an Order of Your Majesty in Council bearing date the fifth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy and published in the London Gazette upon the eleventh day of the same month certain contiguous portions of the parish of (Saint Mary) Eastbourne and of the chapelry district of the Holy Trinity Eastbourne both in the county and diocese aforesaid were assigned as a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint John situate at Meads in the said parish of (Saint Mary) Eastbourne and the same consolidated chapelry was called 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint John Meads.'

"And whereas by the authority of another Order of Your Majesty in Council bearing date the third day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two and published in the London Gazette on the ninth day of the same month certain contiguous portions of the district chapelry of Saint Saviour Eastbourne in the county and diocese aforesaid of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint John Meads and of the said chapelry district of the Holy Trinity Eastbourne were assigned as a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of All Saints situate within the limits of the district chapelry of Saint Saviour Eastbourne aforesaid and the same consolidated chapelry was called 'The Consolidated Chapelry of All Saints Eastbourne.'

"And whereas both the said consolidated chapelry of Saint John Meads and the consolidated chapelry of All Saints Eastbourne have each of them under the provisions of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, become a new parish of the character contemplated by that Act, and by the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven, and by the above-mentioned Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four.

"And whereas it has been represented to us and it appears to us to be expedient that the boundaries of the said new parish of Saint John Meads and of the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne should be altered in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend Ernest Roland Bishop of the said diocese of Chichester (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme or representation) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly represent recommend and propose that from and after the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme or representation and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the boundaries both of the said new parish of Saint John Meads and of the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne shall be altered so that all that portion of the said new parish of Saint John Meads which is described in the First Schedule hereunder written and is delineated and set forth upon the map or plan hereunto appended and is thereon coloured pink shall be dissevered from such new parish and shall be annexed to and shall in future form part of the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne and that in like manner all that portion of the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne which is described in the Second Schedule hereunder written and is delineated and set forth upon the said map or plan hereunto annexed and is thereon coloured green shall be dissevered from the last-named new parish and shall be annexed to and shall in future form part of the said new parish of Saint John Meads.

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme or Representation has reference.

"1. The territory to be dissevered from the new parish of Saint John Meads in the county of Sussex and in the diocese of Chichester and to be annexed to the new parish of All Saints Eastbourne in the said county and diocese being:—

"All those two contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint John Meads which taken together are bounded upon the east and upon part of the north by the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne upon the remaining part of the north by the new parish of Saint Peter Eastbourne in the county and diocese aforesaid upon the north-west by the parish of (Saint Mary) Eastbourne in the same county and diocese and upon the remaining sides that is to say upon the south-west upon the west and upon the south by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish of (Saint Mary) Eastbourne from

the new parish of Saint John Meads aforesaid at the junction of Meads-road with Silverdale-road and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of sixteen chains and a quarter or thereabouts to the point where it is intersected by Granville-road upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John Meads from the new parish of All Saints Eastbourne aforesaid and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of three chains and a half or thereabouts to the point directly opposite to the western end of the wall or fence which divides the houses and premises situate on the southern side of Silverdale-road aforesaid from the houses and premises situate on the northern side of Saint John's-road and extending thence eastward to and along the said wall or fence for a distance of fifteen chains or thereabouts to the point directly opposite to the middle of Grange-road at its southern end where it joins Silverdale-road as aforesaid where such wall or fence is intersected by the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John Meads from the new parish of All Saints Eastbourne aforesaid.

"2. The territory to be dissevered from the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne and to be annexed to the new parish of Saint John Meads aforesaid being:—

"All that portion of the said new parish of All Saints Eastbourne which is bounded upon the south-east by the sea upon the west by the said new parish of Saint John Meads and upon the remaining sides that is to say upon the north and upon the east by an imaginary line commencing at the said point directly opposite to the middle of Grange-road at its southern end where it joins Silverdale-road as aforesaid where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John Meads from the new parish of All Saints Eastbourne aforesaid intersects the wall or fence which divides the houses and premises situate upon the southern side of Silverdale-road aforesaid from the houses and premises situate upon the northern side of Saint John's-road as aforesaid and extending thence eastward along the said wall or fence for a distance of five chains and a half or thereabouts to the point where it meets the wall or fence forming the western boundary of the stables called South Cliff-mews and extending thence southward for a distance of three chains or thereabouts first along the last described wall or fence and then along the wall or fence forming the western boundary of the house and premises called No. 11 South-cliff to the southern end of the last-mentioned wall or fence upon the north-western side of the upper roadway called or known as South Cliff and extending thence in precisely the same direction and in a straight line across the said upper roadway and across the lower roadway also called or known as South Cliff and across the sea beach to the sea at low-water mark."

And whereas drafts of the said scheme or representation have been transmitted to the patrons and to the incumbents of the cures affected by the arrangements which are contemplated by such scheme or representation and such patrons and incumbents have respectively signified their assent thereto.

And whereas the said scheme or representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme or representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have

been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Chichester.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the first day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight in the words and figures following; that is to say:—

“We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Your Majesty chapter seventy of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-seven of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter fifty-five and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Your Majesty chapter eighty-two have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Mary and Saint Chad Longton situate within the limits of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint John the Baptist Lane End in the county of Stafford and in the diocese of Lichfield.

“Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End and of the parish of Caverswall in the county and diocese aforesaid which said extremities lie contiguous one to another and are described in the Schedule hereunder written there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such cures respectively.

“And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End and of the parish of Caverswall aforesaid should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Mary and Saint Chad Longton situate as aforesaid.

“Now therefore with the consent of the Honourable and Right Reverend Augustus Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield as such Bishop and also as the patron in right of his See of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End and with the consent of William Robert Parker-Jervis of Meaford Hall Stone in the said county of Stafford Esquire one of Your Majesty's Justices of the Peace as the patron of the vicarage of the parish of Caverswall aforesaid (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly represent that it would in our opinion be expedient that all those

contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End and of the said parish of Caverswall which are described in the Schedule hereunder written all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Mary and Saint Chad Longton situate as aforesaid and that the same should be named ‘The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Mary and Saint Chad Longton.’

“We therefore humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order in respect thereto as to Your Majesty in Your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

“The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Mary and Saint Chad Longton comprising:—

“1. All that portion of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint John the Baptist Lane End in the county of Stafford and in the diocese of Lichfield which is bounded upon the south-east upon the east and upon the north-east by the parish of Caverswall (including the herein-after described portion thereof) in the said county and diocese upon the north-west by the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent in the same county and diocese and upon the remaining sides that is to say upon the west and upon the south-west by an imaginary line commencing at the point where the boundary which divides the said parish of Stoke-upon-Trent from the new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End aforesaid is intersected by the middle of the footpath which leads from Glover's Farm towards Golden Hill at or near to which point the said footpath is crossed by the footpath leading from Mossfield's Farm towards Pool Dole Farm and extending thence that is from the said boundary first southward and then south-westward along the middle of the first described footpath for a distance of twenty-four chains or thereabouts to the point where it is intersected by the footpath which leads from Pool Dole Farm aforesaid past Speedwall Colliery into Wood-street and extending thence first north-eastward and then generally south-eastward along the middle of the last-mentioned footpath for a distance of forty-four chains or thereabouts to its junction near the said Speedwall Colliery with Wood-street aforesaid and extending thence southward along the middle of the said street for a distance of two chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with Frederick-street and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of five chains or thereabouts to its junction with Anchor-road and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of nine chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with Forrister-street and extending thence south-eastward for a distance of nine chains and a quarter or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named street to its south-eastern end and thence in the same direction and in a straight line to the point where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End from the parish of Caverswall aforesaid is crossed by the footpath leading from Forrister-street towards Park Hall.

“2. And also all that contiguous portion of the said parish of Caverswall which is bounded upon the west by the hereinbefore described portion of the said new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End upon the north-west and upon part of the north-east by the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent aforesaid and upon the remaining sides that is to

say upon the remaining part of the north-east and upon the south-east by an imaginary line commencing at the point where the boundary which divides the said parish of Stoke-upon-Trent from the parish of Caverswall aforesaid intersects the middle of the line of the Longton Adderley Green and Bucknall Railway and extending thence generally south-eastward along the middle of the said line of railway for a distance of seventy-one chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries the said footpath leading from Park Hall towards Forrister-street aforesaid over the same line of railway and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the said footpath for a distance of fifty chains or thereabouts to the point where it crosses the boundary which divides the said parish of Caverswall from the new parish of Saint John the Baptist Lane End aforesaid."

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

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and four have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes to be taken out of the parish (sometime district under 'The Parish of Manchester Division Act 1850') of Saint James Gorton within the original limits of the parish of Manchester in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular part of the said parish of Saint James, Gorton which is hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate district in the manner hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed district any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of Divine Worship.

"And whereas we are satisfied that the said parish of Saint James, Gorton, is a cure within or in parts whereof the provision for public

worship and for pastoral superintendence is insufficient for the spiritual wants of the inhabitants thereof.

"And whereas we are also satisfied that an adequate and permanent maintenance for the support of the minister of the said proposed district and when the said district shall have become a new parish then for the support of the incumbent thereof will be secured as from the date of the licensing or appointment of such minister or incumbent by the payment of a sum of not less than one hundred and fifty pounds which will be annually provided out of the moneys received by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners under the provisions of the said 'Parish of Manchester Division Act 1850.'

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend James, Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that all that part of the said parish of Saint James Gorton, within the original limits of the parish of Manchester as aforesaid, which is more particularly described in the schedule hereunder written and is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed shall upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme become and be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes and that the same shall be named 'The District of Saint George Abbey Hey.'

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The district of Saint George Abbey Hey being all that part of the parish of Saint James Gorton (sometime district under 'The Parish of Manchester Division Act 1850') within the original limits of the parish of Manchester in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester which is bounded upon the south-east by the parish of Christ Church Denton, upon the east by the new parish of Audenshaw, upon the north by the parish of Saint Clement Higher Openshaw all in the county and diocese aforesaid, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the south-west, by an imaginary line commencing at the point where the boundaries of the said parish of Saint Clement, Higher Openshaw of the parish of Saint Barnabas, Openshaw, in the county and diocese aforesaid, and of the parish of Saint James Gorton, aforesaid all meet in the middle of the Manchester and Stockport Canal at the southern end of the bridge or aqueduct which carries such canal over the line of the Great Central Railway, and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the said canal for a distance of sixty-seven chains or thereabouts to the centre of Gorton Bridge which carries the high road from Manchester to Hyde over the same canal, and extending thence eastward along the middle of the said high road for a distance of half a chain or thereabouts to its junction with Reddish-lane and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of eighteen chains or thereabouts to the point where the boundaries of the said parish of Saint James, Gorton, of the parish of Saint Elisabeth Reddish in the county and diocese afore-

said, and of the parish of Christ Church Denton aforesaid all meet."

And whereas drafts of the said scheme have, in accordance with the provisions of the firstly hereinbefore mentioned Act, been transmitted to the patron and to the incumbent of the cure out of which it is intended that the district recommended in such scheme to be constituted shall be taken, and such patron and incumbent have respectively signified their assent to such scheme.

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

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the fifteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Anne Ambergate situate within the limits of the parish or chapelry of Heage in the county of Derby and in the diocese of Southwell.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Anne Ambergate situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend George Bishop of the said diocese of Southwell (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish or chapelry of Heage which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Anne Ambergate situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Anne Ambergate.

"And with the like consent of the said George Bishop of the said diocese of Southwell

(testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint Anne Ambergate situate as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order with respect thereto as to Your Majesty, in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Anne, Ambergate, being:—

"All that part of the parish or chapelry of Heage within the original limits of the parish of Duffield in the county of Derby and in the diocese of Southwell, which is bounded upon the south-west by the parochial chapelry of Belper, in the said county and diocese, upon the west partly by the said parochial chapelry of Belper and partly by the parish of Wirksworth both in the county and diocese aforesaid, upon the north-west and upon the north, by the parish of Crich in the county and diocese aforesaid and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the east by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Crich from the parish or chapelry of Heage aforesaid at the centre of the footbridge called Heeley Bridge which carries over the River Amber the footpath leading from the hamlet of Fritchley into the high road leading from Crich to Ripley and extending thence that is from the said boundary south-westward along the middle of the said footpath for a distance of eight chains and a quarter or thereabouts to its junction with the said high road leading from Crich to Ripley and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the same high road for a distance of seven chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with the roadway leading towards the Bull Bridge Brick Company's Works and extending thence first westward and then southward along the middle of the last-mentioned roadway for a distance of six chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries such roadway over the Ambergate and Pyebridge branch line of the Midland Railway and extending thence westward along the middle of the said branch line of railway for a distance of twenty-eight chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries the road called Bull Bridge-road otherwise Crich-lane over the same branch line of railway and extending thence southward along the middle of the said road for a distance of one mile and thirty-six chains or thereabouts to the boundary at or near to the junction of the same road with the road leading to Broadholm which boundary divides the said parish or chapelry of Heage from the parochial chapelry of Belper aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of

Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Southwell. *A. W. Fitz Roy.*

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the fifteenth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight in the words and figures following; that is to say:—

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Edward Birmingham situate in New John-street West, in the new parish (sometime district) of Saint Stephen Birmingham in the county of Warwick and in the diocese of Worcester.

“Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham and of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Matthias Birmingham in the same county and diocese which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such new parishes respectively.

“And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham and of the said new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Edward Birmingham situate as aforesaid.

“Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend John James Stewart Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester as such Bishop, and also as the alternate patron, in right of his See, of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham, with the consent of the Right Honourable Arthur James Balfour, the First Lord of Your Majesty's Treasury acting on behalf of Your Majesty as the other alternate patron, in right of the Crown, of the same vicarage, with the consents of the Reverend Arthur James Robinson the rector of the rectory

of the parish of Saint Martin Birmingham, Clerk in Holy Orders, of the Reverend George Arthur Sowter, the rector of the rectory of the parish of Saint George Birmingham Clerk in Holy Orders and of the Reverend Walter George Samuel Whicker the rector of the rectory of the parish of Saint Thomas Birmingham Clerk in Holy Orders and as such rectors the present trustee patrons of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation), we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham, and of the said new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Edward Birmingham situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named ‘The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Edward Birmingham.’

“We, therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereto as to Your Majesty in Your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

“The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“The consolidated chapelry of Saint Edward Birmingham comprising:—

“I. All that portion of the new parish (sometime district) of Saint Stephen Birmingham in the county of Warwick, and in the diocese of Worcester, which is bounded upon the south by the new parish of Saint Nicolas Birmingham upon the south-west and upon the west by the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Matthias Birmingham (including the hereinafter described portion thereof) both in the county and diocese aforesaid, and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the north and upon the east, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham from the new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham aforesaid at the junction of Great Russell-street with Frankfort-street and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of fourteen chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with Summer-lane and with Moorsom-street, and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of nine chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with the street called New Town-row, and extending thence southward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of sixteen chains or thereabouts to its junction with Brearley-street upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham from the new parish of Saint Nicolas Birmingham aforesaid.

“II. And also all that contiguous portion of the said new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham which is bounded upon the south by the parish of Saint George Birmingham in the county and diocese aforesaid upon the east upon the north-east and upon part of the north by the above-described portion of the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham, and upon all other sides, that is to say, upon the remaining part of the north and upon the west, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Stephen Birmingham

from the new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham aforesaid at the point where Bridge-street West is intersected by Great Russell-street aforesaid and extending thence southward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of five chains or thereabouts to its junction with New John-street West and extending thence westward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of five chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with the street called Great Hampton-row, and extending thence southward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of seven chains or thereabouts to the point where it is intersected by Brearley-street aforesaid upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Matthias Birmingham from the parish of Saint George Birmingham aforesaid."

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

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty chapter sixty; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the fifteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Your Majesty chapter forty-nine; of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter sixty; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of All Saints Crindau situate within the limits of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Mark, Newport in the county of Monmouth and in the diocese of Llandaff.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of All Saints Crindau situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend Richard Bishop of the said diocese of Llandaff (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all

that part of the said new parish of Saint Mark, Newport which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of All Saints Crindau situate as aforesaid and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of All Saints Crindau.'

"And with the like consent of the said Richard Bishop of the said diocese of Llandaff (testified as aforesaid) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages baptisms churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of All Saints Crindau situate as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

We, therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order with respect thereto as to Your Majesty, in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of All Saints Crindau, being:—

"All that part of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Mark, Newport, in the county of Monmouth and in the diocese of Llandaff, which is bounded upon the north-west partly by the chapelry of Bettws, and partly by the parish of Malpas, both in the said county and diocese, upon the north by the last-named parish, upon the east by the new parish of Saint John the Evangelist Maindee, in the county and diocese aforesaid, upon the south by the parish of Saint Woolos (Newport) in the county and diocese aforesaid and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the south-west, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Saint Woolos (Newport) from the new parish of Saint Mark Newport aforesaid at the centre of the bridge at Newport which carries the line of the South Wales Division of the Great Western Railway over the Monmouthshire Canal and extending thence first generally north-westward and then south-westward along the middle of the said canal for a distance of eighty-one chains or thereabouts to its junction with the Brecon and Newport Canal and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named canal for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Mark, Newport from the chapelry of Bettws aforesaid."

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

like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Llandaff.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the fifteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Mary Doncaster situate within the township of Wheatley in the parish of Doncaster in the county of York and in the diocese of York.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Mary Doncaster situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend William Dalrymple Archbishop of York (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Doncaster which is described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Mary, Doncaster situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Mary Doncaster.'

"And with the like consent of the said William Dalrymple Archbishop of York (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint Mary Doncaster situate as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises

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into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order with respect thereto as to Your Majesty, in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Mary Doncaster being:—

"All that part of the parish of Doncaster in the county of York and in the diocese of York (comprising portions of the township of Wheatley and of the borough of Doncaster) which is bounded upon the west, and upon the north-west, by the district chapelry of Saint Peter Bentley; upon the north by the parish of Arksey both in the said county and diocese; upon the north-east by the township of Long Sandall in the said parish of Doncaster, and, for a small space, at the Doncaster and Thorne High-road, by the Sandhole Plantation, which forms an outlying and isolated portion of the parish of Kirk Sandall in the county and diocese aforesaid as defined for all ecclesiastical purposes; upon the south-east by the new parish of Christ Church Doncaster in the county and diocese aforesaid and upon the remaining side that is to say upon the south-west by an imaginary line commencing at the point where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Christ Church Doncaster from the parish of Doncaster aforesaid crosses the middle of Broxholme-lane a little to the north of the junction of such lane with Highfield-road and Netherhall-road, and extending thence northward along the middle of Broxholme-lane aforesaid for a distance of nine chains or thereabouts, to its junction with the road called The Holmes and with Dockin Hill-road, and extending thence westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of ten chains and a half or thereabouts to its junction with the roadway on the right bank of the River Don called Dockin Hill and extending thence in a straight line and in a direction due north-west for a distance of twenty-seven yards or thereabouts to the boundary in the middle of the said river which divides the said parish of Doncaster from the district chapelry of Saint Peter Bentley aforesaid."

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

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty chapter thirty-seven sections six and eight duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the fifth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-

seven sections six and eight have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the prebend of Henstridge in the cathedral church of Wells and now vested in us.

"Whereas on the vacancy of the said prebend which occurred on or about the twentieth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five by the decease of the Reverend Brook Bridges the then prebendary all the lands and hereditaments then belonging to the said prebend (except rights of patronage) became by virtue of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

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

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

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

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

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

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

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twelfth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and four have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes to be taken partly out of the parish (sometime district under 'The Parish of Manchester Division Act 1850') of Saint John, Heaton Mersey, and partly out of the parish (also sometime district under the last-mentioned Act) of Christ Church, Heaton Norris (both within the original limits of the parish of Manchester) in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular portions of the said parish of Saint John Heaton Mersey and of the said parish of Christ Church Heaton Norris which are hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate district in the manner hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed district any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of Divine worship.

"And whereas we are satisfied that the said parish of Saint John Heaton Mersey and the said parish of Christ Church Heaton Norris are cures wherein or in parts whereof the provision for public worship and for pastoral superintendence is insufficient for the spiritual wants of the inhabitants thereof.

"And whereas we are also satisfied that an adequate and permanent maintenance for the support of the minister of the said proposed district and when the said district shall have become a new parish then, for the support of the incumbent thereof will be secured as from the date of the licensing or appointment of such minister or incumbent, by the payment of a sum of not less than one hundred and fifty pounds which will be annually provided out of the moneys received by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners under the provisions of the said 'Parish of Manchester Division Act 1850.'

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend James, Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical

Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that all those portions of the said parish of Saint John, Heaton Mersey and of the said parish of Christ Church Heaton Norris which are more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written and are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed shall upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme become and be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes and that the same shall be named 'The District of Norris Bank.'

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The District of Norris Bank comprising:—

"I. All that portion of the parish of Saint John Heaton Mersey within the original limits of the parish of Manchester in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester which is bounded upon the south by the consolidated chapelry of Saint Augustine Brinksway in the county and diocese of Chester, upon the east by the parish of Christ Church, Heaton Norris upon the north by the parish of Saint Paul, Heaton Moor, both which last-named parishes are situate within the original limits of the said parish of Manchester, in the said county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester aforesaid, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the west by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Saint Paul Heaton Moor from the parish of Saint John, Heaton Mersey aforesaid at the junction of Green-lane with Thornfield-road and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of seven chains or thereabouts to its junction with Bank Hall-road and extending thence first south-eastward and then southward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of twenty-two chains or thereabouts to its junction with Didsbury-road and extending thence westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to its junction with the footpath which leads from such road past the house called Underbank towards the River Mersey and extending thence generally southward along the middle of the said footpath for a distance of thirty-chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries the Manchester South District branch line of the Midland Railway over such footpath, and extending thence due southward and in a straight line for a distance of eleven chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing the line of the Cheshire Lines Committee Railway) to a point in the middle of the said river upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Saint John Heaton Mersey from the consolidated chapelry of Saint Augustine, Brinksway aforesaid.

"II. And also all that contiguous portion of the said parish of Christ Church Heaton Norris which is bounded upon the west by the above-described portion of the parish of Saint John, Heaton Mersey aforesaid, upon the south partly by the consolidated chapelry of Saint Augustine Brinksway aforesaid and partly by the district chapelry of Saint Peter Stockport in the county and diocese of Chester aforesaid and upon the remaining sides, that is to say upon the north-

east and upon the north by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said district chapelry of Saint Peter, Stockport, from the parish of Christ Church Heaton Norris aforesaid at the centre of the viaduct which carries the Crewe and Manchester line of the London and North Western Railway over the River Mersey aforesaid, and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-mentioned line of railway for a distance of eleven chains or thereabouts to the point where it passes over the middle of the tunnel through which the line of the Cheshire Lines Committee Railway aforesaid is here laid and extending thence westward to and along the middle of the last-mentioned line of railway for a distance of twenty-seven chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said parish of Christ Church, Heaton Norris from the parish of Saint John, Heaton Mersey aforesaid."

And whereas drafts of the said scheme have, in accordance with the provisions of the firstly hereinbefore-mentioned Act, been transmitted to the patrons and to the incumbents of the cures out of which it is intended that the district recommended in such scheme to be constituted shall be taken, and such patrons and incumbents have respectively signified their assent to such scheme:

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

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of Her Majesty chapter sixty-three duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twelfth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England acting in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth chapter seventy-seven of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen and of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of Your Majesty chapter sixty-three have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme with respect to the two Archdeaconries which are now within the diocese of Newcastle to wit the Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and the Archdeaconry of Northumberland and to the Rural Deaneries comprised within such Archdeaconries.

"Whereas it has been represented to us by the Right Reverend Edgar Bishop of the said diocese of Newcastle that the arrangements which are

hereinafter recommended and proposed with respect to the said two Archdeaconries of Lindisfarne and of Northumberland and to certain of the Rural Deaneries therein are desirable and should be carried into effect and we are of opinion that the same may properly be carried into effect.

"And whereas the said arrangements involve (1) the formation of one new Rural Deanery by the name of 'Glendale' in the said Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and (2) the transfer of one cure from the Rural Deanery of Alnwick to the Rural Deanery of Rothbury both in the said Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and (3) the transfer of certain parishes or cures or churches to the Rural Deanery of Newcastle within the said Archdeaconry of Northumberland from certain other Rural Deaneries within the same Archdeaconry.

"And whereas the thirdly hereinbefore-mentioned Act was passed before the date of the creation of the said diocese of Newcastle and therefore no schedule setting forth the portions or divisions of that diocese which at the time of the passing of the same Act were accounted and held to be Rural Deaneries has been or could have been prepared and it appears to us and to the said Edgar Bishop of Newcastle to be convenient to set forth in the Schedule to this scheme annexed the names of all the parishes cures or churches which under the arrangements herein-after recommended and proposed will be situate within and will constitute the several Rural Deaneries of the said Archdeaconries of Lindisfarne and of Northumberland to the intent that so far as legally may be the said Schedule may be and be held to be the statutory schedule of Rural Deaneries in the said two Archdeaconries contemplated by the provisions of the thirdly hereinbefore mentioned Act.

"And whereas inasmuch as the said diocese of Newcastle was taken wholly out of the diocese of Durham the statutory schedule of the Rural Deaneries within the last-named diocese which was duly prepared under the said thirdly hereinbefore-mentioned Act affords (so far as the said Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne is concerned) the basis for the preparation of the Schedule to this scheme annexed as aforesaid.

"And whereas by an Order of Your Majesty in Council bearing date the twenty-sixth day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four and published in the London Gazette on the first day of July in the same year certain rearrangements of the Rural Deaneries within the said Archdeaconry of Northumberland were effected.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Edgar Bishop of the said diocese of Newcastle (in testimony whereof he has set his hand and affixed his episcopal seal to this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that as from the day on which an Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme shall be published in the London Gazette and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order there shall be formed within the said Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne a new Rural Deanery to be named the Rural Deanery of Glendale and to comprise the several parishes or cures or churches respectively set forth in numbered order under the name of such Rural Deanery and that the said Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne and the said Archdeaconry of Northumberland respectively shall comprise and consist of the Rural Deaneries the names of which are set down in order under the name of each of the said two Archdeaconries respectively in the said Schedule to this scheme

annexed and that the name which in such Schedule is given to any Rural Deanery shall be the name thereof and that every parish or cure or church the name of which is set down in the first column of the said Schedule under the name of the said Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne or under the name of the said Archdeaconry of Northumberland aforesaid and under the name of any Rural Deanery in any of the said two Archdeaconries respectively shall belong to and be and form a part of the Archdeaconry and of the Rural Deanery under the respective names of which it appears as aforesaid and shall be subject to the jurisdiction and authority of the Archdeacon of such Archdeaconry and of the Rural Dean of such Rural Deanery respectively and shall not belong to or be or form a part of any other Archdeaconry or Rural Deanery nor be subject to the jurisdiction or authority of any other Archdeacon or Rural Dean.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other matter or thing with respect to the matters aforesaid or any of them under or by virtue of the said Acts or of any of them or of any other Act of Parliament.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The Diocese of Newcastle.

"I. The Archdeaconry of Lindisfarne, comprising the following Rural Deaneries:—

"1. The Rural Deanery of Alnwick, comprising the following parishes, or cures, or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Alnwick... ..	Alnwick
2. Alnwick Saint Paul ...	do.
3. Edlingham (with Bolton)	do.
4. Embleton	do.
5. Rennington-with-Rock	do.
6. Felton	do.
7. Howick	do.
8. Lesbury	do.
9. Alnmouth Saint John the Baptist	do.
10. Longhoughton	do.
11. Shilbottle	do.
12. South Charlton	do.
13. Warkworth	do.
14. Acklington	do.
15. Amble	do.
16. Chevington Saint John	do.

"2. The Rural Deanery of Bamburgh comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Bamburgh	Bamburgh
2. Beadnell	do.
3. Belford	do.
4. Lucker	do.
5. North Sunderland ...	do.
6. Chatton	do.
7. Ellingham	do.

"3. The Rural Deanery of Glendale comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Branxton	Norham
2. Chillingham	Bamburgh
3. Doddington	do.
4. Eglington (with Bewick and Lilburn)	do.
5. Ford	Norham
6. Etal Saint Mary	do.
7. Ilderton	Bamburgh
8. Ingram	Rothbury
9. Kirknewton	Bamburgh
10. Wooler	do.

"4. The Rural Deanery of Morpeth comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Bolam	Morpeth
2. Bothal and Sheepwash (with Hebburn)	do.
3. Ashington	do.
4. Longhirst Saint John	do.
5. Hartburn	do.
6. Cambo	do.
7. Netherwitton... ..	do.
8. Longhorsley	do.
9. Meldon	do.
10. Mitford	do.
11. Morpeth (with Saint James)	do.
12. Ulgham	do.
13. Whalton... ..	do.
14. Woodhorn (with Newbiggin and Seaton Hirst Saint John)	do.
15. Cresswell	do.
16. Widdrington	do.

"5. The Rural Deanery of Norham comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Berwick-upon-Tweed ...	Norham
2. Berwick-upon-Tweed Saint Mary	do.
3. Carham	do.
4. Holy Island	do.
5. Ancroft	do.
6. Kyoeloe	do.
7. Lowick	do.
8. Scremerston	do.
9. Spittal Saint John the Evangelist	do.
10. Tweedmouth	do.
11. Norham	do.
12. Cornhill	do.
13. Duddo	do.

"6. The Rural Deanery of Rothbury comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Alnham	Rothbury
2. Alwinton with Holystone	do.
3. Elsdon (with Otterburn)	do.
4. Byrness	do.
5. Horsley	do.
6. Long Framlington with Brinkburn	Alnwick
7. Rothbury (with Hepple)...	Rothbury
8. Whittingham	do.

"II. The Archdeaconry of Northumberland comprising the following Rural Deaneries:—

"1. The Rural Deanery of Bedlington comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Bedlington	Bedlington
2. Cambois	do.
3. Choppington	do.
4. Cramlington	do.
5. Earsdon	do.
6. Blyth Saint Cuthbert	do.
7. Delaval	do.
8. Seghill	do.
9. Horton	do.
10. Blyth Saint Mary	do.
11. Long Benton	do.
12. Killingworth	do.
13. Stannington	do.

"2. The Rural Deanery of Bellingham comprising the following parishes or cures or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Chollerton	Bellingham
2. Birtley	do.
3. Corsenside	do.
4. Kirkharle	do.
5. Kirkheaton	do.
6. Kirk Whelpington	do.
7. Simonburn	do.
8. Bellingham	do.
9. Falstone	do.
10. Greystead	do.
11. Humshaugh	do.
12. Thorneyburn	do.
13. Wark	do.
14. Thockrington	do.

“3. The Rural Deanery of Corbridge, comprising the following parishes, or cures, or churches :—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Bywell Saint Andrew (with Riding Mill Saint James)	Corbridge
2. Shotley	do.
3. Blanchland	do.
4. Bywell Saint Peter	do.
5. Healey Saint John	do.
6. Newton Hall Saint James	do.
7. Whittonstall	do.
8. Corbridge (with Halton)	do.
9. Heddon on the Wall	do.
10. Ovingham	do.
11. Mickley	do.
12. Prudhoe Saint Mary Magdalene	do.
13. Stamfordham	do.
14. Matfen	do.

“4. The Rural Deanery of Hexham, comprising the following parishes, or cures, or churches :—

[Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Allendale	Hexham
2. Allendale Saint Peter	do.
3. Ninebanks	do.
4. West Allen otherwise Carshield	do.
5. Alston (with Garrigill)...	do.
6. Nenthead	do.
7. Haltwhistle	do.
8. Beltingham with Henshaw	do.
9. Greenhead	do.
10. Hexham... ..	do.
11. Whitley	do.
12. Kirkhaugh	do.
13. Knaresdale	do.
14. Lambley... ..	do.
15. Saint John Lee	do.
16. Bingfield Saint Mary and Saint Oswald in Lee (with Saint George Wall on Tyne)	do.
17. Slaley	do.
18. Warden	do.
19. Haydon Bridge	do.
20. Whitfield	do.

“5. The Rural Deanery of Newcastle, comprising the following parishes, or cures, or churches :—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Newburn (with Dalton and Throckley)	Newcastle
2. Sugley Holy Trinity ...	do.
3. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Nicholas	do.
4. Gosforth Saint Nicholas (with All Saints)	do.
5. North Gosforth ...	do.
6. Newcastle-upon-Tyne All Saints	do.
7. Byker Saint Anthony	do.
8. Byker Saint Michael	do.
9. Byker Saint Silas ...	do.
10. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Ann	do.
11. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Cuthbert	do.
12. Shieldfield Christ Church	do.
13. Shieldfield Saint Jude	do.
14. Newcastle-upon-Tyne Saint Andrew	do.
15. Jesmond	do.
16. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint George	do.
17. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Luke	do.
18. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Peter	do.
19. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Thomas	do.
20. Newcastle-upon-Tyne Saint John	do.
21. Benwell Saint Aidan	do.
22. Benwell Saint James	do.
23. High Elswick Saint Paul	do.
24. High Elswick Saint Philip	do.
25. Low Elswick Saint Stephen	do.
26. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Augustine	do.
27. Newcastle - upon - Tyne, Saint Mary the Virgin	do.
28. Newcastle - upon - Tyne Saint Matthew	do.
29. Ponteland	Corbridge
30. Dinnington... ..	Bedlington
31. Walker	Tynemouth

"6. The Rural Deanery of Tynemouth, comprising the following parishes, or cures, or churches:—

Parish or Cure or Church.	Rural Deanery within which Parish or Cure or Church has hitherto been situate.
1. Tynemouth	Tynemouth
2. Cullercoats (commonly called Whitley Saint Paul)	do.
3. Cullercoats Saint George	do.
4. Tynemouth, Saint Augustine	do.
5. Tynemouth, Holy Trinity	do.
6. Tynemouth, Percy ...	do.
7. Tynemouth, Priory ...	do.
8. Tynemouth, Saint Peter	do.
9. Wallsend	do.
10. Howden Panns	do.
11. Wallsend, Saint Luke	do.
12. Willington	do."

And whereas notices of the said scheme have been transmitted to the two Archdeacons affected by the scheme that is to say, to the Archdeacon of Lindisfarne and to the Archdeacon of Northumberland and they have each expressed their approval of the same.

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

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Her Majesty chapter thirty-nine, and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, the Act of the fourth and fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, and the Act of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twelfth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-nine and of the Acts therein mentioned, that is to say, the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, the Act of the fourth and fifth years

of Your Majesty, chapter thirty-nine, and the Act of the thirty-first and thirty-second years of Your Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for effecting a transfer of the ownership of the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the church and cure (hereinafter called 'the said benefice') of Blackmore in the county of Essex and in the diocese of Saint Alban's.

"Whereas the advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Blackmore is vested for an estate in fee simple without incumbrances in Charles Ranken Vickerman Longbourne, of Number 7 Lincoln's-inn-fields in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, and his heirs and assigns.

"And whereas the said Charles Ranken Vickerman Longbourne is desirous that the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Blackmore, now vested in him as aforesaid should be transferred to and be vested in the Bishop for the time being of the said diocese of Saint Alban's.

"And whereas the Right Reverend John Wogan, now Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Alban's is willing to accept such transfer and in token of such his willingness and also in token that the same transfer has that consent of the Bishop of the diocese which by the Acts in the hereinbefore mentioned Act recited or by some or one of them is made necessary, he the said John Wogan, Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Alban's has executed this scheme as hereinafter mentioned.

"And whereas the transfer of the patronage of the said benefice of Blackmore which is hereinbefore mentioned and hereinafter recommended and proposed will in our opinion tend to make better provision for the cure of souls in the parish or district in or in respect of which the right of patronage or advowson so recommended and proposed to be transferred as aforesaid arises or exists that is to say in the parish of Blackmore.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Charles Ranken Vickerman Longbourne (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) and with the consent of the said John Wogan, Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Alban's (in testimony whereof he has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his episcopal seal) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme, and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the whole advowson or perpetual right of patronage of and presentation to the said benefice of Blackmore now vested in him the said Charles Ranken Vickerman Longbourne and his heirs and assigns as aforesaid, shall be transferred from him and them to the said John Wogan, Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Alban's and his successors Bishops of the same diocese, and shall thereupon and thenceforth become and be absolutely vested in and shall and may from time to time be exercised by the said John Wogan Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Alban's and by his successors Bishops of the same diocese for ever.

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

said Acts or of any of them or of any other Act of Parliament."

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

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS Henry Best Hans Hamilton, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law duly appointed in pursuance of "The Municipal Corporations Act 1882" as Commissioner for determining the boundaries of the Wards of the Borough of Oswestry and for apportioning the Councillors thereto has transmitted to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State his Scheme in the following terms:—

"BOROUGH OF OSWESTRY.

"WHEREAS Her Majesty has been pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council and in pursuance and in exercise of the power vested in Her Majesty by 'The Municipal Corporations Act 1882' as amended by 'The Municipal Corporations Act 1893' to fix the number of wards into which the borough of Oswestry shall be divided and to order and direct that the said borough shall be divided into six wards which Order was made on the twentieth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

"And whereas on the fourth day of November in the year last aforesaid the Right Honorable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State did duly warrant and appoint me Henry Best Hans Hamilton Esquire Barrister-at-Law a Commissioner to prepare a scheme for determining the boundaries of such wards and for apportioning the Councillors of the said borough among such wards.

"Now, I, the said Henry Best Hans Hamilton, in pursuance of the powers given me by virtue of the said appointment under the said Acts, do hereby determine, as hereinafter mentioned, the boundaries of the six wards into which the said borough is divided, which said wards are hereinafter named and numbered as follows that is to say:—

- "1. The Castle Ward.
- "2. The South Ward.
- "3. The East Ward.
- "4. The West Ward.
- "5. The Central Ward.
- "6. The North Ward.

"No. 1. The Castle Ward.

"I do hereby determine that the Castle Ward shall comprise so much of the borough of Oswestry as is contained within an imaginary line commencing at a point on the borough boundary in the Mount-road situate near the Hayes and continuing in a south-easterly direction along the centre of Mount-road aforesaid and Willow-street to the centre of Willow-street opposite Castle-street thence in an easterly direction along the

centre of Castle-street to a point in the centre of Castle-street opposite Trinity-street thence in a north-easterly direction along the centre of Trinity-street to a point in the centre of Trinity-street aforesaid opposite Albert-road thence along the centre of Albert-road to the centre of the North end of York-street thence in a northerly direction along the centre of York-street as far as the first fence, for a distance of forty-three yards thence in a north-westerly direction for a distance of two hundred and five yards to the borough boundary, and thence along the said borough boundary to the point of commencement in Mount-road aforesaid; being the area coloured yellow on the Ordnance plan hereto annexed and marked with the letter 'E' and signed by me.

"No. 2. The South Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that the South Ward shall comprise so much of the borough of Oswestry as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing at the boundary stone in Pool-road and proceeding in a south-easterly direction along the borough boundary to Maesbury-road thence across the said Maesbury-road and continuing along the said borough boundary aforesaid for a distance of seventy-eight yards in an easterly direction thence in a southerly direction for a distance of one hundred and eighty yards to a point near Red House, and thence along the centre of the said Maesbury-road to a point opposite Weston-lane at Mile Oak, thence in a north-easterly direction along the said borough boundary aforesaid for a distance of one hundred and eighty yards thence in a southerly and easterly direction for a distance of five hundred and eighty yards and thence in a northerly direction to Shrewsbury-road, thence along the said Shrewsbury-road following the borough boundary to a point one hundred and five yards on the east of the first mile stone in the said Shrewsbury-road aforesaid thence in a northerly direction along the borough boundary to Middleton-road proceeding thence in a westerly direction along the centre of Middleton-road crossing Salop-road near Holy Trinity Church thence in a south-westerly direction along centre of Roff-street to a point in the centre of Lower Brook-street near the Victoria Rooms thence in a westerly direction along the centre of Lower Brook-street to its junction with Pool-road and thence in a southerly direction along the centre of Pool-road to the point of commencement at the boundary stone aforesaid in Pool-road; being the area coloured purple on the Ordnance plan hereto annexed and marked with the letter 'E' and signed by me.

"No. 3. The East Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that the East Ward shall consist of so much of the borough of Oswestry as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing in the centre of Whittington-road at a point where the borough boundary meets the said Whittington-road aforesaid and continuing in a south-westerly direction along the centre of Whittington-road under the centre of the Great Western Railway Bridge up to the centre of Holyhead-road now called Beatrice-street opposite Llwyn-road along the centre of Beatrice-street and Leg-street to a point in the centre of Leg-street opposite English Walls thence along the centre of English Walls to a point in the centre of English Walls opposite Smithfield-road thence along Smithfield-road to a point in the centre of Roff-street opposite Smithfield-road aforesaid thence along centre of Roff-street in an easterly direction crossing Salop-road and thence along centre of Middleton-road to a point where the

boundary of the borough is reached and thence following the said borough boundary to the point of commencement in the centre of Whittington-road aforesaid; being the area coloured green on the Ordnance plan hereto annexed and marked with the letter 'E' and signed by me.

"No. 4. The West Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that the West Ward shall consist of so much of the borough of Oswestry as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing at the borough boundary stone in the Mount-road near the Hayes thence in a westerly direction following the borough boundary through the Oswestry reservoirs to a point near Cross-lanes thence in a southerly direction to Oerley Farm thence in a westerly direction continuing along the said borough boundary for a distance of four hundred and eighty-three yards to a point near Summerhill Cottage, thence in a south-westerly direction continuing along the said borough boundary for a distance of nine hundred and seventeen yards and thence in an easterly direction for a distance of two thousand three hundred and fifty yards crossing Broomhall-lane and Trefonen-road and continuing through Maesylan and Beechfield grounds following the borough boundary to the boundary stone in Pool-road thence in a northerly direction along the centre of Pool-road aforesaid to a point opposite the centre of Upper Brook-street thence along the centre of Upper Brook-street to a point opposite the centre of the Welsh Walls thence along the centre of the Welsh Walls aforesaid to the junction of the said Welsh Walls with Willow-street thence in a north-westerly direction along centre of Willow-street and Mount-road to the boundary stone in Mount-road the point of commencement aforesaid; being the area coloured red on the Ordnance plan hereto annexed and marked with the letter 'E' and signed by me.

"No. 5. The Central Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that the Central Ward shall consist of so much of the borough of Oswestry as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing at a point in the centre of the junction of Church-street, Upper Church-street, Upper Brook-street and Lower Brook-street and proceeding thence in a westerly direction along the centre of Upper Brook-street to a point opposite the centre of Welsh Walls at Lloran House, thence in a northerly direction along the centre of Welsh Walls to its junction with Willow-street across Willow-street and along the centre of Castle-street to a point where Castle-street aforesaid joins Beatrice-street thence along the centre of Beatrice-street and Leg-street to a point opposite the centre of English Walls near the Bear Inn, thence along the centre of English Walls to its junction with Smithfield-road, opposite the Golden Tankard Inn thence along centre of Smithfield-road to the centre of Roff-street opposite Ferrers-road thence along centre of Roff-street to a point in the centre of Lower Brook-street near Victoria Rooms and thence along the centre of Lower Brook-street to the point of commencement aforesaid, being the area coloured blue on the Ordnance plan hereto annexed and marked with the letter 'E' and signed by me.

"No. 6. The North Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that the North Ward shall consist of so much of the borough of Oswestry as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing at a point on the borough boundary in the centre of Whittington-road at a distance of four hundred and ten yards in a north-easterly direction from the Great Western Railway

bridge continuing thence in a westerly direction along the said borough boundary crossing the Great Western Railway Cobowen-road and Llwyn-road to the boundary of Castle Ward at the fence between fields numbered 427, 428, 429, and 430 on the Ordnance plan thence in a south-easterly direction along the line of fence to a point in the centre of York-street thence along the centre of York-street to its junction with Albert-road thence along the centre of Albert-road to a point opposite the centre of Trinity-street thence along the centre of Trinity-street to its junction with Castle-street thence in an easterly direction along the centre of Castle-street to its junction with Beatrice-street thence in a north-easterly direction along the centre of Beatrice-street and Whittington-road to the point of commencement aforesaid, being the area coloured brown on the Ordnance plan hereto annexed and marked with the letter 'E' and signed by me.

"And I do hereby assign and apportion three Councillors to each and every of the said wards as follows, that is to say:—

"The Castle Ward.—Richard Hopley Mason, Edward Roberts, William Henry Plimmer.

"The South Ward.—William Henry Lacon, John Maclardy, George Perks.

"The East Ward.—Watkin Thomas Jones, Thomas Edwards, Richard Daniel.

"The West Ward.—William Martin, Samuel Lloyd, Everitt Britton Thompson.

"The Central Ward.—William Aylmer Lewis, Charles Edmondson Williams, Edward Bremner Smith.

"The North Ward.—Robert Howell Davies, Thomas Poole, Samuel Parry Jones.

"Dated this twenty-eighth day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

"H. B. HANS HAMILTON Commissioner."

Now therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said scheme of the said Commissioner, and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly. *A. W. FitzRoy.*

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds

or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also, that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish:

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

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has made a representation stating that he is of opinion that so much of the Order of Her Majesty in Council of the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy, as relates to burials in the parish of Chatham, in the county of Kent, should be varied by substituting for the directions contained therein the following Order, viz. :—

CHATHAM, SAINT MARY.—Forthwith and entirely in the additional Churchyard of Saint Mary's Chatham.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the eighteenth day of March next;

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette, and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parish affected by such representation, one month before the said eighteenth day of March. *A. W. FitzRoy.*

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act

"concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the incumbent and vestry clerk or churchwardens of such parish:

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

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbent and the churchwardens of the parish hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has made a representation stating that he is of opinion that so much of the Order of Her Majesty in Council of the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, as relates to burials in the Parish Church of Melton Mowbray, in the county of Leicester, should be varied by substituting for the directions contained therein with respect to the said church the following Order, viz. :—

MELTON MOWBRAY.—Forthwith and entirely in Saint Mary's Parish Church, in the county of Leicester, and in the churchyard.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into

consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the eighteenth day of March next.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette, and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parish affected by such representation, one month before the said eighteenth day of March.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 2nd day of February, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council:

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has, under the provisions of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with the following modifications, viz. :—

COSBY, LEICESTER.—Forthwith and entirely in Cosby Church in the county of Leicester; and in the churchyard after the thirtieth November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine except as follows :—

In partly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

COMPTON BEAUCHAMP, BERKS.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church of Compton Beauchamp in the county of Berks and in the old part of the churchyard.

BEETHAM, WESTMORLAND.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Beetham in the county of Westmorland; and also in the churchyard except as follows :—

(a.) In wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In partly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

(c.) In earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the widows and widowers of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

STAVERTON, NORTHANTS.—Forthwith and entirely in Staverton Church in the county of Northampton; and also in the churchyard

after the thirty-first July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine except as follows :—

In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

SKEGNESS, LINCOLNSHIRE.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Skegness in the county of Lincoln and in the old part of the churchyard.

FRISKNEY, LINCOLNSHIRE.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Friskney in the county of Lincoln and in the old part of the churchyard.

CRAMLINGTON, NORTHUMBERLAND.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Cramlington in the county of Northumberland; and also in the churchyard except :—

(a.) In vaults now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In partly walled and earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

CEFNLLYS, RADNORSHIRE.—Forthwith and entirely in the Congregational Chapel at Caebach near Llandrindod Wells in the county of Radnor; and also in the chapelyard except for the burial of Mrs. William Dyke, at her decease, in a grave not less than five feet deep.

HOPESAY, SALOP.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church of Hopesay in the county of Salop; and also in the old part of the churchyard, except :—

(a.) In partly walled graves now existing on the north side of the church burials may be allowed of the relations of those interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet.

(b.) In reserved grave spaces, not exceeding two in number which have never before been buried in and which when opened are free from water, burials may be allowed provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet.

Burials shall also be discontinued both in the old and new parts of the churchyard within twelve yards of any dwelling-house.

GREAT RISSINGTON, GLOUCESTER.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church of Great Rissington in the county of Gloucester; and also in the old part of the churchyard except :—

(a.) In wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In reserved grave spaces not exceeding three in number, which have never before been buried in and which when opened are free from water, burials may be allowed of members of the families to whom they have been allotted, provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet.

MELTON MOWBRAY, LEICESTER.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church Cemetery, Kingstreet, Melton Mowbray, in the county of Leicester except as follows :—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately en-

closed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In partly walled and earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the widows, widowers, parents, and unmarried children, of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the eighteenth day of March next:

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette; and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation one month before the said eighteenth day of March.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 2nd day of February, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has, under the provisions of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial ground should be opened in the undermentioned parish without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with the following modifications, viz.:-

DENTON, NORTHAMPTON. — Forthwith and entirely in the Church and in the original churchyard of the parish of Denton, in the county of Northampton.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the eleventh day of March next:

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette; and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the church or chapel of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parish affected by such representation one month before the said eleventh day of March.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 2nd day of February, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of Her Majesty's reign,

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

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

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

In the Parish Churchyard of Hemyock, in the county of Devon, until the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

In the Parish Churchyard of Bottisham, in the county of Cambridge, until the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

In the Parish Churchyard of Wellow, in the county of Somerset, until the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

In the Parish Churchyard of Hook Norton, in the county of Oxford, until the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

In the Churchyard of Saint Sampson Cricklade, in the county of Wilts, until the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 2nd day of February, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

And whereas an Order in Council was made on the fifteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, directing the discontinuance of burials in, amongst other places, the church, and, with certain exceptions, in the

churchyard of Cricklade Saint Sampson, in the county of Wilts; and whereas it seems fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the said Order in so far as it affects burials in the said churchyard be varied:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said Order be varied by the addition of the following clause (d) to the Article in the said Order relating to burials in the church and churchyard of Cricklade Saint Sampson, viz. :—

(d) In a reserved grave space on the north side of the church which has never before been buried in, and which when opened is free from water, burial may be allowed of the Reverend Henry J. Morton and so many members of his family (at their decease) as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet.
A. W. FitzRoy.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight* the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish:

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish

hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, made a representation stating that for the protection of the public health no new burial ground should be opened in the undermentioned parish without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with certain modifications:

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the twenty-ninth day of November last, to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette and copies thereof have been affixed, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that no new burial ground shall be opened in the undermentioned parish without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials in the said parish shall be discontinued, as follows; viz. :—

STONE, STAFFORD.—Forthwith and entirely in the Church of Saint Michael's, Stone, in the county of Stafford, and in the churchyard within four feet of its boundaries; and also in the rest of the churchyard after the thirty-first of December, one thousand nine hundred, except as follows:—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b.) In earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains:

(c.) In reserved grave spaces which have never before been buried in, and which, when opened, are free from water, burials may be allowed of so many members of the families to whom they may be allotted as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet.

And forthwith and entirely in the Christchurch, Stone, in the county of Stafford; and also in the churchyard after the thirty-first of December, one thousand nine hundred, except as follows:—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b.) In earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains:

(c.) In reserved grave spaces which have never before been buried in, and which, when opened, are free from water, burials may be allowed of so many members of the families to whom they may be allotted, as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet.
A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February*, 1899.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish:

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter named ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, made a representation, stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with certain modifications:

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the twentieth day of October last, to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette and copies thereof have been affixed, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that no new burial-ground shall be opened in the undermentioned

parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued as follows, viz. :—

LLANDRILLO - IN - EDEIRNION, MERIONETH.—

Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Llandrillo-in-Edeirnion, in the county of Merioneth; and also in the churchyard after the thirtieth April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

SAINT MARGARET, DURHAM.—

Forthwith and entirely in the church of Saint Margaret, Durham, and in the original churchyard surrounding the church; also in the portion of the churchyard added in one thousand eight hundred and twenty except for the burial of William Cherry and Mrs. Thompson (widow of Obadiah Cherry) at their decease, in vaults or graves not less than five feet deep; also in the portion added in one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, except as follows :—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b.) In partly walled and earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

LYONS, DURHAM.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Lyons, in the county of Durham, and in the churchyard within seventeen yards of any dwelling house; also in the rest of the churchyard, except as follows :—

(a.) In earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the widows, widowers, parents, and children of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains:

(b.) In reserved grave spaces which have never before been buried in, which, when opened, are free from water, burials may be allowed of so many members of the families to whom they may be allotted as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet.

BRADNINCH, DEVON.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Bradninch in the county of Devon; and also in the old churchyard, except as follows :—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b.) In partly walled and earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the relations of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

(c.) In reserved grave spaces for the interment of the Reverend C. Croslegh, D.D., and so many members of his family (at their decease) as can be buried at or below the depth of five feet.

And forthwith and entirely in the Baptist Chapel at Bradninch in the county of Devon; and also in the old chapelyard, except as follows :—

In wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

LOSTOCK GRALAM.—Forthwith and entirely in

the Parish Church of Lostock Gralam; in the county of Chester; and also in the old part of the churchyard after the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, except as follows:—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In such earthen graves now existing burials may be allowed of the widows, widowers, parents, and unmarried children of those already interred therein provided the bodies can be deposited at or below the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains.

SHIREBROOK, DERBY.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Shirebrook, in the county of Derby, and in the parts of the churchyard lying to the north, north-east, and north-west of the church, and within eight feet of the eastern boundary of the churchyard; and also after the first June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, in the rest of the churchyard, except as follows:—

(a.) In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) For the burial in a reserved grave space of Mrs. Fowler at her decease.

FULFORD, STAFFORD.—Forthwith and entirely in the Parish Church of Fulford, in the county of Stafford; and in the old part of the churchyard, except as follows:—

In vaults and wholly walled graves now existing burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

A. W. FitzRoy.

Privy Council Office, February 2, 1899.

WHEREAS the Governing Body of Rugby School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," did, on the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, make a Statute altering Statute XIV of the Statutes of the School.

And whereas the said Statute has this day been laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in the London Gazette in pursuance of the said Act.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorized so to do in that Act, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold Her approval from the whole or any part of such Statute.

STATUTE made by the Governing Body of Rugby School on the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

That the following alteration be made to Statute XIV, namely, that after the words "fourteen years old" the words "on the first of July next preceding his admission" be inserted.

In testimony whereof the said Governing Body have caused their Common Seal to be hereunto affixed.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the above-named Governing Body of Rugby School in the presence of
Leigh,

A Member of the Governing Body.



Privy Council Office, February 2, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by the Company for Propagation of the Gospel in New England and the parts adjacent in America, praying for the grant of a SUPPLEMENTARY CHARTER; and that Her Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, the same will be taken into consideration by their Lordships on the eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Privy Council Office, February 2, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty by the Council of the City of Liverpool, praying, under the provisions of "The Local Government Board's Provisional Order Confirmation (No. 10) Act, 1895," Session 2, for the division of the Sefton Park Ward of the City of Liverpool into two Wards, and for the increase of the number of Councillors by three, and the number of Aldermen by one; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Admiralty, 31st January, 1899.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Lieutenant John Baylay Harrison has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 30th January, 1899.

Admiralty, 2nd February, 1899.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Benjamin Whitehouse has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander on the Retired List. Dated 25th January, 1899.

The undermentioned Officer has been confirmed as a Lieutenant on the Supplementary List of Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Montague George Philpott.

Dated 1st October, 1898.

War Office, Pall Mall,

3rd February, 1899.

5th Dragoon Guards, Captain Claude H. Stuart, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Captain, vice D. Maclachlan, who exchanges. Dated 4th February, 1899.

6th Dragoon Guards, Second Lieutenant W. E. Watson to be Lieutenant, vice C. H. Campbell, promoted into 8th Hussars. Dated 25th January, 1899.

3rd Hussars, Second Lieutenant R. R. Henderson to be Lieutenant, vice G. C. Preston, deceased. Dated 14th January, 1899.

4th Hussars, Major Frederick D. Baillie retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Captain Reginald Hoare to be Major, vice F. D. Baillie. Dated 4th February, 1899.

6th Dragoons, Second Lieutenant Ernest Charles Scott Jervis, from 9th Battalion the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 4th February, 1899.

10th Hussars, Second Lieutenant Charles W. B. Prescott resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

15th Hussars, Lieutenant James A. S. Balmain to be Captain, vice R. L. Aspinall, retired. Dated 25th January, 1899.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable Hugh Edwardes to be Lieutenant, vice J. A. S. Balmain. Dated 25th January, 1899.

Royal Engineers, Second Lieutenant Reginald Walker to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th January, 1899.

Royal Engineer Troops, Captain George P. Scholfeld to be Adjutant, vice Captain H. B. Williams, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 23rd January, 1899.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant Henry J. Desvœux resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Coldstream Guards, Supernumerary Captain Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, Bart., to be Captain, vice C. J. Hawker, seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 18th January, 1899.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—
Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, Bart., vice the Honourable Henry C. Legge, M.V.O., promoted Lieutenant-Colonel on half-pay. Dated 25th January, 1899.

James A. G. Drummond-Hay, on augmentation. Dated 1st February, 1899.

Second Lieutenant W. H. V. Darell to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 1st February, 1899.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICT.

Brevet Colonel J. O. Quirk, C.B., D.S.O., from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, to be Colonel to command the 41st Regimental District (the Welsh Regiment), vice Colonel H. B. MacCall, C.B., who has vacated that appointment. Dated 26th January, 1899.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant C. D. H. Moore to be Lieutenant, vice W. M. C. Crowe, promoted. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant Walter L. Thurnburn to be Captain, vice J. F. Wolseley, seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 18th January, 1899.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel George Robert Stone, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Major Llewellyn S. Mellor to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice G. R. Stone. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The Norfolk Regiment, Second Lieutenant C. R. T. Annesley to be Lieutenant, vice J. W. V. Carroll, seconded. Dated 31st December, 1898.

The Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant Edward C. Wren to be Captain, vice E. FitzG. M. Wood, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Second Lieutenant E. J. F. Vaughan to be Lieutenant, vice E. C. Wren. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant Francis A. P. Wilkins to be Adjutant, vice Captain C. A. H. Brett, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 10th January, 1899.

The East Yorkshire Regiment, Major John R. Young is placed on retired pay. Dated 3rd February, 1899.

The Royal Irish Regiment, Captain and Brevet Major Beauchamp J. C. Doran to be Major, vice H. W. N. Guinness, promoted. Dated 16th January, 1899.

Supernumerary Captain Walter Edgeworth-Johnstone to be Captain, vice Brevet Major B. J. C. Doran. Dated 16th January, 1899.

The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant T. W. Stansfeld to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. Dent, seconded. Dated 15th December, 1898.

Second Lieutenant Ernest Scott Broun, from 3rd Regiment Royal Jersey Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, vice M. D. Carey, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Reginald Y. Morris, vice H. E. Gogarty, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 1st September, 1898.

Edwin E. Blaine, vice W. Hayes-Sadler, seconded. Dated 22nd December, 1898.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

John Duncan, vice R. Y. Morris. Dated 6th September, 1898.

Alban D. Lewes, vice E. E. Blaine. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant the Honourable Maurice P. Macnaghten is antedated to 25th July, 1898, vice G. R. K. Williams, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps.

Second Lieutenant R. M. Burgoyne to be Lieutenant, vice D. H. A. Dick, promoted. Dated 25th August, 1898.

The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, The appointment to a Second Lieutenantcy of Second Lieutenant E. C. S. Jervis, from 9th Battalion the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), which was notified in the Gazette of 3rd January, 1899, is cancelled.

The King's Own Scottish Borderers, Second Lieutenant W. T. Wilkinson to be Lieutenant, vice N. E. Playfair, seconded. Dated 25th November, 1898.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant Charles E. Tuson to be Captain, vice M. F. Colchester-Wemyss, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 11th January, 1899.

Second Lieutenant W. J. Maxwell-Scott to be Lieutenant, vice C. E. Tuson. Dated 11th January, 1899.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Captain Donald Maclachlan, from 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice C. H. Stuart, who exchanges. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Second Lieutenant R. St. J. Carmichael to be Lieutenant, vice C. A. Fedden, seconded. Dated 2nd January, 1899.

The Royal Sussex Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles H. W. Cafe, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 2nd February, 1899.

Major James C. Young to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. H. W. Cafe. Dated 2nd February, 1899.

Second Lieutenant E. F. Villiers to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. Parker, seconded. Dated 7th January, 1899.

The Welsh Regiment, Major and Brevet Colonel James Sillem retires on retired pay. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Captain H. D'Alton Harkness to be Major, vice Brevet Colonel J. Sillem. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

R. H. Metge, vice H. R. Westmacott, promoted. Dated 7th December, 1898.

W. A. G. Moore, vice E. S. Jackson, seconded. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Lieutenant Frederic J. Rauford to be Captain, vice F. B. Maurice, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 1st January, 1899.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

Charles J. Markham, vice E. W. Herbert, promoted. Dated 15th October, 1898.

Gerald N. Prendergast, vice R. G. Buchanan-Riddell, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1898.

Second Lieutenant J. H. Davidson to be Lieutenant, vice G. S. St. Aubyn, seconded. Dated 31st December, 1898.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Supernumerary Captain Robert W. Trim to be Captain, vice A. A. S. Barnes, seconded. Dated 1st February, 1899.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), The Christian names of Lieutenant William Francis Brougham Radclyffe Dugmore, D.S.O., are as now described, and not as previously stated.

The Gordon Highlanders, Second Lieutenant J. D. Dalrymple-Hay to be Lieutenant, vice G. D. Mackenzie, D.S.O., seconded. Dated 17th December, 1898.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain Harry P. Moulton-Barrett is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 1st October, 1898.

The restoration to the establishment of Supernumerary Captain F. L. La Caze Jackson is vice H. P. Moulton-Barrett, dated 1st October, 1898, and not as stated in the Gazette of 24th January, 1899.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Lieutenant John E. Gough to be Captain, vice A. V. J. Cowell, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Second Lieutenant C. O. B. Blewitt to be Lieutenant, vice J. E. Gough. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Gentleman Cadet Warburton Edward Davies, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice C. O. B. Blewitt. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The Royal Army Medical Corps, Captain Julian P. S. Hayes to be Major. Dated 30th January, 1899.

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The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 29th January, 1899:—

Frederick S. Brereton.

John C. B. Statham.

Robert M. Le H. Cooper, M.B.

Edwin C. Hayes.

Percy J. Probyn.

Anthony H. Waring.

Arthur W. Hooper.

William A. Ward.

Edmund G. Forrest, M.B.

Staff, Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Brackenbury, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., from President of the Ordnance Committee, to be Inspector-General of Ordnance at Head-Quarters, with the temporary rank of General whilst so employed, vice Lieutenant-General Sir E. Markham, K.C.B., appointed Governor and Commandant of the Royal Military College. Dated 6th February, 1899.

Brevet Colonel J. P. Brabazon, C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, to be a Colonel on the Staff to command a Cavalry Brigade, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Colonel (temporary Major-General) J. D. P. French, appointed a Major-General on the Staff. Dated 28th January, 1899.

Colonel B. Duff, C.I.E., Indian Staff Corps, to be Assistant Military Secretary (for Indian Affairs), at Head-Quarters, vice Major-General M. Protheroe, C.B., C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 30th January, 1899.

Royal Military Academy, Lieutenant F. M. Close, Royal Engineers, to be an Instructor. Dated 25th January, 1899.

Lieutenant W. Ellershaw, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant of a Company of Gentlemen Cadets, vice Captain H. Coningham, Royal Artillery, promoted. Dated 11th January, 1899.

Indian Staff Corps, Lieutenant-General Alexander George Ross, C.B., is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 20th January, 1899.

Major-General Sir George Corrie Bird, K.C.I.E., C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th January, 1899.

Colonel Richard Melville Clifford to be Major-General. Dated 20th January, 1899.

Army Chaplains' Department, The Reverend G. H. Andrews, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces Fourth Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces Third Class. Dated 31st December, 1898.

Army Ordnance Department, The promotions to the rank of Commissary of Ordnance of the undermentioned Deputy Commissaries of Ordnance and Honorary Captains are antedated to 14th November, 1898:—

J. Hodgson.

T. J. Warnes.

The seconding of Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Captain J. Hodgson is antedated to 14th November, 1898.

The promotion to the rank of Deputy-Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Captain of Assistant-Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Lieutenant F. E. Kirby is antedated to 14th November, 1898.

The undermentioned Deputy-Commissaries of Ordnance and Honorary Captains to be Commissaries of Ordnance:—

J. A. Roberts. Dated 26th November, 1898.

J. Genders. Dated 1st December, 1898.

The undermentioned Assistant-Commissaries of Ordnance and Honorary Lieutenants to be Deputy-Commissaries of Ordnance with the honorary rank of Captain :—

D. Coar. Dated 26th November, 1898.

R. H. Booth. Dated 1st December, 1898.

The undermentioned Conductors, Army Ordnance Corps, to be Assistant-Commissaries of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 4th February, 1899 :—

Albert Edward Thompson.

Kenneth Polson Macleay.

Army Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Major Robert F. Frost is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Half-Pay, The undermentioned Officers, from the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), to be Lieutenant-Colonels :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles à Court. Dated 8th January, 1899.

Major John Sherston, D.S.O. Dated 4th February, 1899.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Somerset H. P. Graves, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd September, 1898.

Robert Purdy, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st February, 1899.

Major Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, Bart., Coldstream Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in recognition of his services during the recent operations in the Soudan. Dated 26th January, 1899.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Malcolm W. Rogers, half-pay Royal Engineers, is placed on the retired list with an Indian pension. Dated 3rd February, 1899.

Captain (local Major) G. P. Hatch, C.M.G., late the West India Regiment, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst Commandant of the East Africa Rifles. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Captain the Honourable Robert White, half-pay, retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted the honorary rank of Second Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 4th February, 1899 :—

Bandmaster Joseph Sommer, Royal Engineers.

ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Alec Phillips, the Manchester Companies, Volunteer Medical Staff Corps, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

War Office, 3rd February, 1899.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Fifth Artillery (Southern Division), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

W. V. B. Webb. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. A. Cholmley. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. L. Murrow. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The Northumberland Artillery (Western Division), Lieutenant H. M. Barnes, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Major D'A. B. Preston, who has vacated the appointment on promotion to Field Rank. Dated 1st February, 1899.

Lieutenant H. M. Barnes, Royal Artillery, is granted the rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 1st February, 1899.

The South-East of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division), Captain and Instructor of Artillery W. J. Oliver resigns the appointment of Instructor of Artillery. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The Sussex Artillery (Eastern Division), Charles Henry Hannington, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain P. N. Salmond is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants :—

Edgar George Dion Lardner. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Richard Robert Forbes. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Major T. F. Brinckman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command, under the provisions of paragraph 44 of the Militia Regulations, 1898. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, James Arthur Joicey, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 31st January, 1899.

7th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

F. W. E. Johnson. Dated 4th February, 1899.

A. W. Newton. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. W. D. Hill. Dated 4th February, 1899.

F. L. Hingston. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant R. H. Marsh to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry C. G. C. Elers resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant, N. E. L., Earl of Rothes, resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain and Honorary Major H. A. Kinglake resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry C. B. Upperton to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant K. J. Roy to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Captain Robert Lowndes Aspinall, retired pay, late 15th Hussars, to be Captain. Dated 25th January, 1899.

5th and 6th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant D. G. M. Dundas to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, Seymour Frederick Auckland Albert Hurt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir G. D. Clerk, *Bart.*, is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. L. C. Moore-Brabazon. Dated 4th February, 1899.

J. L. H. Powell. Dated 4th February, 1899.

A. J. M. Gordon. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. A. Neild. Dated 4th February, 1899.

L. J. Le Fleming. Dated 4th February, 1899.

C. E. Kinahan. Dated 4th February, 1899.

R. MacLeod. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Lieutenant R. W. C. Fenton to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant C. B. Scott to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. C. Wood. Dated 4th February, 1899.

E. F. Falkner. Dated 4th February, 1899.

R. V. Hunt. Dated 4th February, 1899.

C. J. Pike. Dated 4th February, 1899.

R. H. Olivier. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the South Staffordshire Regiment, Charles Wightwick, *Earl of Aylesford*, formerly Major, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Corps. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Captain and Honorary Major B. T. Seckham to be Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

P. E. B. F. Smith. Dated 4th February, 1899.

A. R. H. Rycroft. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, *The Honourable Arthur Annesley* to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel G. B. C. Lyons resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Alfred Henry Hooper, *Gent.*, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th January, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Robert James McMullin, *Gent.*, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Lieutenant H. E. Okeover resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Captain W. T. Coleman is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment, Henry Edward Morrith, *Gent.*, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Major T. Lockhart is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant R. H. Kemp resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, James Thompson Seeds, *Gent.*, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

6th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, William Eastwood, *Gent.*, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. H. L. Poë. Dated 4th February, 1899.

R. Hamilton Stubber, *jun.* Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. W. Weldon. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Charley Vernon Leslie Poë, *Gent.*, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd January, 1899.

5th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Lieutenant R. H. Morgan-Tighe resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

5th Battalion, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, Major J. Massy-Westropp to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command, under the provisions of paragraph 44 of the Militia Regulations, 1898. Dated 4th February, 1899.

5th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Lieutenant A. T. MacDermott to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Berks, Lieutenant C. K. Milbourne resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Cheshire (Earl of Chester's), Second Lieutenant A. M. R. Legh to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Gloucestershire (Royal Gloucestershire Hussars), The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Lieutenant T. Stacey. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Second Lieutenant F. M. Freake. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Nottinghamshire (Sherwood Rangers), Captain Albert Edward Whitaker (Reserve of Officers), late Northumberland Fusiliers, to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Second Lieutenant R. T. O. Sheriffe to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Staffordshire (Queen's Own Royal Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel Theophilus John Levett, formerly commanding, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Regiment. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Suffolk (the Duke of York's Own Loyal Suffolk Hussars), Second Lieutenant B. Hope resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

1st Aberdeenshire, George Archibald Simpson, *Gent.*, late Captain, 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, to be Quartermaster, and to be granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Cheshire and Carnarvonshire, Captain J. Jones to be Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant J. Samuels to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Second Lieutenant R. Oldershaw to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Durham (Western Division, Royal Artillery)

Robert Hanton, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Forfarshire, The undermentioned Officers are granted the honorary rank of Colonel:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant T. Couper, jun. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Thomson. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Glamorganshire, Lieutenant G. T. Gregor to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Glamorganshire, Second Lieutenant A. L. Moon to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Robert Ithel Treharne Rees, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Hampshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery), Stanley James Blake, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Lancashire, Lieutenant C. A. Nicol resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

8th Lancashire, Major R. H. Clay resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st City of London (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), The Reverend S. B. Simson, M.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Middlesex, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel H. Cockshott resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Captain and Honorary Major H. J. F. Praeger to be Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

L. A. C. Southam. Dated 4th February, 1899.

R. Lake. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant G. E. Roddis, from the 1st Cinque Ports Volunteer Artillery (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Middlesex, Captain T. M. Nelson resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Midlothian, William Macrae Taylor, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Norfolk (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Lieutenant F. N. Walton. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Quartermaster S. Haward. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Sidney Granger Allen, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd East Riding of Yorkshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Second Lieutenant R. H. Thorp to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

Submarine Miners.

The Severn Division, Herbert White Flint, Gent., is re-appointed Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

RIFLE.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Sir G. D. Clerk, *Bart.*, lately Commanding, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. G. Wardlaw-Ramsay is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 4th February, 1899.

8th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Second Lieutenant J. Stevens resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Captain F. G. Robinson resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, James William Guy Simonds, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Captain A. T. Holdsworth resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Acting Chaplain the Reverend L. J. Rich, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Carruthers Brougham Johnston, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Percy William Arnold, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd (Prince of Wales's) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant J. Squire resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. W. Packard resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants (Extra-Supernumerary):—

William Black Eddowes. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Edmund Bromfield Ferrers. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Major J. Chestnutt resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant F. A. Daniell to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Second Lieutenant P. H. Latham to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Arthur Trethewey. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Charles John Reid. Dated 4th February, 1899.

John Edmund Bishop Wells, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

- Cadet Corps attached to the 1st (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment*, Lieutenant P. H. Latham, 1st Volunteer Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Honorary Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Galloway*, Lieutenant J. McClean to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Second Lieutenant T. H. Shortridge to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 2nd (Earl of Chester's) Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
Herbert Davison. Dated 4th February, 1899.
Edward Gardiner Hodge. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Captain A. P. McLennan resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st (Brecknockshire) Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers*, Second Lieutenant W. M. Parham resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 3rd Lanarkshire*, David Wright, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Captain J. Garroway to be Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- The undermentioned Captains resign their Commissions:—
J. M. Hannan. Dated 4th February, 1899.
A. Tillie. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment*, James Francis Henry Macnamara, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, Second Lieutenant G. L. Anderton resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st (Cumberland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment*, The Reverend W. P. Morris to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment*, Henry Morris Pryce-Jones, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Extra-Supernumerary). Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st (Pembrokeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment*, The Reverend E. T. Jenkyns, B.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st (Oxford University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants (Extra-Supernumerary):—
James Clare Macnamara Canny. Dated 4th February, 1899.
Eustace Lockhart Maxwell. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Lieutenant G. V. Wills to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Joseph Coulson Edward Gillham, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Nottinghamshire (Robin Hood)*, Frank Oldknow Wright, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant D. J. Mason to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Ernest John Hudson; Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Lieutenant H. Simson resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment)*, Alfred Edward Palmer, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- William Norman Evans, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st Middlesex (Victoria and St. George's)*, Major C. Bird to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command, under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1898. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 13th Middlesex (Queen's Westminster)*, Charles Arthur Morris, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 21st Middlesex (the Finsbury)*, Captain and Honorary Major R. Rolfe retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1898; with permission to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Lieutenant M. H. Hale to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
H. W. Shearsmith. Dated 4th February, 1899.
W. Ford. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Quartermaster (Honorary Major) W. E. Messenger resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 25th Middlesex (Bank of England)*, Second Lieutenant H. S. Inman to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 1st London*, Lieutenant H. G. Pritchard resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Surgeon-Lieutenant A. D. Ducat to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment*, Harold Jacob Behrens, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Cadet Corps attached to the 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment*, Honorary Captain W. L. B. Hirst resigns his appointment on the disbandment of the Corps. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry*, Second Lieutenant J. B. Couper to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- Archibald Neville McLellan, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 9th Lanarkshire*, James Craik Taylor, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.
- 3rd (Morayshire) Volunteer Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
A. F. Macdonald. Dated 4th February, 1899.
J. D. Rose. Dated 4th February, 1899.
A. Robertson, jun. Dated 4th February, 1899.
J. R. Stewart. Dated 4th February, 1899.

John Foster, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 4th February, 1899.

4th (Donside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant A. Keir to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

1st (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain Robert Gray Kennedy, Lancashire Fusiliers, to be Adjutant, vice Major D. S. Stewart, Northumberland Fusiliers, whose period of service has expired. Dated 25th January, 1899.

4th (Stirlingshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain and Honorary Major W. Denholm resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant H. Leckie Ewing to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

16th Middlesex (London Irish), Second Lieutenant H. H. B. Cunningham to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

2nd Tower Hamlets, Captain W. V. Leonard resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.
The London Companies, Surgeon-Captain F. J. L. Warwick, M.B., from the 1st Tower Hamlets Volunteer Rifle Corps, to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

MEMORANDUM.

VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADE.

South Midland, Captain G. L. B. Killick, 22nd Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps (Reserve of Officers, late King's Royal Rifle Corps), is appointed Brigade Major, vice Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel D. Papillon, retired pay, Reserve of Officers, who vacates the appointment under the provisions of paragraph 58D of the Volunteer Regulations, 1898. Dated 4th January, 1899.

Commission signed by the Governor and Captain of the Isle of Wight.

The Right Honourable Hallam, Baron Tennyson, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th January, 1899.

Treasury Chambers, February 2, 1899.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed the Right Honourable Arthur Herbert Dyke Acland to be Steward and Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead.

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL POST.

IN pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that a Warrant, dated the 31st day of January, 1899, has been made, on his representation, by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Post Office Acts, ordering, directing, and declaring that on and from the 1st day of February, 1899, the Foreign and Colonial Post Warrant, 1898, shall apply to letters transmitted to and from Zanzibar, as if Zanzibar were specified in the Second Schedule of the last-named Warrant.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice that copies of the said Warrant may be

purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.; or John Menzies and Co., 12, Hanover-street, Edinburgh, and 90, West Nile-street, Glasgow; or Hodges, Figgis, and Co. Limited, 104, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

PARCEL POST.

BOLIVIA, BRITISH GUIANA, AND ZANZIBAR.

IN pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that a Warrant, dated the 30th day of January, 1899, has been made, on his representation, by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Post Office Acts, ordering, directing, and declaring that on and from the 1st day of February, 1899, parcels may, subject to the provisions of the said Warrant, and at the rates of postage therein specified, and in accordance with the regulations therein mentioned, be transmitted by Post between the United Kingdom and Bolivia, British Guiana, and Zanzibar, respectively.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice that copies of the said Warrant may be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.; or John Menzies and Co., 12, Hanover-street, Edinburgh, and 90, West Nile-street, Glasgow; or Hodges, Figgis, and Co. Limited, 104, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

Civil Service Commission, February 1, 1899.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant-Schoolmaster in Her Majesty's Dockyards in the Department of the Admiralty, held in London on the 10th January, 1899, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 15th November, 1898, the undermentioned Candidate obtained the first place in order of merit:—

Motley, Parker

Civil Service Commission, February 3, 1899.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 29th November, 1898, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments and Transfers in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of January, 1899:—

APPOINTMENTS.

Admiralty, Isaac Vaughan Bennett, Arthur Neville Clothier, Allan Wilson Grundy, Arthur Charles Hearn, Sydney Herbert George Hughes, Charles Robert Bavin Lane, Harry Goulding Lowe, Harold Thornley Rigg, John Reuben Tapp, and Hugh Reginald Woolmer to Junior Appointments in the Supply and Accounting Departments.

Stephen George Gundry to be Pensioner Writer in H.M. Naval Yards.

Agriculture, Board of, Edward Henry St. Lawrence Clarke to be Permanent Inspector.

Frank Harvey and John Godfrey Robinson to be Second Class Draughtsmen in the Survey Branch.

Civil Service Commission, Thomas Prior Lees to be Clerk (Class I).

Customs, Herbert Charles Ransom, Peter Renton, Edgar William Thew, and Edward Beadon White to be Second Class Clerks at the Out-ports.

Education Department, George Hayward to be Sub-Inspector (First Class).

Foreign Office, Honourable Ronald Charles Lindsay and Eric Clare Edmund Phipps to be Attachés in the Diplomatic Service, or Clerks on the Establishment.

Rowland Arthur Charles Sperling to be Clerk on the Establishment, or Attaché in the Diplomatic Service.

Home Office, Alan Frederick Joseph Dunolly to be Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

India Office, or India Audit Office, George William Percy Martin to be Second Class Clerk.

Inland Revenue, John Mullineux to be appointed to a Minor Staff Post.

William Albert Collins, and Edward Charles Dodwell to be appointed to Temporary Minor Staff Posts.

Charles Comfort and William Reavell Johnston to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), Edinburgh.

Irish Land Commission, Thomas Robert Malcolmson to be Third Class Clerk.

Land Registry Office, Edward Mihill Slaughter to be Third Class Clerk.

Local Government Board, England, John Orchard to be Clerk (Class I).

Post Office, Harry Ernest Ashton, Magnus Ramsay, and Edward James Whibley to be Clerks in the Engineer-in-Chief's Office.

John Mare to be Junior Examiner in the Telegraph Stores Department.

William Ross Shearer (Rutherglen), and David Simpson (Bolton Percy) to be Sub-Postmasters.

Margaret Colborne (Mealsgate), Elizabeth Emily Cutler (Skegness), Mary Forester (Aspatia), and Catherine Ann Legg (Bletchingley), to be Sub-Postmistresses.

Thomas Fitzgerald to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

William Henry Brooker, Horace Benjamin Chart, William Joseph Foreman, Alfred Charles Godbee, and Albert James Lock to be Paperkeepers in the Savings Bank Department.

Emma Rhoda Boorne, Josephine Sarah Bowles, Mary Dora Cahill, Hilda Florence Chibnall, Evelyn Lucy Crawley, Gertrude Creasy, Kate Laura de Baráthy, Laura Frances Ida Ebden, Mary Edmunds, Mary Flanagan, Elizabeth Mary Forrest, Isabella Glanvill, Frances Lilian Green, Mary Elizabeth Griffiths, Emily Rebecca Harris, Rose Hart, Sarah Humphreys, Dora Beatrice Kelsey, Laura Knight, Isabella Findlay Macdonald, Eliza Martha Masters, Amy Catherine Moore, Annie Needham, Dorothy Janey Newman, Florence Jane Pell, Mary Agnes Sandison, Agnes Macleod Scott, Matilda Isabella Scott, Agnes Margaret Urbani, Alice Maud Whitehead, and Ethel Kate Wright to be Woman Clerks.

Ethel Rosa Joyce Knight, Daisy Elizabeth Loader, Janet Macaulay, Ethel Willett, and Helena Jane Witcomb to be Girl Clerks in the Savings Bank Department.

Prisons Department (England), Ernest Edward Smith to be Compounder.

Science and Art Department, Herbert Caleb Andrews to be Junior Assistant in the Art Branch of the South Kensington Museum.

Supreme Court of Judicature (England), Walter Edward Davis and Thomas Aloysius Hanlon to be Third Class Clerks in the Central Office.

Godfrey Woodford Mansel Baker to be Third Class Clerk in the Principal Probate Registry.

Ernest Frederick Corley to be Third Class Clerk in the Chancery Taxing-Master's Office.

Trade, Board of, William Henry Clark to be Clerk (Class I).

Harry Booth to be Clerk in charge of the work under the Electric Lighting Acts.

Treasury, Maurice Francis Headlam to be Second Class Clerk.

Valuation Office (Ireland), John Daniel Doherty to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

War Office, Bernard Montagu Draper, William Joseph Dafter Rich, and Charles Fell Watherston to be Clerks (Class I).

Woods, Office of, Albyn Leopold Fielding to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor) for service in the Quit Rent Office, Dublin.

Clerks of the Second Division.

Agriculture, Board of, (for temporary duty), William Edward Beckford.

Exchequer and Audit Department, William Henry Perry, Lawrence Stanley Rendle, Albert Tilley, and Walter William Tootingham.

Home Office, Robert Squire Langford and John James Trend.

Inland Revenue, Allan Cameron (Edinburgh), Andrew Graham Langford, Hugh George Lowry, and (for temporary duty) Francis William Boustred, Ernest Aubrey Davis, Ernest Genochio, Charles William Hall, Arthur Jones, William Thomas Mathison, and George Peake.

National Education Office (Ireland), Walter Alexander Magill, and (for temporary duty) Samuel Preston.

Post Office, Robert Goll Adams, Arthur Clements, Oliver Robert Coales, William Nathaniel Jeffries, William James Mullins, Charles Henry Newnham, Sydney William Palmer, Robert Tinniswood, Herbert Summers Turner, Charles Bertie Watson, Percy Frederick West, and Charles Robert Thomas Williams.

Public Works Loan Board, Herbert Sydney Barber.

Supreme Court Pay Office, George Brown.

Trade, Board of, Thomas George Austin and Herbert Ernest Dobson.

Works, Office of, Andrew Robert Arnot.

TRANSFERS, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

Inland Revenue (Edinburgh), William Serle Imrie and Peter McLintock Milne, Clerks of the Second Division, from the Post Office.

Local Government Board (Scotland), William Christison Lyle Brown, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Post Office.

Patent Office, Nathaniel Lawrence Buchan, Clerk of the Second Division, from the National Education Office (Ireland).

THE NATURALIZATION ACT, 1870.

LIST of ALIENS to whom Certificates of Naturalization or of Readmission to British Nationality have been granted by the Secretary of State under the provisions of the Act 33 Vic., cap. 14, and have been registered in the Home Office pursuant to the Act during the Month of January, 1899.

Name.	Country.	Date of Certificate.	Place of Residence.
Anger, Henry	France	5th January, 1899 ...	Surrey, Observatory House, East Sheen
Baulu, Albert Horace Armand	France	11th January, 1899 ...	London, 11, Sparsholt - road, Islington
Bloom, Barnett	Russia	21st December, 1898	London, 16, Colverston-crescent, Dalston
Cederström, Olof Rudolph	Sweden	27th December, 1898	London, 30, Ebury-street
Coss, Isaac	Austria	4th January, 1899 ...	Leeds, 40, Stamford-street
Davidson, Hyman	Russia	31st December, 1898	Liverpool, 102, St. Anne-street
Decle, Lionel	France	26th December, 1898	London, 12, Burleigh-mansions, Charing Cross-road
Dion, Hippolyte Auguste	France	19th December, 1898	Croydon, 22, Canning-road
Dresser, Simon	Austria	21st November, 1898	Leeds, 56, Templar-street
Feldman, Joseph	Russia	3rd January, 1899 ...	London, 27, Fashion-street, Spital-fields
Fenzi, Lionel Douglas Galton	Italy	12th January, 1899 ...	Surrey, Juniper Hill, Dorking
Fuhrer, William	Germany	22nd December, 1898	Kent, 184, Evelyn-street, Deptford
Frankfurt, Marks	Russia	22nd December, 1898	London, 63, York-street, Westminster
Frueth, Walter	Germany	12th January, 1899 ...	London, 131, West Green-road, South Tottenham
Goldman, Myer	Russia	21st December, 1898	Lancashire, 58, Seaforth - road, Seaforth
Goldstein, Jacob	Roumania	19th December, 1898	Liverpool, 31, West-street
Grumbach, Isäi Georg, known as George Grumbach	Germany	11th January, 1899 ...	London, 20, Belsize-park, Hampstead
Grumbach, Nephtalie Alphons, known as Alphonse Grumbach	Germany	11th January, 1899 ...	London, 20, Belsize-park, Hampstead
Heyne, Charles	Germany	3rd January, 1899 ...	Yorkshire, Malton, 42, Wheelgate
Josephy, Albert	Germany	3rd January, 1899 ...	Forfar, Broughty Ferry, 17, Douglas-terrace
Khodadad, Khodadad Elijah	Persia	28th December, 1898	Liverpool, 46, Durning-road
Klein, Benjamin	Russia	28th December, 1898	Leeds, 31, Cannon-street
Kupperblum, Henry (known as Henry Cooper)	Russia	29th December, 1898	London, the Central Hall, Philpot-street
Labofski, Joe	Russia	3rd January, 1899 ...	Leeds, 12, Myrtle-street
Mendelsohn, Uscher Munisch	Roumania	16th November, 1898	Manchester, 78, Waterloo-road, Cheetham
Merck, Arthur Theodor ...	Germany	6th January, 1899 ...	London, 61A, South Audley-street
Mirale, Auguste	Persia	27th December, 1898	Leeds, 36, Springfield-place
Northfell, Swen Ohlson ...	Sweden	19th November, 1898	Middlesbrough, 116, Grange-road East
Pecare, Myer Adolph	Germany	31st December, 1898	London, Haringay, 49, Stanhope-gardens
Phelops, Lazarus	Russia	31st December, 1898	Glasgow, 36, Bridgegate
Piel, Paul Albert	France	17th January, 1899 ...	Dublin, 29, Harcourt-street
Post, Donnell Shepard ...	United States of America	9th January, 1899 ...	London, 15, St. George's-square
Robinson, Samuel	Russia	9th January, 1899 ...	Liverpool, 34, West-street
Rosenthal, Harris	Russia	4th January, 1899 ...	Leeds, 24, Rockingham-street
Rubin, Louis	Russia	28th December, 1898	Leeds, 12, Lovel-grove
Rünge, Julius Joseph ...	Spain	5th January, 1899 ...	Kent, Newlands, Crockham-hill
Sayers, Philip	Russia	28th November, 1898	Cork, "Tirano House," Victoria-road
Schmidt, Friedrich Hein- rich Oscar	Germany	21st December, 1898 ..	Norwich, 16, Sussex-street
Schürmann, Hermann Joseph	Germany	29th December, 1898...	London, Clapham, 21, Offerton-road
Shacksnovis, Joseph Barnard	Russia	30th November, 1898	Leeds, 10, Brunswick-place
Silverman, Philip	Russia	4th January, 1899 ...	Leeds, 18, St. Alban-street
Smyter, Reinier Edward...	Holland	21st January, 1899 ...	London, "Altona," 127, Mitcham-lane, Streatham

Name.	Country.	Date of Certificate.	Place of Residence.
Valvona, Benedetto ...	Italy ..	22nd December, 1898	Scotland, Leith, 52, Great Junction-street
Verbrugge, Eugene Pierre Alphonse	France ...	25th November, 1898	Beckenham, Kent, 63, Kent House-road
Warsany, Charles Frederick Augustus	Germany ...	17th January, 1899 ...	Kent, Courtville, Station - road, Sidecup
Wertheim, Sigmund ...	Germany ...	13th December, 1898	London, 51B, Trinity - square, Southwark
Wolbrom, Morris Nathan	Russia ...	31st December, 1898	London, Spitalfields, 11, Puma-court
Yackimski, Felix (known as Louis Finsburg)	Russia ...	25th November, 1898	Cardiff, 82, Clive-street, Grange-town
Zelicovitz, Samuel ...	Russia ...	19th January, 1899 ...	Liverpool, 32, Smithdown-lane
Zuckerhorn, Max ...	Russia ...	10th January, 1899 ...	London, 27, Tottenham-street
Zuckerhorn, Philipp ...	Russia ...	10th January, 1899 ...	London, 15, York-street, Covent Garden

Home Office, Whitehall, February 2, 1899.

Civil Service Commission, February 3, 1899.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

January 30, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Board of Agriculture: Second Class Draughtsman in the Survey Branch, Frank Harvey.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Thomas Ashworth Brook, Peter Fergus Dunlop, Philip Daniel FitzGerald, Charles Capron Nicole, Charles Edgar Nathaniel Reed.

Post Office: Woman Clerk, Mary Elizabeth Griffiths.

Male Learners, Leonard Fletcher (York), Alfred Bertram Pearce (Plymouth), George Prentice (Glasgow).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Foreign Office: Clerk on the Establishment or Attaché in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, Rowland Arthur Charles Sperling.

Post Office: Paper Keeper in the Savings Bank Department, Horace Benjamin Chart.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Edward John Slyfield.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Warder, John Grant Robertson.

Post Office: Postman, London, Thomas Gould Carey.

Porter, London, Michael Phillips.

January 31, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Henry Thomas McCulloch, Jeremiah Sullivan, Arthur Samuel Philpot, George Thomas Stanswood.

Local Government Board, England: Clerk (Class I), John Orchard.

Post Office: Women Clerks, Evelyn Lucy Crawley, Kate Laura de Baráthy, Elizabeth Mary Forrest, Amy Catherine Moore, Mary Agnes Sandison, Alice Maud Whitehead.

Male Sorter, London, John Maher.

Male Learner, London, George James Matkin.

Male Learners, Arthur Montague Howlett (Brighton), William Neilson Main (Glasgow).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Paper Keeper in the Savings Bank Department, William Joseph Foreman.

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WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Supreme Court of Judicature, England: Third Class Clerk in the Central Office, Walter Edward Davis.

Post Office: Postman, London, Frederick Charles Tanner.

Learner, Swansea, Lilian Beatrice Ley.

Postmen, William Anderson (Denny), William Frank Bowerman (Newport, Monmouth), Fred Lowe (Stockport), Charles Henry Nutt (Bath), Samuel John Robertson (Perth), Frank Russell (Esher), John Scott (Glasgow), Charles Arthur Stevenson (Crewe), Thomas Weale (Brecon).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Lowestoft, Joseph William Samuel Buddery.

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Post Office: Telegraphist in the Central Telegraph Office, London, William Elson Green.

February 1, 1899.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Junior Appointment in the Supply and Accounting Departments, John Cronin.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, Lucius Greene Thomas.

Post Office: Women Clerks, Edith Drew, Mary Laura Knight, Flora McDonald McDonald, Mabel Otway Read, Veronica Rutherford Ritchie, Janet Routledge.

Male Learners, Peter Lamont Campbell (Glasgow), Louis Barnet Friedenson (Leeds), William Rennard Grant (Hull), James Laburn (Dundee), Wilfrid Henshaw Smith (Aberdeen), James Robinson Wilson (Leeds).

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Supreme Court of Judicature, England: Third Class Clerk in the Principal Probate Registry, William Young.

Post Office: Postman, London, Frank Avigdor. Sub-Postmistress, Castletownroche, Elizabeth O'Brien.

Learners, James Clifford Gentry (Ipswich), Charlotte Gibbons (Llanelly), William Platt Hallmark (Chester).

Postmen, Liverpool, Thomas William Ather-ton, John William Parry, Fred Rowley.

Postmen, Albert George Evans (Windsor), Joseph Arthur Gibbins (Chatham), William Charles Last (Witham), Michael Phelan (Waterford).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Banbury, Benjamin Baylis.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 37 to 45 of the year 1899.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 37.—AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

Claremont Isles—Shoals in Inner Route.

INFORMATION, dated 22nd November, 1898, has been received from Lieutenant and Commander J. F. Parry, Her Majesty's surveying-vessel "Dart," of the existence of the following shoals recently discovered in the vicinity of the track recommended through the Claremont Isles, Great Barrier Reef:—

1. A coral patch with a depth of $3\frac{1}{4}$ fathoms on it, and 10 fathoms, mud, around it, lies with north point of Hannah Island bearing S. 32° E., distant $3\frac{1}{10}$ miles, and north-west point (sand) of south part of Emma Reef N. 86° E.

Approximate position, lat. $13^{\circ} 47' 50''$ S., long. $143^{\circ} 40' 35''$ E.

The soundings about this patch are irregular.

2. A coral patch of 4 fathoms, of small extent, with 9 fathoms, mud, around it, lies with north point of Hannah Island bearing N. 51° W., distant $1\frac{6}{10}$ miles, and north-west point (sand) of Emma Reef N. 2° E.

Approximate position, lat. $13^{\circ} 52' 20''$ S., long. $143^{\circ} 43' 30''$ E.

3. A narrow sand spit with depths of 5 to 6 fathoms on it, terminating with a shoal sandhead of $4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, was found to extend north-westward from Emma Reef. From this head the north point of Wilkie Island bears N. 80° W., distant $5\frac{7}{10}$ miles, and End Reef centre, N. 14° E.

Approximate position, lat. $13^{\circ} 47' 25''$ S., long. $143^{\circ} 43' 25''$ E.

[Variation 5° Easterly in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Coral Sea, No. 2764; Claremont Point to Cape Direction, No. 2921. Also, Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1889, page 368, and Supplement, 1892, relating to that work, page 38.

No. 38.—FRANCE—ILE DE BAS.

Astan Rock—Beacon Destroyed, Buoy Placed.

THE French Government has given notice, that the beacon on the Astan Rock having been destroyed, a red spar buoy, marked "No. 2," surmounted by a conical topmark, has been moored about 100 yards north-eastward of the rock.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Ile d'Ouessant to Les Sept Iles, No. 2644; Ile de Bas, No. 2745. Also, Channel Pilot, Part II, 1897, page 39.

No. 39.—UNITED STATES—SOUTH CAROLINA.

Charleston Harbour Approach—Wreck.

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 7th January, 1899, that a wreck with a depth of 27 feet over it lies sunk in 42 feet in the approach to Charleston Harbour, with Charleston Lighthouse bearing N. 10° W., distant $8\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

A heavy lower mast anchored to the wreck by the rigging constitutes a danger to navigation.

Approximate position, lat. $32^{\circ} 33' 5''$ N., long. $79^{\circ} 51' 0''$ W.

[Variation nil in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape Fear to Sapelo Sound, No. 268; St. Helena Sound to Charleston Harbour, No. 2861. Also, Sailing Directions for the Principal

Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 193; and Hydrographic Notice No. 7 of 1888, relating to that work, page 27.

No. 40.—NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago Harbour—Proposed Leading Lights.

THE Government of New Zealand has given notice, dated 6th December, 1898, that it is proposed to establish shortly two triangular-shaped beacons, 20 feet high, to indicate the entrance of the main channel into Otago Harbour.

The front beacon will be erected on Harrington Point, about 18 feet above high water.

The back beacon will be placed eastward of Maori Kaik Jetty, at a distance of 2,200 yards S. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. from the front beacon, and elevated about 34 feet above high water.

The front beacon will exhibit a white fixed light, elevated 24 feet above high water, and the back beacon a similar light elevated 40 feet above high water.

Approximate position, Harrington Point, lat. $45^{\circ} 47\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $170^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

[Variation 16° Easterly in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Otago Harbour, No. 2411. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1898, page 238; New Zealand Pilot, 1891, page 306; and Hydrographic Notice No. 2 of 1895, relating to that work, page 11.

No. 41.—JAPAN—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Kyo Ga Misaki—Light Exhibited.

THE Japanese Government has given notice that, on 25th December, 1898, a group flashing white light of the 1st order was exhibited from a lighthouse recently constructed on Kyo Ga Misaki, Wakasa Bay.

Kyo Ga Misaki Light shows groups of three flashes in quick succession every twenty seconds, elevated 473 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 29 miles between the bearings of N. 80° E., through east and south, and N. 42° W.

It is shown from a stone cylindrical tower 29 feet high, painted white.

Approximate position, lat. $35^{\circ} 46' 45''$ N., long. $135^{\circ} 13' 5''$ E.

[Variation 4° Westerly in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Nipon Island, No. 2347; Aburatani Bay to Ando Zaki, No. 1495; Amarube Zaki to Ando Zaki, No. 2174. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1898, 1899, No. 975; China Sea Directory, Vol. IV, 1894, page 542.

No. 42.—AFRICA—WEST COAST.

Isles do Los—Shoal.

INFORMATION, dated 21st December, 1898, has been received from Lieutenant and Commander A. F. Gurney, Her Majesty's ship "Widgeon," that on proceeding out through the North Channel, Isles do Los, a sounding of 3 fathoms was obtained with the north extreme of Futabar Island bearing N. 84° W., distant 12 cables, and the east extreme of Barrette Point S. 42° W.

Approximate position, lat. $9^{\circ} 30' 40''$ N., long. $13^{\circ} 48' 30''$ W.

Soundings of 4 and 5 fathoms were afterwards obtained in a north-westerly direction.

[Variation 19° Westerly in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Isles do Los to Sherbro Island, No. 601; Isles do Los, No. 395. Also, Africa Pilot, Part I, 1890, page 229.

No. 43.—NEW ZEALAND—KAIPARA HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Tory Shoal—Extending South-Westward.

THE Government of New Zealand has given notice, dated 6th December, 1898, that the Tory Shoal, Galatea Channel, Kaipara, is extending seaward of the Outer Buoy, in a W.S.W. direction.

A note to this effect has been placed on the Charts.

Approximate position, lat. $36^{\circ} 25\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $174^{\circ} 4'$ E.

Caution.—Mariners are advised, when entering the harbour and within half a mile of the Outer Buoy, not to open the Black Beacon on North Head to the eastward of the White Beacon. To navigate these waters in safety it is necessary to keep the lead constantly going.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kaipara Harbour, No. 2614. Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1891, page 251; and Hydrographic Notice No. 2 of 1895, relating to that work, page 8.

No. 44.—EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES.

Shoals Discovered.

THE Netherlands Government has given notice, dated 21st January, 1899, of the existence of the following shoals recently reported on the east coast of Celebes:—

1. A shoal on which a vessel is reported to have grounded lies about 17 miles eastward of Cape Jeneh, Gulf of Boni, in approximately lat. $3^{\circ} 20'$ S., long. $120^{\circ} 47'$ E. This shoal has been marked P.D. on the Charts.

2. Discoloured water is reported in the southern approach to Matarapi Bay, with North Tiga Island bearing N. 74° E., distant about 5 miles, and the east extreme of Labengki S. 5° E.

Approximate position, lat. $3^{\circ} 24' 0''$ S., long. $122^{\circ} 27' 30''$ E.

3. A reef with but little water on it is reported to exist in the south fairway near Salabangka Islands, with South Sinoa Island bearing N. 85° E., about 6 miles, and Cape Tapoa Uluna S. 26° W.

Approximate position, lat. $3^{\circ} 9'$ S., long. $122^{\circ} 29'$ E.

The above shoals have been placed on the Charts in the above positions as rocks with less than 6 feet on them.

[Variation 2° Easterly in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Australia, Northern Portion, No. 2759a; Eastern Archipelago, Nos. 941b, 942a. Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, pages 349, 351–360.

No. 45.—CHINA—EAST COAST.

Sam Sa Bay—Rock Discovered.

THE Government of Hong Kong has given notice, dated 2nd December, 1898, that His Imperial German Majesty's vessel, "Kaiser," reports the existence of a rock having a depth of $1\frac{1}{4}$ fathoms over it at low water, in Sam Sa Bay. It has been placed on the Chart with summit (1,240 feet) of Crag Island bearing S. 85° E., distant $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles, and the east point of San Tu N. 23° E.

Approximate position on Chart 1988, lat. $26^{\circ} 37' 30''$ N., long. $119^{\circ} 45' 20''$ E.

There is a depth of $5\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms at a distance of 20 yards around the rock.

[Variation nil in 1899.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tung Yung to Wenchau Bay, No. 1754; Sam Sa Bay, No. 1958. Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1894, page 294.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
28th to 31st January, 1899.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of a portion of the value of a certain house and premises which are about to be permanently secured to the benefice of Saint Catherine, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Liverpool, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said benefice of Saint Catherine, Liverpool, to meet such benefaction, one capital sum of seven hundred pounds sterling, which we have agreed to pay as the consideration for the conveyance to us in fee simple of the house and premises aforesaid as a parsonage or house of residence for the said benefice of Saint Catherine, Liverpool.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

(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 Tintagel, in the county of Cornwall, and in the diocese of Truro, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all that piece or parcel 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 piece or parcel of land and hereditaments with their 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-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

(L.S.)

Schedule.

All that piece of land formed and used as a private road to the Vicarage of Tintagel, formerly part of the field No. 845 on the tithe survey of the parish of Tintagel, comprising OA. CR. 17P., more or less, and coloured red on the plan attached hereto.

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 Stainton (in Cleveland), in the county of York, and in the diocese of York, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all and singular the yearly rectorial tithes commutation rent charges particularly described in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and now vested in us: To have and to hold the said yearly rectorial tithes commutation rent charges to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever. Provided always, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage shall be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the profits and proceeds of the said yearly rectorial tithes commutation rent charges for and in respect of the period intervening between the sixteenth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. L.S.

THE SCHEDULE.

Landowners.	Occupiers.	Numbers.	Name and Description of Lands and Premises.	State of Cultivation.	Quantities in Statute Measure.			Apportioned Rent Charge Payable to the Appropriator or his Lessees.		
					A.	R.	P.	£ s. d.		
Glebe land ...	Gooch, the Reverend William	60	Fourteen acres ...	Arable	13	2	20	2 13 6		
		61	Middle field ...	do.	8	2	21	1 4 11		
		62	Ten acres ...	do.	9	3	29	1 5 9		
		127	Pigeon Cote field	do.	9	1	5	1 10 11		
		128	Garth ...	Pasture	3	0	22	0 4 10		
		129	Buildings ...	...	0	1	35		
		130	Roadfield ...	Arable	5	2	6	0 19 0		
		169	Quarry, plantation, &c.	do.	3	0	9			
		170	First stripe ...	Grass	3	2	13	0 12 2		
		171	Second stripe ...	do.	3	1	2	0 14 3		
		172	Butcher bank ...	Arable	7	3	33	1 16 4		
		175	Townend field ...	Pasture	5	0	2	0 16 4		
		176	Garden ...	...	0	0	5		
		177	Plantation ...	...	0	0	8		
		180	Plantation ...	...	0	0	11		
		192	Hall and gardens	...	2	0	36			
		192A	Churchyard ...	...	1	0	12		
		230	Garth ...	Meadow	0	2	0	0 2 0		
							A. 77	1	29	£12 0 0

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0046 of 1899.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Stray Shot and Excelsior Gold Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the High Court of Justice was on the first day of February 1899 presented to the said Court by Messrs. Tingle, Comber and Co. of 110 Cannon-street London, E.C. creditors of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, on the 18th day of February 1899, 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 charge for the same.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1899.

FRANK H. AARONS, 151 and 152, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.,
Petitioners' Solicitor.

In the Matter of Holland and Company Limited and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) dated 17th December 1898 confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £250,000 to £100,000 and the Minute (approved by the Court) showing with respect to the capital of the Company as altered the several particulars required by the above Statutes were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 26th day of January 1899. And further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—"The capital of Holland and Company Limited and Reduced is £100,000 divided into £44,575 A preferred stock and £44,575 B preferred stock and £10,850 ordinary stock expressed by a Special Resolution of the Company passed on the 19th day of May 1898 and confirmed on the 9th day of June 1898 to be divided into £5,425 A preferred stock and £5,425 B preferred stock."—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

MARCHANT BENWELL and MARCHANT 27
College-street, Cannon-street, E.C. and
Deptford S.E. Solicitors for the Company.

East Indian Railway Company.

NOTICE.—In accordance with the provisions of the East Indian Railway Company Sinking Fund Act, 1892, it is hereby notified that a sum of £148,576 18s. 5d. is now invested for the purpose of providing a Sinking Fund in respect of the Annuities Class "D" as under:—

Investments.		Description of Investments.	Cost of Investments.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
2,706	0 0	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Consolidated Stock, £5 per cent.	5,581	10 11
2,200	0 0	Great Indian Peninsula Railway Capital Stock, £5 per cent.	3,544	9 6
13,110	0 0	Madras Railway Capital Stock, £5 per cent.	22,012	4 6
310	0 0	Madras Railway Capital Stock, £4 15s. per cent.	466	2 6
2,000	0 0	Madras Railway Capital Stock, £4 10s. per cent.	2,989	19 6
28,016	4 1	East Indian Railway £1,260 14s. 7d. Annuity, Class "B," £4 10s. per cent.	39,221	0 8
3,947	10 0	East Indian Railway £177 12s. 9d. Annuity, Class "C," £4 10s. per cent.	5,329	8 1
4,591	2 9	Scinde, Punjaub, and Delhi Railway £185 Annuity, Class "B," £4 1s. per cent.	5,823	18 0
2,436	10 9	India Stock, £3 10s. per cent.	2,850	7 9
18,089	19 10	India Stock, £3 per cent.	19,199	6 2
7,000	0 0	Assam Bengal Railway Limited Stock, £3 per cent.	6,921	11 0
8,809	19 5	Manchester Corporation, 1891, Redeemable Stock, £3 per cent.	8,754	18 1
12,390	0 0	Burma Railways Limited Stock, £2 15s. per cent.	12,877	2 1
1,298	9 3	India Stock, £2 10s. per cent.	1,150	0 0
189	4 7	Bank of England Stock	624	0 0
3,030	5 10	Bank of Ireland Stock	11,230	19 8
£110,125	6 6		£148,576	18 5

Nicholas-lane, London, E.C., January 25, 1899.

By order,
A. P. DUNSTAN, Secretary.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 1st day of February, 1899.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	£	47,635,715	Government Debt	£	11,015,100
			Other Securities		5,784,900
			Gold Coin and Bullion		30,835,715
			Silver Bullion		—
		<u>£47,635,715</u>			<u>£47,635,715</u>

Dated the 2nd day of February, 1899.

H. G. Bowen, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£	14,553,000	Government Securities	£	13,887,036
Rest		3,468,012	Other Securities		32,207,780
Public Deposits (including Exchequer, Savings Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)		9,700,972	Notes		20,829,970
Other Deposits		40,713,207	Gold and Silver Coin		2,189,179
Seven Day and other Bills		128,774			
		<u>£68,563,965</u>			<u>£68,563,965</u>

Dated the 2nd day of February, 1899.

H. G. Bowen, 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 ended Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1899.

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 ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ended 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	333368	806445	1145813	889131	120726	1009857
Royal Bank of Scotland ... ..	... Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh ...	216451	306435	672536	978971	801386	106026	907412
British Linen Company ... ..	... British Linen Company	Edinburgh ...	438024	247530	645151	892681	498313	105492	603805
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited ... ..	... Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh ...	374880	269715	700764	970479	670681	82481	753162
National Bank of Scotland Limited ... ..	... National Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh ...	297024	250739	602679	853418	653819	67839	721658
Union Bank of Scotland Limited ... ..	... Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh ...	454346	295388	707129	1002517	671643	119860	791503
Town and County Bank Limited ... ..	... Town and County Bank Limited	Aberdeen ...	70133	142470	170417	312887	259983	27350	287933
North of Scotland Bank Limited ... ..	... North of Scotland Bank Limited	Aberdeen ...	154319	205960	244233	450193	316560	19296	335856
Clydesdale Bank Limited ... ..	... Clydesdale Bank Limited	Glasgow ...	274321	233492	533754	767246	527884	88039	615923
Caledonian Banking Company Limited ... ..	... Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness ...	53434	45381	86805	132186	90306	9299	99605

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, 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 2nd day of February, 1899.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 1st February, 1899.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	...	...	...	...	23,031	23,031
Belgium	1,314	...	1,314	726	60,825	61,551
France	84	4,527	4,611	871,328	4,700	876,028
United States ... ..	...	...	...	24,496	1,100,000	1,124,496
Mexico, Central and South America (except Brazil), and West Indies	161	...	161	...	3,170	3,170
Brazil ... ..	...	4,599	4,599	...	...	...
Channel Islands	557	...	557	...	13,500	13,500
The Cape of Good Hope	18	162,549	162,567	...	...	...
British East Indies ... ..	...	2,439	2,439	...	...	...
Australasia	2,564	60,165	62,729	...	66,467	66,467
Other Countries	633	470	1,103	20,223	12,880	33,103
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	5,331	234,749	240,080	916,773	1,284,573	2,201,346
Declared Value of the said Importations	£ 20,713	£ 915,650	£ 936,363	£ 155,707	£ 146,531	£ 302,238

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	
Russia ... ..	...	...	...	...	871,200	8,447	879,647
Germany ... ..	...	...	30,348	30,348	...	...	...
France ... ..	...	105	15,209	15,314	...	359,742	359,742
West Coast of Africa	228	...	...	228	6,135	...	6,135
China ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	723,085	723,085
Japan ... ..	...	...	16,839	16,839	...	...	...
United States of America ... ..	...	...	4,797	4,797	...	...	...
Mexico, Central and South America (except Brazil), and West Indies	3,328	...	...	3,328	72,600	...	72,600
Bombay ... ..	...	...	480	480	...	283,490	283,490
Canada ... ..	...	...	...	...	59,707	...	59,707
Other Countries	515	...	...	515	2,400	27,312	29,712
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	4,071	105	67,673	71,849	138,442	873,600	1,402,076	
Declared Value of the said Exportations	£ 15,883	£ 400	£ 274,372	£ 290,655	£ 38,089	£ 150,300	£ 172,754	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,
February 2, 1899.

T. J. PITTAR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Baptist Chapel, situated at Wellington-road, Eccles, in the civil parish of Eccles, in the county of Lancaster, in the registration district of Barton-upon-Irwell, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 28th day of January, 1899, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85, being substituted for the Baptist Chapel, Peel-street, Eccles, now disused.—Witness my hand this 28th day of January, 1899.

J. W. WHITWORTH, Superintendent Registrar.

In the Matter of the Cheque Bank Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above named Company from £500,000, divided into 90,000 ordinary shares of £5 each (of which 33,474 shares have been issued) and 50,000 founders' shares of £1 each (all of which have been issued) to £405,922 19s. 0d. divided into 56,526 ordinary shares of £5 each none of which have been issued and 33,474 ordinary shares of £2 13s. 6d. each and 50,000 founders' shares of 13s. 6d. each such reduction to be

effected (1) by cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of 6s. 6d. per share upon each of the 33,474 ordinary shares (2) by extinguishing the liability in respect of the uncalled capital upon the 32,830 ordinary shares which have been issued and in respect of each of which £1 has been paid up to the extent of £2 per share (3) by returning to the holders of the 644 ordinary shares, which have been fully paid, paid-up capital to the extent of £2 per share, and by reducing the nominal amount of all the issued ordinary shares from £5 to £2 13s. 6d. and (4) by reducing the nominal amount of the founders' shares from £1 to 13s. 6d. each was on the 25th day of January 1899 presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division and is now pending and that the list of creditors is to be made out for the 1st day of March 1899.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

ASHURST MORRIS CRISP and Co. 17
Throgmorton - avenue London E.C.
Solicitors for the said Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Stirling.
1898. L. 0137.

In the Matter of the London Colour Printing Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division on the 13th day of December 1898 for confirming a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the above named Company from £36,510 to £14,604 by cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of £3 per share is directed to be heard before his Lordship on Saturday the 18th day of February 1899. Any debenture holder creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Acts as proposed by the said petition should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose. A copy of the petition will be furnished to any debenture holder creditor or shareholder requiring the same by the undersigned Solicitors on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 26th day of January 1899. H. F. CHURCH Master.

HYDE TANDY MAHON and SAYER 33 Ely-
place, London E.C. Solicitors for the
above named Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies.
(Winding-up).
Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0038 of 1899.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Alliance Mining Company Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 27th day of January 1899 presented to the said Court by the Natal Zululand Railway Limited whose registered office is at Finsbury House Blomfield-street in the city of London. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 18th day of February 1899 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 charge for the same.

LOUGHBOROUGH GEDGE NISBET and DREW
23 Austin Friars, London E.C.
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing 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 above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 17th day of February 1899.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0040 of 1899.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the British Amusements Syndicate No. 1 Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice Companies (Winding-up) was on the 28th day of January 1899 presented to the High Court of Justice by E. Sheppard and Co. of 81 Elizabeth-street Eaton-square in the county of London creditors of the said British Amusements Syndicate No. 1 Limited. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Wright on the 18th day of February 1899 and any creditor or contributory of the said British Amusements Syndicate No. 1 Limited desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said British Amusements Syndicate No. 1 Limited 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 British Amusements Syndicate No. 1 Limited requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

DIXON ELKIN and DIXON Savoy Mansions
the Savoy W.C. Solicitors for the Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing 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 above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 17th day of February 1899.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0041 of 1899.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the International Securities Trust Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 30th day of January 1899 presented to the said Court by Messrs. Shenstone Shenstone and Co. of Grange-road Leyton in the county of Essex Pianoforte Manufacturers. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the

Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand W.C. on the 18th day of February 1899 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 charge for the same.

M. WEBB and SONS 4 King William-street
E.C. Solicitors for the said Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention to do so. 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 above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 17th of February 1899.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0047 of 1899.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Pyramidal Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the second day of February 1899, presented to the said Court by the Industrial Syndicate Limited whose registered office is at 23 Coleman-street in the city of London creditors of the said Company, and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the 18th day of February 1899 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 charge for the same.

MAYO and Co. 10 Drapers'-gardens Throgmorton-avenue E.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on, or send by post to, the above-named, notice in writing 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 above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 17th of February 1899.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in the matter of ex parte the Undertaking of the Oxford Aylesbury and Metropolitan Junction Railway Bill and in the matter of the Oxford Aylesbury and Metropolitan Junction Railway Act 1883 and in the matter of the Oxford and Aylesbury Tramroad Acts 1888 1892 and 1894 and in the matter of the Act 9th and 10th Victoria chapter 20 and in the matter of the Parliamentary Deposits and Bonds Act 1892. Any landowner or other person

No. 27048.

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whose property has been interfered with or otherwise rendered less valuable by the commencement construction or abandonment of the tramroad authorized by the Oxford and Aylesbury Tramroad Acts 1888 and 1894 or any portion thereof or who have been subjected to any injury or loss in consequence of the exercise of the compulsory powers of taking property conferred upon the Oxford and Aylesbury Tramroad Company by the said Acts for which injury or loss no compensation or inadequate compensation has been paid and any landowner creditor or other person having claims in respect of any debts or liabilities of the said Company which having regard to the above Acts ought to be paid out of the £2,742 New Consols in Court to the credit of ex parte the Undertaking of the Oxford Aylesbury and Metropolitan Junction Railway Bill after payment of such compensation (if any) as aforesaid are respectively required on or before the 24th day of February 1899 to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice Romer, Royal Courts of Justice Strand London or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday the 3rd day of March 1899 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 26 day of January, 1899.

SAMUEL A. M. SATOW, for G. A.
Crowder, Master.

FOWLER and Co., 28 Victoria-street,
Westminster Solicitors for the Company.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00393 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the West Australian Loan and General Finance Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Corporation are required on or before Monday the 13th day of March 1899 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Mr. William Harold Wreford of No. 6 Dowgate-hill in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Corporation and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) at the Bankruptcy-buildings Carey-street London at such time as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Monday the 27th day of March 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers of the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 26th day of January 1899.

H. J. HOOD Registrar.

DAVIDSON and MORRIS 40 and 42 Queen
Victoria-street London E.C. Solicitors
for the Liquidator.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00394 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the West Australian Joint Stock Trust and Finance Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Corporation are required on or before Monday the 13th day of March 1899

to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors if any to Mr. William Harold Wreford of No. 6 Dowgate-hill in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Corporation and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) at the Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Monday the 27th day of March 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers of the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 26th day of January 1899.

H. J. HOOD Registrar.

DAVIDSON and MORRIS 40 and 42 Queen Victoria-street London E.C. Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Liverpool District.
1899. Letter R. No. 8142.

In the Matter of Richard Stephenson Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1896 and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Acts 1850 to 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company subject to the supervision of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster was on the 28th day of January 1899 presented to the said Court by Mary Ann Gittins of 59 Kirkdale-road in the city of Liverpool Spinster. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at St. George's Hall in the said city of Liverpool on the 13th day of February 1899 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 charge for the same.

RAYMOND J. BRADLEY Imperial-chambers
62 Dale-street Liverpool Solicitor for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing 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 above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 12th day of February 1899.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Manchester District.

Companies Winding-up.

1899. Letter No. 9660.

In the Matter of the New Limehurst Colliery Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890; and in the Matter of the Chancery of Lancaster Acts 1850 to 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the Court of Chancery of the County

Palatine of Lancaster was on the 28th day of January 1899 presented to the said Court by Marshall Gartside Buckley of Westfield Greenfield near Oldham in the county of York Gentleman a creditor of the said Company and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court at the sittings of the Court to be holden at Saint George's Hall Liverpool on Monday the 13th day of February 1899 at 10.30 in the forenoon 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 requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

SALE SEDDON and Co., 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing 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 above named not later than two o'clock in the afternoon of the 11th day of February, 1899.

British Linen Company Bank,
Edinburgh, February 3, 1899.

THE Directors of the British Linen Company hereby give notice, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors for the election of Governor, Deputy-Governor, and Directors, for the ensuing year, in terms of their charters, will be held within their office here, on Monday, the 6th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon. Auditors of the Company's books for the current year will then also fall to be appointed.

The Ordinary Quarterly Court of Proprietors will be held at same place, on Monday, the 20th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

THOS. E. STEUART, Secretary.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

Special Resolution (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, s. 51) of the Lone Hand Gold Mines, Limited.

Passed, December 31st, 1898.

Confirmed, January 23rd, 1899.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 31st day of December, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the Institute of Chartered Accountants, Moorgate-place, E.C., on the 23rd day of January, 1899 the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and that with a view thereto the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. J. W. H. Byrne, of 81, Gracechurch-street, London, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

2. "That the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby, authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be called the Lone Hand Gold Mines, Limited, or some other suitable name, with a Memorandum and Articles of Asso-

ciation which have been already prepared with a privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the said new Company of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and he is authorized hereby, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft and carry the same into effect, with such (if any) modifications as he may think fit.

4. "That the Liquidator be authorized to procure a guarantee for the placing of the shares in the new Company, and to pay a brokerage for such guarantee."

GEO. V. ERNEST, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Standard Cyanide Manufacturing Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 11, King William-street, in the city of London, on the twenty-first day of December, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the sixteenth day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the affairs of the Company be wound up in voluntary liquidation.

2. "That Frank A. Mori, of 70, Queen Victoria-street, London, and 6, Rue Monsigny, Paris, be appointed Liquidator, and that his remuneration be £100.

3. "That Messieurs R. Darosberg and Charles Gendre be and they are hereby appointed a Committee of Inspection to superintend and direct the liquidation of the Company."

MOREAU D.M.P., Chairman.

R. F. Hall Limited.

Extraordinary Resolution passed the 27th day of January 1899.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of R. F. Hall Limited duly convened and held at Stellite Works Cheston-road Birmingham on the 27th day of January 1899 the subjoined Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

Resolution.—"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities, continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. John William Barratt of 21 and 22 Waterloo-street Birmingham Chartered Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated the 31st day of January, 1899.

WILLIAM T. SMEDLEY, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Hopkinson Patent Brazeless Cycle Frame Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the Manchester Hotel, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, on the twenty-fifth day of January 1899, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

Resolved.—"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities, continue its

business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily. That Mr. Lewin Soman of 27 Paper-street in the city of London be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

A. BOTIBOL, Chairman.

The Danube Steamship Company (No. 1) Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company duly held on Thursday the 12th day of January, 1899, at the Company's offices, Whittington-avenue, in the city of London, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly held on Friday, the 27th day of January, 1899, at the same place, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be required to be and be wound up voluntarily."

And at such last mentioned Meeting Mr. Edmund Hannay Watts of Whittington-avenue in the city of London was appointed sole Liquidator for the purposes of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the property.

WILLM. FLUX, Chairman, Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Gwawr y Gweithwyr Industrial and Provident Society Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Society duly convened and held at the Capcoch Inn Capcoch near Aberdare in the county of Glamorgan on the 27th day of January 1899 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it had been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Society cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Society be wound up voluntarily."

And at the same Meeting Charles Edwin Dovey of Queen-street Cardiff in the said county Accountant was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—Dated this 27th day of January 1899.

THOMAS SAMUEL, Chairman.

H. Engel and Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held in the Vestibule of the Vaudeville Theatre, Grainger-street, in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 16th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 31st day of January, 1899, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound-up voluntarily forthwith.

2. "That Harry Engel, of Grainger-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company."

Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

HARRY ENGEL, Chairman.

The Shaw Kilns Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at the Queen's Hotel Newbury in the county of Berks on the 11th day of January 1899 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed viz:—

1. "That it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Shareholders that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business,

and that it is advisable to wind up the same, it is resolved that the affairs of the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Joseph Napoleon Day be appointed Liquidator with power to dispose of the Company's property either by public auction or private contract.

3. "That the present Directors of the Company with Messrs. T. W. Turner and D. R. Jones be appointed a Committee to advise the Liquidator in winding up the affairs of the Company and that the remuneration of the Liquidator be fixed by such Committee."

Dated this 12th day of January, 1899.

JOHN FLINT, Chairman.

In the Matter of Kiplings, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the offices of the Company's Solicitors, Messrs. Mann and Taylor, 109 New Oxford-street, London, W.C., on Friday, the 6th day of January, 1899, 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 offices of the Company's Solicitors, 109, New Oxford-street aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 1st day of February, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Ernest Plumridge, of 109, New Oxford-street, London, W.C., Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

GEO. LANCELOT ANDREWS, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of the Stracey Liebert Yukon Syndicate, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 1 and 2 Great Winchester-street, London, E.C.; on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at 1 and 2 Great Winchester-street, London, E.C., on Thursday, the 26th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That the Stracey Liebert Yukon Syndicate, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Alfred Edward Maidlow Davis, of the firm of Messrs. McAuliffe and Davis, Chartered Accountants, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator."

Dated this 26th day of January, 1899.

CECIL W. R. SLADE, Chairman of the Meeting.

HUBBARD and WHEELER, 13 and 14, Abchurch-lane, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

Yorkshire Piece Dyers Association, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 266 Swan-arcade, in the city of Bradford, on the 9th day of January, 1899, 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 26th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is desirable to wind up this Company,

and accordingly that this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Henry Sutcliffe, of the city of Bradford, and Mr. George Herbert France, of the city of Bradford, be and they are hereby appointed the Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

HENRY SUTCLIFFE, Chairman.

The Humber Lamp Co. Ltd.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company Town-street Armley on the 28th day of December 1898, a resolution was duly passed and confirmed at a subsequent Meeting held on the 20th day of January 1899 that the Company be wound up voluntary (by transfers) and Albert Borrill of Cardigan-lane Leeds be appointed as Liquidator.

A. B. BORRILL, Chairman.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898.

Special Resolutions of the Weld-Hercules Gold Mines, Limited.

Passed 12th January, 1899.

Confirmed 27th January, 1899.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Weld-Hercules Gold Mines, Limited, duly convened and held on the 12th day of January, 1899, the following resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, also duly convened and held on the 27th day of January, 1899, the said resolutions were duly confirmed as Special Resolutions under the Companies Act, viz.:—

Resolutions.—1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Weld-Hercules Gold Mines, Limited, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Richard Baker Hays, of 11, Abchurch-lane, London, E.C., and Mr. Alfred Caillat, of Broad-street House, London, E.C., be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up.

2. "That the Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named the Weld-Hercules Gold Mines, Limited, or such other appropriate title as may be approved by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidators of the one part, and such new Company of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company, when incorporated, in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect, with such, if any, modifications as they think expedient.

4. "That the Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized to deal with the 55,384 fully-paid shares, and the 55,383 shares credited with 1s. per share as paid thereon in the said new Company in the said agreement mentioned, and also with the 30,000 fully-paid shares in the South Weld-Hercules Gold Mining Company, Limited, not included in the said agreement, and the cash to be provided by the new Company under the terms of the said agreement as follows, that is to say:—

"(a) Each shareholder in this Company shall receive one fully-paid share in the said new Company for every five shares in this Company held by him.

"(b) Each shareholder in this Company shall be entitled in respect of every two shares held by him in this Company to apply for and receive an allotment of one of the said partly-paid shares in the new Company, and upon such allotment being made, he or any other person to whom an allotment of such partly-paid shares is made, shall also be entitled to receive three fully-paid shares in the new Company in respect of every five partly-paid shares so applied for and allotted as aforesaid, and one fully-paid share of the South Weld-Hercules Gold Mining Company, Limited, for every two partly-paid shares so applied for and allotted as aforesaid; and each shareholder in this Company shall have the right to apply for any number of partly-paid shares in excess of his proportion upon the same terms, and in case any of the said partly-paid shares are available, the same shall be allotted to the applicants pro rata. Provided always that to entitle any Member of this Company to an allotment of such partly-paid shares application must be made for the same in the form and manner prescribed by the Liquidators within 10 days next after notice requiring him to apply for the same shall have been given in the manner in which notices are required to be given to Members under the Articles of Association of this Company, such application to be accompanied by a payment of 2s. per share on the number of shares applied for, and upon the terms that the balance of 5s. on each of the shares allotted shall be payable by monthly instalments of 1s. per share, the first instalment to be payable two calendar months after the incorporation of the new Company.

"(c) The said cash shall be applied in payment of underwriting commission; and for the purpose of ensuring the success of the reconstruction scheme, the said Liquidators shall be, and they are hereby, authorized to enter into any agreement or agreements for underwriting the said partly-paid shares." By order,

W. SAURIN BROOKE, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Aerating Citroid Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held 10 Union-court, Old Broad-street, E.C. on the 29th day of December 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 20th day of January 1899 the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893, and that Mr. George Hagger Kilburn of 10 Union-court E.C. be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 30th day of January, 1899.

MAURICE J. WELLS, Chairman of Second Meeting.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the Finedon Boot Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Company's Factory in Finedon on the twentieth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed :—

1. "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Members that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same.

2. "That Mr. Augustus Cufaude Palmer of Northampton Accountant be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

F. E. BAYES, Chairman.

In the Matter of the "Bertha" Consols Coy. Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Company's offices on the 10th day of January 1899 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed :—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily. And at the same Meeting William Bawden Skewis of Bertha Yelverton Devon was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 10th day of January, 1899.

J. W. KENNEDY, Chairman.

Birmingham Central Offices Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the offices of Messrs. Felton and Walker, Numbers 1 and 2 Waterloo-street, in the city of Birmingham, on the 2nd day of January, 1899, 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 18th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Henry Walker, Chartered Accountant, of Numbers 1 and 2 Waterloo-street, in the city of Birmingham, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

JOHN R. C. TAUNTON, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Islands Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 28 Victoria-street Westminster S.W. on the 9th day of January 1899 the following 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 26th day of January 1899 the following resolution was duly confirmed, namely :—

"That the Syndicate be wound up voluntarily and that James Cunningham of 28 Victoria-street Westminster be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated the 1st day of February, 1899.

ARCHIE R. FOWLER, Chairman.

Barton and Devoil Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at Cannon-street Hotel, in the city of London, on the 9th day of January, 1899, 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 11, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, on the 24th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

Resolved.—"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. Alfred John Channon of St. Michael's House Basinghall-street E.C. Chartered Accountant be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

HENRY PATTEN, Chairman.

Banner, Son and Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, 179 London-road, in the city of Liverpool, on the 31st day of December, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 21st day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
2. "That Mr. Thomas Banner be and is hereby appointed Liquidator."

THOMAS BANNER, Chairman.

F. G. B. CRAWLEY, 5, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitor.

In the Matter of the English Exploration Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 54, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, 28th December, 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 Monday, 16th January, 1899, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898."

And at such last mentioned Meeting Mr. Adolphus Orchard Chudleigh of 54, Old Broad-street, in the city of London was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.

H. BRANDON, Chairman.

The Claims Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Syndicate, duly convened and held at 15/16 George-street Mansion House, in the city of London, on the 30th day of January 1899, the following resolutions, which were passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Syndicate, held on the 13th day of January 1899, were duly confirmed as Special Resolutions:—

1. "That the Syndicate be wound up voluntarily.
2. "That Mr. V. G. Levett be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

W. EVANS GORDON, Chairman.

ALEXANDER J. HALL, 20, Threadneedle-street, E.C., Solicitor.

Tramways Construction Company, Limited.

Passed 30th December, 1898.

Confirmed 16th January, 1899.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 52 Moorgate-street, in the city of London on the 30th day of December, 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 16th day of January, 1899, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts,

1862 and 1867, and that Henry Ramié Beeton, and Alfred Morris be, and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up." H. R. BEETON, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and in the Matter of Wickham Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the registered offices Number 6 Fountain-street Manchester on Friday the 27th day of January 1899 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. William Bolton of 13 Spring-gardens Manchester Chartered Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 27th day of January, 1899.

GEO. SCHOETENSACK, Chairman of Meeting.

In the Matter of the Bear Hotel, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 35 Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C. on the 16th day of January 1899, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 31st day of January 1899, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed viz.:—

1. "That the Hotel be sold as a going concern, and the Company wound up voluntarily.
2. "That Mr. F. J. Duck Incorporated Accountant of 6 and 7 Coleman-street E.C. be and is hereby appointed Liquidator to conduct such winding-up."

1st February, 1899.

ROBT. J. HARMER, Chairman.

The South Staffordshire Brewery Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held at the Victoria Hotel, Wolverhampton on the 30th day of December 1898, the undermentioned resolution was unanimously adopted, and at a subsequent Meeting of the Company, held at the Victoria Hotel, Wolverhampton, on the 27th day of January 1899 the same was confirmed:—

"That the Company having disposed of its business, the same be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Robert Muras, Chartered Accountant, Wolverhampton be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

THOMAS SKIDMORE, Chairman of Directors.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the South Staffordshire Brewery Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 21st day of February next, to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their Solicitors (if any), to the undersigned Robert Muras, 83 Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded

from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—February 1st, 1899.

ROBT. MURAS, 83, Darlington - street,
Wolverhampton, Liquidator.

CHAS. BROWN SMITH, Wolverhampton,
Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and in the Matter of the Bear Hotel, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of March 1899, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to the undersigned Frederick James Duck, 6 and 7 Coleman-street, London, E.C., Incorporated Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are, by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

FREDK. J. DUCK.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and of H. Engel and Company Limited.

THE above Company having disposed of its undertaking the creditors of the said Company are required on or before the 20th day of March 1899, to send in their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions and full particulars of debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Mr. Harry Engel of 50 Grainger-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors or personally to come and prove their said debt or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated the 1st day of February, 1899.

ALFRED APPLEBY, Amen Corner, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Solicitor for the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the London and Scotch Steres Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any to Frank Hall Kingham of 9 and 10 Fenchurch-street London E.C. the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are personally, or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice and in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

BIRT FOLLERT and LEA, Town Hall-chambers, Southwark, London, S.E., Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

The Stracey Liebert Yukon Syndicate Limited.
In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of March 1899 to send

their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Alfred Edward Maidlow Davis of 1 and 2 Great Winchester-street in the city of London England the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

HUBBARD and WHEELER, 13 and 14, Abchurch - lane, London, England, Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the Yorkshire Piece Dyers Association Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the twenty-eighth day of February 1899, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Mr. Henry Sutcliffe of 25 Leeds-road, Bradford or to Mr. George Herbert France of 20 Swaine-street, Bradford, the Liquidators of the said Company, or to the undersigned their Solicitors at 5 Bank-street, Bradford aforesaid, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, are by their Solicitors, or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

MUMFORD JOHNSON and Co., 5, Bank-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the above named Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Manchester Steel Nut and Tube Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 1st day of March 1899 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any to Alfred Shuttleworth of Duchy-chambers 4 Clarence-street in the city of Manchester Chartered Accountant the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

RICHARD PAGE, Duchy - chambers, 4, Clarence-street, Manchester, Solicitor to the said Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Electrical Coal Cutting Contract Corporation Limited. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 24th day of March 1899 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Walter Thomas Goolden of 2 St. Nicholas-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne in the county of Northumberland the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and

place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

GUSCOTTE and FOWLER, 1, York-buildings, Adelphi, London, Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Double-Arch Tyre Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of March 1899, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Owen Avison of Market-street, Milnsbridge, Huddersfield, Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

ARMITAGE SYKES and HINCHCLIFFE, 13, Westgate, Huddersfield, Solicitors for the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and of the North Western Pioneers Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 17th day of March 1899 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Henry Windsor Bayne of 101 Leadenhall-street in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

HENRY CHAS. BARKER, of 7, Union-court, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Sunrise Mining Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the 12th day of March 1899 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to me the undersigned Harmon Sidney Baker of Cophall House Cophall-avenue in the city of London Liquidator of the said Company and if so required in writing from me are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in the notice, or in default that they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1899.

H. S. BAKER, Liquidator of the above-named Co.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of Barton and Devoil Limited.

THE creditors of the abovenamed Company are requested, on or before the 14th day of March 1899, to send their names and addresses and

the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors if any to A. J. Channon Esq. of St. Michael's House Basinghall-street in the city of London Chartered Accountant the Liquidator of the said Company and if so requested by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the aforesaid office of the said Liquidator at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January, 1899.

JNO. ROB. PAKEMAN, 11, Ironmonger-lane, E.C. Solicitor for the Liquidator.

The Matabele Gold-Alluvial Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of the Company 19 St. Swithin's-lane London E.C. on Tuesday the 7th day of March 1899 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators and also of passing the following resolution:—"That the books accounts and documents of the Company be retained by the Liquidators for 6 months from this date and then destroyed."—Dated this first day of February, 1899.

INGLE HOLMES and SONS 20, Threadneedle-street, London, E.C. Solicitors for the Liquidators.

The Magnesite Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 20th day of March 1899 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors if any to the under mentioned William Henry Stentiford the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as may be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 24th day of January, 1899.

WILLIAM H. STENTIFORD, 18 Austin Friars, London, E.C.

Miller and Aldworth Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 2 Lime-street-square in the city of London on Monday the sixth day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

ALMG WARDE, Liquidator.

The Manchester Entertainments Company
Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the office of Mr. William Powell Solicitor 89 Fountain-street Manchester on Saturday, the 11th day of March next at 4 o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and other documents of the Company.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

JNO. M. COTTON, Liquidator.
WILLIAM POWELL, Solicitor.

Orange Blossoms Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held on the seventh day of March 1899 at three o'clock in the afternoon at the offices of Messrs. Geo. S. Warming-ton and Co. 30 Budge-row E.C. to receive the Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and to pass an Extraordinary Resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and documents of the Company.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

FRED. VENABLES, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Mortgage Company of
Mexico Limited. In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. H. F. Knight and Co., 17, Devonshire-chambers, Bishopsgate-street Without, London, E.C., on Monday the 6th day of March 1899, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the said Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 1st day of February, 1899.

H. F. KNIGHT, Liquidator.

The West Melton Water Works Company
Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the Mechanics' Institute Wath-upon-Dearne in the county of York on Tuesday the seventh day of March 1899 at half-past 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of fixing the remuneration to be paid to the Liquidator, and of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts documents and papers relating exclusively to the Shareholders in and the constitution of the Company and to the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the thirtieth day of January, 1899.

THOMAS CLARKE, Liquidator.

No. 27048.

K

Lemmon and Son Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of sec. 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 42 Lower-road Rotherhithe on Monday the 6th day of March 1899 at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this thirtieth day of January, 1899.

C. H. LEMMON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of Goodwins, Jardine and Company Limited. In Liquidation.

THE Liquidator hereby intimates that a Second Dividend will be paid within his chambers, 150 Hope-street, Glasgow, on and after Tuesday, the 7th day of February, 1899, to all creditors whose proofs of debt have been duly lodged and admitted by him.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1899.

J. W. STEWART, C.A., Liquidator.
BANNATYNE KIRKWOOD FRANCE and Co.,
145, West George-street, Glasgow,
Solicitors in the Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick William Baker, Charles Campbell Macklin, William Henry Behrens, and Charles Wreford Brown, carrying on business as Solicitors, at 131, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Jenkins, Baker, and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of January, 1899. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said Frederick William Baker, William Henry Behrens, and Charles Wreford Brown, by whom all debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid.—Dated the 26th day of January, 1899.

FREDERICK WILLIAM BAKER.
C. CAMPBELL MACKLIN.
WILLIAM HENRY BEHRENS.
C. WREFORD BROWN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Henry Chapman and Robert Chapman, carrying on business as Paper-hanging Manufacturers, at No. 176, Southwark Bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Chapman Brothers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of October, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Chapman.—Dated 27th day of January, 1899.

J. H. CHAPMAN.
R. CHAPMAN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Percival Spooner, George Richard Dunn, and Charles John Bannister, carrying on business as Scientific Instrument Makers, at 84, Hatton-garden, E.C., under the style or firm of Bessus and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Richard Dunn and Charles John Bannister.—Dated 28th day of January, 1899.

GEO. P. SPOONER.
GEO. R. DUNN.
C. J. BANNISTER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Augustus Ferdinand Brandt, Arthur Henry Brandt, Augustus Philip Brandt, and Henry Bernhard Brandt, carrying on business as Merchants, under the style of Wm. Brandt's Sons and Co., at 4, Fenchurch-avenue in the city of London, has by mutual consent been dissolved as far as regards the said Arthur Henry Brandt who retires from the firm as from 31st December, 1898.—Dated this 26th day of January, 1899.

AUGS. F. BRANDT. AUGS. P. BRANDT.
A. H. BRANDT. HENRY B. BRANDT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Taylor Davall and Joseph Taylor Davall the younger, carrying on business as Book Edge Gilders, at 2, St. John's-lane, Clerkenwell, London, under the style of J. T. Davall and Son, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of December, 1898, and that in future such business will be carried on by the said Joseph Taylor Davall the younger, in partnership with the undersigned Ernest Davall, under the style of J. T. Davall and Sons. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said new firm.—Dated this first day of February, 1899.

JOSEPH TAYLOR DAVALL.
JOSEPH TAYLOR DAVALL the Younger.
ERNEST DAVALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Shonbrun and Thomas Barber, carrying on business as Manufacturers of Ladies' Straw and Felt Hats and Children's Millinery, at 77, Milton-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Shonbrun and Barber, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of January, 1899. All debts due to, and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Barber, who will continue to carry on the said business as heretofore.—Dated this thirtieth day of January, 1899.

JOSEPH SHONBRUN.
THOMAS BARBER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Arthur Bunting and Edward Charles Robinson, carrying on business as Cycle and Gear Case Manufacturers, at 31, Fumival-street, Holborn, E.C., under the style or firm of City Gear Case Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 23rd day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Charles Robinson.—Dated this first day of February, 1899.

ARTHUR BUNTING.
EDWARD CHARLES ROBINSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Frank Snell Wiltshire and John Tame carrying on business as Carmen and Carriers and Contractors, at 123, Whitcross-street in the city of London under the style or firm of Tame and Wiltshire has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of February, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frank Snell Wiltshire.—Dated 1st day of February, 1899.

F. S. WILTSHIRE.
JOHN TAME.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Beck and Hans Bücking, carrying on business as Commission Agents and Merchants, at 23, Paper-street, Whitcross-street, in the county of London, under the style or firm of William Beck and Bücking was dissolved as and from the 30th day of January, 1899, by mutual consent from which date the said William Beck alone will carry on the said business who will receive and pay all debts due to or owing by the said late firm.—Dated the 30th day of January, 1899.

WILLIAM BECK.
H. BÜCKING.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Septimus Alexander Marks and Frederick Solomon, carrying on business as Hatters and Hosiers, at 80A, Whitechapel-road, 27, Mile End-road, both in the county of Middlesex, and 555, Battersea Park-road, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Roberts and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of January, 1899.—Dated this thirtieth day of January, 1899.

SEPTIMUS ALEXANDER MARKS.
FREDERICK SOLOMON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Wesley Burwood and James Searson carrying on business as Physicians and Surgeons, at Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Burwood and Searson has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 30th day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Wesley Burwood.—Dated this 29th day of January, 1899.

JAS. SEARSON.
T. W. BURWOOD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Edgar Heath and John Jordan Adams, carrying on business as Manufacturers' Agents, at 49, Holborn-viaduct, London, E.C., under the style or firm of Heath and Adams, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Edgar Heath.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

J. E. HEATH.
J. J. ADAMS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Nathaniel Buxton and John Edward Sears carrying on business as Manufacturers at Dunedin House Basinghall-avenue in the city of London under the style or firm of N. Buxton and Co. was dissolved as and from the 14th day of January 1899, by mutual consent.—Dated the 1st day of February 1899.

NATHANIEL BUXTON.
JOHN E. SEARS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Phillipps, and John Phillipps Charles Graves the elder, and John Phillipps Charles Graves the younger, carrying on business as Ship and Insurance Brokers and Lightermen, at Botolph House, Eastcheap, London under the style or firm of Phillipps and Graves, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st December last so far as regards Richard Phillipps. The business will be continued at the same address and under the same style as before by the remaining partners and all debts due to and owing by the firm will be received and paid by them.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1899.

RICHARD PHILLIPPS.
JOHN P. C. GRAVES.
J. P. C. GRAVES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Philip Thompson and Arthur Stainsby Black of 21A, Old Change Cannon-street, London, E.C. in the business of Manufacturers' Agents under the style of Thompson and Black has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st January 1899.—Dated this 1st February 1899.

PHILIP THOMPSON.
ARTHUR STAINSBY BLACK.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Karl Katz and Oscar Lobl carrying on business as Agents and Dealers in Sewing Machines and other Goods at 72 Aldersgate-street in the city of London under the style or firm of Katz and Lobl was dissolved as and from the 12th day of January 1899 by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Oscar Lobl.—Dated the 18th day of January 1899.

KARL KATZ.
OSCAR LOBL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Eleanor Rose Field and Marianne Shaw, in the trade or business of Shorthand Writers and Typists, at Numbers 96 and 98, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Field and Shaw has been this day dissolved by mutual consent as from the 25th day of December, 1898.—Dated this thirty-first day of January, 1899.

ELEANOR ROSE FIELD.
MARIANNE SHAW.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Josiah Messent and Samuel Tarry, carrying on business as Tailors and Outfitters, at No. 122 (formerly 112A) North-end, Croydon, in the county of Surrey under the style or firm of Gilbert Tarry, was dissolved as and from the 29th day of July, 1898, by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received or paid by the said Samuel Tarry who will continue the business.—Dated the 30th day of January, 1899.

JOSIAH MESSENT.
SAMUEL TARRY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Albert Henson Bailey and Samuel Elson, carrying on business as Wholesale Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, at Finedon, in the county of Northampton, under the style or firm of Bailey and Elson, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Albert Henson Bailey.—Dated this thirty-first day of January, 1899.

ALBERT HENSON BAILEY.
SAMUEL ELSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John William Tomlinson, Joseph Tomlinson, George Webster Tomlinson, and Arthur Tomlinson, carrying on business as Wholesale Clothiers, at 19, Bond-street, Leeds, under the style or firm of George Tomlinson and Sons, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 24th day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Joseph Tomlinson, George Webster Tomlinson, and Arthur Tomlinson, by whom the business will be carried on.—Dated 24th day of January, 1899.

JOHN WILLIAM TOMLINSON.
JOSEPH TOMLINSON.
GEORGE WEBSTER TOMLINSON.
ARTHUR TOMLINSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Fieldhouse, John Fieldhouse, and Thomas Fieldhouse the younger, carrying on business as Coalmasters, at Dimmacks Colliery, Princes End, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Thomas Fieldhouse and Sons, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Fieldhouse and Thomas Fieldhouse the younger who will continue to carrying on the business under the style or firm of Fieldhouse Brothers.—Dated this twenty-fifth day of January, 1899.

THOMAS FIELDHOUSE.
JOHN FIELDHOUSE.
THOMAS FIELDHOUSE, JUNR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Herbert King and Henry Cuthbert Terry carrying on business as Sheep and Cattle Salesmen, at Rye and Ashford, under the style or firm of King and Terry, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of January, 1899.—Dated 31st day of January, 1899.

HERBERT KING.
HENRY CUTHBERT TERRY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James George Peace, William Henry John Peace, and Jabez Hinkley carrying on business at Queens-square, High Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, as Outfitters, Clothiers, Woollen Drapers, and Tailors, under the style or firm of Peace Son and Co., was on the 30th day of January, 1899 dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said James George Peace who will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the said firm.—As witness our hands this thirtieth day of January, 1899.

J. G. PEACE.
W. H. J. PEACE.
J. HINKLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Mary Anne Jones, of De Montfort-street, in the county borough of Leicester, and Thomas Haddon Prentice, of Princess-street, Leicester aforesaid, carrying on business as Hosiery Manufacturers, at Newark-street, Leicester, under the style or firm of J. S. Rice and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Haddon Prentice by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the same style as heretofore.—Dated 30th day of January, 1899.

MARY ANNE JONES.
THOMAS HADDON PRENTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Krinks Barker and Joseph Read, carrying on business as Earthenware Manufacturers and Decorators at Fenton, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Barker and Read, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 2nd day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Krinks Barker.—Dated 30th day of January, 1899.

HENRY KRINKS BARKER.
JOSEPH READ.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William John Price and Frank Lee Price, carrying on business as Corn Millers, at the Town Mills, in the city of Sheffield, under the style or firm of Price and Sons, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frank Lee Price.—Dated this twenty-seventh day of January, 1899.

W. J. PRICE.
FRANK L. PRICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Strachan, of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Physician and Surgeon, and Angus Campbell, of Sunderland aforesaid, Physician and Surgeon, carrying on business at No. 12, Dundas-street, Monkwearmouth Shore, in the said county of Durham, as Physicians, Surgeons and Apothecaries, under the style or firm of Strachan and Campbell, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 20th day of December, 1898. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Angus Campbell who will continue the said business under the old style of Strachan and Campbell.—As witness our hands this twenty-sixth day of January, 1899.

BENJAMIN STRACHAN.
ANGUS CAMPBELL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Reginald Haigh and Henry John Carmichael Anderson carrying on business at Liverpool as Cotton Brokers under the style of Thomas Haigh and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of January 1899 so far as regards the said Henry John Carmichael Anderson who retires therefrom. All debts owing to and from the firm will be received and paid by the said Reginald Haigh.—Dated 31st day of January 1899.

REGINALD HAIGH.
HENRY J. C. ANDERSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick John Freeth Smith and Ernest Collins Chard, carrying on business as Carvers Gilders and Picture Dealers, at No. 4, Wood-street, in the city of Bath, under the style or firm of Freeth Smith and Chard, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 14th day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frederick John Freeth Smith.—Dated 25 day of January, 1899.

F. J. FREETH SMITH.
ERNEST C. CHARD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Marshall and Thomas Marshall, carrying on business at 4, Winding-road, Halifax, in the county of York, as Ale and Porter Merchants, under the style or firm of Marshall Brothers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1899.

JOHN MARSHALL.
THOMAS MARSHALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by John William Greaves and Joseph Henry Chantrey, under the style or firm of Chantrey and Greaves, at Parkgate, in the trade or business of Builders, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 28th day of January, 1899.—As witness our hands this 30th day of January, 1899.

JOHN WILLIAM GREAVES.
JOSEPH HENRY CHANTREY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Isaiah Turner, Oliver Bury and Ezra Dewhurst, under the firm of Turner Bury and Dewhurst, at Provident Mill, Darwen, in the county of Lancaster, in the trade or business of Cotton Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Ezra Dewhurst. The business will in future be carried on by the said Isaiah Turner and Oliver Bury at the place of business aforesaid.—As witness our hands this 30th day of January, 1899.

ISAIAH TURNER.
OLIVER BURY.
EZRA DEWHURST.

Re J. and U. Wilcox Leigh on Mendip, Somerset.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Wilcox and Urban Wilcox, carrying on business as Builders, Contractors, Brick and Tile Makers, and Lime Burners, at Leigh on Mendip, in the county of Somerset, under the style or firm of J. and U. Wilcox, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 28th day of January, 1899. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Urban Wilcox who will continue the business.—Dated this 28th day of January, 1899.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between Levi Prescott and the undersigned Albert Edward Prescott, carrying on business as Bricklayers and Building Contractors, at Leigh, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Prescott Brothers, has been dissolved as from the date hereof, by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Albert Edward Prescott who in his own name will continue business at Leigh aforesaid.—As witness my hand this 30th day of January 1899. **ALBERT EDWARD PRESCOTT.**

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to a Decretal Order of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax, in an action of Edwards against Edwards and others, it was declared that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the plaintiff James Reuben Edwards, the defendant James Edwards and the late John Lindley Edwards, in the business of Contractors, at Stainland, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, do stand dissolved as from the 18th day of June, 1897. The creditors or claimants against the said Partnership are, on or before the 20th day of March, 1899, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them; in default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Monday, the 17th day of April, 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Registrar's Office, County Court Halifax, is appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

RAYWOOD M. STANSFELD, Registrar.

GEORGE COATES Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of George Coates late of Westgate Pickering in the county of York but formerly of Keld Slack in the township of Newton-upon-Rawcliffe in the said county Farmer deceased (who died on the 31st day of January 1896 and whose will was proved in the York District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 13th day of June 1896 by Martha Coates (since deceased) Robert Kitching and Robert Brisby the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claim to us, the undersigned Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 8th day of March 1899 after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

E. J. and A. PETERS 4 New-street, York, Solicitors.

MARTHA COATES Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Martha Coates late of Eden House Westgate Pickering in the county of York Spinster deceased (who died on the 22nd day of January 1898 and whose will was proved in the York District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of July 1898 by Robert Brisby and Robert Kitching the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claim to us, the undersigned Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 8th day of March 1899 after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

E. J. and A. PETERS, 4, New-street, York, Solicitors.

Mr. JOHN NEAL Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mr. John Neal of Essex House No. 402 Uxbridge-road Shepherd's Bush in the county of Middlesex Gentleman deceased who died on the 22nd day of November 1898 and probate of whose will was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 10th day of January 1899 to Mrs. Amelia Louisa Neal Widow the relict and Messrs. Thomas Essex Neal and Edward Flowers Neal the sons of the said deceased the executors named in the said will, are required to send the particulars of their claims

and demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 20th day of March 1899 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 or demands of which they shall then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said assets.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

W. H. HERBERT 10 Cork-street Burlington-gardens London, W.

MARY RIMMER Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Rimmer late of Fir Tree Farm Aughton in the county of Lancaster Spinster who died on the seventh day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine and administration to whose estate was granted to Henry Rimmer of Aughton aforesaid Farmer by the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Liverpool on the twenty-seventh day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said administrator on or before the first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

**PARR SADLER DICKINSON and WATSON
2 Railway-road Ormskirk Solicitors for the said Administrator.**

Re CYRIL FRANCIS HAMMOND Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Cyril Francis Hammond late of 365 Upton-lane, Forest Gate Gentleman (who died on the 1st day of October 1898 and whose will was proved by Isabella Mary Hammond Frances Elizabeth Collier and Henry Mortimer the executors therein named on the 19th day of November 1898 in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of March 1899 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

**J. H. NICHOLAS, Duke-street, Chelmsford,
Solicitor to the Executors.**

Re HENRY DRAKE Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Drake late of Old King Cross Inn Halifax and formerly of the White Lion Hotel Huddersfield, both in the county of York, retired Hotel Proprietor (who died on the 21st day of December 1893 and whose will was duly proved on the 23rd day of January 1899 in the Wakefield Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, by Harry Helliwell of the King's Head Inn Halifax, Hotel Proprietor and Herbert Helliwell of the Old King Cross Inn Halifax aforesaid Hotel Assistant the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned or to Ernest Alexander Beaumont, 28 Queen-street Huddersfield, agent to the executors on or before the first day of March 1899; after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of January 1899.

**HARRY HELLIWELL,
HERBERT HELLIWELL,**

Mrs. JULIA HAYNES 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."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Julia Haynes late of 15 Dornton-road, Balham in the county of Surrey but formerly of East Ashling in the county of Sussex, Widow deceased (who died on the 6th day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th day of January 1899 by Charles James Richard Tijou, James Thomas Life and George Charles Tijou, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 28th day of February 1899, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

GEORGE C. TIJOU Town Hall-chambers Stratford, E. Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re CHARLES ARNOLD ABENHEIM Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Arnold Abenheim late of 57 Percival-street Chorlton-upon-Medlock in the city of Manchester Head Waiter deceased (who died on the 5th day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 5th day of January 1899 by Benjamin Scott of 48 Ardwick-green in the city of Manchester Bachelor of Medicine the executor therein mentioned) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Richard Higham on or before the 11th day of March 1899 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

RICHD. HIGHAM 49 Princess-street Manchester Solicitor for the said Executor.

JAMES ROBERT LUSH Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Robert Lush late of Deal in the county of Kent Principal of Deal College deceased (who died on the 14th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved in the Canterbury District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of January 1899 by Eliza Lush and George Austen the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 3rd day of March next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

BROWN and BROWN 127 High-street Deal Solicitors for the Executors.

JAMES ARCHER Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Archer late of 40 Dover-street Chorlton-upon-Medlock in the city of Manchester in the county of Lancaster Merchant deceased a member of the firm of James Searle and Co. Merchants 17 Major-street Manchester (who died on the 3rd day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Manchester Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of January 1899 by John Edward Morris of 17 Major-street in the city of Manchester Merchant and Edith Jackson (Wife of Theophilus Jackson) of Rooks Haven Glebelands-road Knutsford in the county of Chester the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of

their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 1st day of April next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

COBBETT WHEELER and COBBETT 61 Brown-street, Manchester Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re HANNAH MERTON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Hannah Merton late of 77 Westbourne-terrace in the county of London Widow deceased who died on the 24th day of December 1898, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day January 1899 by Henry Benjamin Merton of 3 Palace-houses Bayswater W. Esq. Benjamin Louis Cohen of 30 Hyde Park-gardens W. M.P. and Louisa Emily Cohen of the same place, wife of the said B. L. Cohen (the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned, Dixon, Elkin and Dixon on or before the 10th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

DIXON ELKIN and DIXON Savoy Mansions, the Savoy W.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re WILLIAM JOSEPH FARRELL Deceased.

(Sometimes known as WILLIAM FARRELL.)

Re ANN FARRELL Deceased.

(Widow of the said William Joseph Farrell.)

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Joseph Farrell late of No. 74 Fulham-road and afterwards of No. 3 Pelham-crescent in the county of London Tailor deceased (who died on the 27th of February 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice in March 1898 by the said Ann Farrell (since deceased) the sole executrix therein named) and also creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the said Ann Farrell of the addresses aforesaid deceased who died on the 3rd of December 1898 are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the executors of the said Ann Farrell on or before the 14th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets amongst the persons 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 or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1899.

H. B. WORRELL and SON of 80 Coleman-street London E.C. Solicitors.

JAMES SHATWELL VICKERS Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of James Shatwell Vickers of 46 Everton-road Chorlton-upon-Medlock Manchester Merchants, Salesman who died on the 8th January 1899 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted on the 26th January 1899 to Sarah Ann Vickers, are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said administratrix on or before the 30th day of March 1899 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

DIGGLES and OGDEN 22, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Administratrix,

JOSEPH OGDEN Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Joseph Ogden late of Holme Cottage Lightcliffe in the county of York Gentleman deceased (who died on the 24th day of July 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 18th day of October 1897 by George Henry Manks of Elland in the said county Malster (since deceased) Tom Craven Dawson of Lightcliffe aforesaid Contractor, and James Bottomley of Brighouse in the said county, Innkeeper the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 6th day of March next after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of January 1899.

GEO. FURNISS ROBERTS and CO. Bank-buildings, Brighouse, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re SARAH LLOYD Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Sarah Lloyd late of Rose Cottage Sydenham-road Totterdown in the city and county of Bristol Widow formerly of 69 Somerset-street Cathay Bristol aforesaid deceased (who died on the 29th day of August 1898 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bristol of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of December 1898 by Sarah Annie Maria Ell of 69 Somerset-street Cathay aforesaid the executrix therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Fairfax Spofforth on or before the 18th day of February 1899 after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

FAIRFAX SPOFFORTH 24 Broad-street Bristol Solicitor for the said Executrix

Re JOHN HENRY BATH Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Henry Bath late of Number 2 Charlton-street Lawrence-hill in the city and county of Bristol Pork Butcher deceased (who died on the 6th day of October 1893 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bristol of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of November 1898 by Thomas Holder of the Glass House Hotel Lawrence-hill in the city and county of Bristol aforesaid Licensed Victualler and Albert Walter Lewes of Number 142 Lawrence-hill in the said city and county of Bristol aforesaid Hairdresser the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Fairfax Spofforth on or before the 18th day of February 1899 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

FAIRFAX SPOFFORTH 24 Broad-street Bristol Solicitor for the said Executors.

JOHN STEPHEN JARVIS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Stephen Jarvis late of Devon House Clapham Common in the county of Surrey Gentleman deceased (who died on the 15th day of December 1898 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 23rd day of January 1899 by Mary Jarvis Widow the relict of the said deceased

David Lintott (in the will spelt Lintot) Lord and Stephen Jarvis son of the said deceased thereof the executors named in the said will David Sinclair the other executor named in the said will having renounced probate and execution of the said will and codicil) are required to send in particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned Messrs. Munns and Longden Solicitors for the said executors at No. 8 Old Jewry in the city of London on or before the 30th day of March next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the debts claims or demands only of which they shall then have received notice and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

MUNNS and LONGDEN, 8, Old Jewry, London E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

MARY ANN PRIEST Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of Mary Ann Priest late of 60 St. Albans-road Watford Herts Spinster who died on the 26th December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice on the 18th January 1899 by Henry Morien Turner of Watford aforesaid Solicitor and Samuel Goodchild of Watford aforesaid Draper the executors thereof are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to the said executors at Watford-place Watford aforesaid or to us the undersigned their Solicitors on or before the 1st March 1899 at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Mary Ann Priest the testatrix among the persons entitled thereto having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said executors shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 26th day of January 1899.

SEDGWICK, TURNER and ODDIE, Watford, Solicitors to the Executors of the said Mary Ann Priest.

ANDREW WILLIAM DAWSON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Andrew William Dawson late of No. 28 Nettleton-road, New Cross, in the county of London (formerly of No. 420 New Cross-road in the said county afterwards of No. 13 Nettleton-road aforesaid) Insurance Agent (who died on the 6th November 1898 and whose will and two codicils were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 25th January instant by Adam Marx and William John Quinton the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 15th March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

J. A. and H. E. FARNFIELD 90, Lower Thames-street, London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re ARTHUR STRETTON Deed.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Arthur Stretton late of 3 Argyle-avenue Argyle-street Birmingham formerly of 131 Cuckoo-road Netchells Birmingham Haulier deceased (who died on the 22nd day of June 1898 and whose will was proved in the Birmingham, District Registry on the 29th day of July 1898, by Edwin James and Charles Henry Western the executors therein named) are required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of March 1899 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

T. WALLACE-ROBINSON 63, Temple-row Bir- mingham Solicitor for the said Executors.

JANE CORDEROY Deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of Jane Corderoy late of 62 Colworth-road Leytonstone in the county of Essex Widow deceased (who died on the 2nd day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 9th day of January last by Frederick Higgs and Emily Ellis the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned on or before the first day of March next, and notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the 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 of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

WALKER and BATTISCOMBE 26 Basinghall-street E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

SAMUEL MORE RICHARDS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Samuel More Richards late of Lillamore Sutton in the county of Surrey and of 147 Fenchurch-street in the city of London Merchant deceased (who died at Liverpool on the 12th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved in London on the 26th day of January 1899 by Augustus Hodd Child of Oaklands Edenbridge in the county of Kent Esqr., and Edward Percy Hollams of 30 Mincing-lane in the city of London Solicitor the executors named in the said will are requested to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 25th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall have then had notice and the said executors will not be liable or accountable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

HOLLAMS SONS COWARD and HAWKSLEY 30 Mincing-lane E.C.

GEORGE HAWORTH POTTER 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."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Haworth Potter late of 51 Essex-street Hoxton in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman deceased (who died on the eighth day of December 1898 and whose will with a codicil was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of January 1899 by James Stanyon and the Reverend Richard Broadbent Dowling the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 15th day of March 1899, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

G. HERBERT GRIFFIN, 36 Essex-street, Strand London W.C. Solicitor for the Executors.

WILLIAM POOLE SCOTT Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Poole Scott late of Loretto Cantelup-road Bexhill in the county of Sussex Estate Agent deceased (who died on the 27th day of November 1898 intestate and letters of administration to whose estate were granted out of the District Probate Registry at Lewes of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 12th day of January 1899 to Annie Scott his lawful

Widow and relict) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned as Solicitor for the said administratrix on or before the 1st day of March 1899 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

CHAS. A. PEAD St. Leonard's-road Bexhill Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

Re BENJAMIN GOODYEAR Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Benjamin Goodyear late of Bambon Hall Farm Flamstead in the county of Hertford Farmer deceased who died on the 27th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved on the 25th day of January 1899 in the Principal Registry by Frederick Goodyear the younger the sole executor therein named are hereby required to send in particulars thereof in writing to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 3rd day of March 1899 after which day the said executor will distribute the assets in his hands having regard only to those claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

H. H. WELLS and SON 16 Paternoster-row E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re Miss FRANCES MARY MATTINSON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Miss Frances Mary Mattinson of 276 Lower Broughton-road in Lower Broughton Manchester deceased (who died on the 28th day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Probate Registry on the 24th day of January 1899 by William Wigglesworth the sole executor) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 18th day of March 1899 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1899.

WIGGLESWORTH and SON, Chancery-place, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re MARTHA ASHWORTH Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Martha Ashworth deceased late of Ralph Fold, Gee Cross, Hyde, in the county of Cheshire, Spinster deceased who died on the 5th day of December 1898, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to us the undersigned on or before the 28th day of February 1899 after which date the executor (Frederick Ashworth) will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

HERVEY SMITH and SONS 92 Market-street, Hyde Solicitors for the Executor.

Re ROBERT ASHFORD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Robert Ashford late of No. 4 Clarkson-street Ipswich in the county of Suffolk Gentleman deceased who died on the 19th day of September 1898 and whose will was proved by me the undersigned the sole executor therein named on the 9th day of December 1898 in the Ipswich District Probate Registry are required to send in particulars of their claims to me on or before the 1st day of March next after which date I shall distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

W. E. KERSEY 15 Tower-street Ipswich Solicitor.

JOHN HARLING Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Harling formerly of 2 Bank-street St. Ann's-square Manchester in the county of Lancaster and late of the Victoria Hotel Promenade Southport in the said county Gentleman deceased (who died on or about the 10th day of December 1898 and whose will with a codicil thereto were proved on the 17th day of January 1899 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by Richard Huskisson Gibson of Kersal Bank Higher Broughton Manchester aforesaid Commission Agent and Robert Platt Wakeloy of 2 Churchcroft Carlton-road Whalley Range Manchester aforesaid Underwriter the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to the undersigned the Solicitors of the said executors on or before the fifteenth day of March next; and notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

PARR SADLER DICKINSON and WATSON
211 Lord-street Southport Solicitors for the said Executors.

THOMAS BAYLEY POTTER 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."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Bayley Potter late of No. 31 Courtfield-gardens South Kensington in the county of Middlesex and of the Hurst Midhurst in the county of Sussex Esquire deceased (who died on the 6th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of January 1899 by Arthur Bayley Potter one of the executors named therein) are hereby requested to send in the particulars of their debts claims and demands to the said executor at the offices of the undersigned his solicitors on or before the 20th day of March next and notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Bayley Potter deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 1st day of February, 1899.

SALE SKEDDON and CO. 29 Booth-street Manchester Solicitors for the said Executor.

HENRY GLASBEY Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors of Henry Glasbey late of Station-street Swinton in the county of York Butcher (who died in the month of November last and whose will was proved by Joseph Aquila Bower and Luke Charlesworth the executors therein named on the 20th day of January last) are on or before the 25th day of March next to send particulars of their debts or claims to the office of us the undersigned or in default thereof the said executors will after that date distribute the assets of the said Henry Glasbey amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they have then notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

HARROP and HARROP Rotherham Solicitors to the Executors.

Re THOMAS ROBERT WOOD (otherwise TOM WOOD)
Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Robert Wood (otherwise Tom Wood) late of Number 21 Wellington-road Rhyd in the county of Flint Comedian deceased (who died there on the 1st day of September 1898 and to whose estate letters of administration were on the 28th day of January 1899 granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at the Principal Probate Registry thereof to Samuel John Amos of Sussex-street Rhyd aforesaid Printer and Publisher, a creditor of the said deceased

intestate) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the administrator on or before the 28th day of February 1899 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 1st day of February 1899.

GAMLIN and WILLIAMS Rhyd Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re WILLIAM WEST Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William West late of 49 Harrison-road Hillsborough in the county of York Gentlemen deceased (who died on the 14th day of March 1898 and whose will was proved in the Wakefield Probate Registry on the 14th day of July 1898 by Henry Swift and Thomas Ambler the younger the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

RODGERS THOMAS and SANDFORD 30 Bank-street Sheffield Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re JAMES WALKER SYKES Deceased.

Pursuant to the Trustee Relief Act 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Walker Sykes late of 76 Lockwood-road Huddersfield in the county of York Joiner deceased (who died on the 13th day of October 1898 and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of November 1898 by Thomas Sykes of Rashcliffe Huddersfield aforesaid Joiner James Sykes of Heckmondwike in the county of York Chemical Manufacturer and George Hellowell of 5 Albany-terrace Lockwood Huddersfield, aforesaid, Auctioneer's Clerk, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Edward Foster Brook on or before the 18th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1899.

ED. FOSTER BROOK 19 John William-street Huddersfield Solicitor for the said Executors.

JOSHUA MILLS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joshua Mills late of Liscard Village Liscard in the county of Chester Plumber deceased (who died on the 5th day of July 1898 and whose will was proved by Thomas Daniel of 14 Longland-road Liscard aforesaid Post-office Clerk and Edward Cornish of 9 Hoseside-road Liscard aforesaid Solicitor the executors therein named on the 6th day of January 1899 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice (are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned Edward Cornish one of the said executors on or before the 16th day of March next and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 30th day of January 1899.

EDWARD CORNISH 19 Castle-street Liverpool, Solicitors one of the said Executors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of Harriet Margaret Booth late of No. 14, Decimus Burton-road, Thornton Heath in the county of Surrey Spinster deceased (who died on or about the 13th day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 20th day of January 1899 by Edwin Robert Goddard and Thomas Coales the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 23th day of February, 1899 and notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that the said executors shall not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of January 1899.

S. G. EDRIDGE, 4 High-street, Croydon, Solicitor for the said Executors.

CHARLOTTE SUSANNAH DOBSON Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria 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 Charlotte Susannah Dobson late of No. 92 Forster-cottages, Phillip-lane South Tottenham in the county of Middlesex Widow deceased who died on or about the 29th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved by Richard Crouch the executor therein named on the 17th day of January 1899 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 10th day of March next after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties legally entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

PEDLEY MAY and FLEICHER 23 Bush-lane
London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

EMMA GALLON Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd
Victoria cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Emma Gallon formerly of Number 9 Norwich-street Cambridge but late of Tilehurst near Reading Berks Widow deceased (who died on the 4th day of September 1893 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 21st day of November 1898 by Henry John Gallon and James Harle the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 14th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

GINN and MATTHEW 63 St. Andrew's-street
Cambridge Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss **SOPHIA ELLIS** Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons claiming as next-of-kin and all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Sophia Ellis late of No. 32A Parrock-street Milton Gravesend in the county of Kent Spinster deceased (who died on the 16th day of October 1898 intestate and of whose estate letters of administration were granted at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 30th day of November 1898 to Clara Ellis of No. 54 Western-road Ealing Middlesex Spinster) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned

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on or before the 16th day of March 1899 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

WALTER W. BOND 14 Golden-square London
W. Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

ALEXANDER MUDD Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Alexander Mudd late of Melmerby in the parish of Coverham in the North Riding of the county of York Farmer deceased (who died on the 11th day of April 1898 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 11th day of May 1898 to Margaret Mudd the Widow) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to me the undersigned on or before the 10th day of March next after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated the 31st day of January 1899.

HUGH MAUGHAN the Castle Hill Middleham
R.S.O. Yorkshire Solicitor for the Administratrix.

Re **CHARLES DAVID WRIGHT** Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of 22nd and 23rd
Victoria chap. 35 entitled "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 Charles David Wright late of No. 87 Hoxton-street Hoxton in the county of London and also of No. 27 Great St. Andrews-street St. Giles in the said county of London Master Cutler deceased who died on the 14th day of June 1890 at No. 87 Hoxton-street Hoxton aforesaid and whose will was proved on the 25th day of July 1890 in the Principal Registry Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Esther Wright (the Widow and relict) Charles John Wright and Henry Philip Knight the executrix and executors thereof are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the surviving executors of the said will on or before the 1st day of March next after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

KEIGHLEY ARNOLD and SISMEY, 37 Lincoln's-
inn-fields W.C. Solicitors for the said surviving
Executors and Trustees of the said deceased's
will.

Re **ESTHER WRIGHT** Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of 22nd and 23rd Vic.
chap. 35 entitled "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 Esther Wright late of No. 83 Clifden road Clapton Park in the county of London Widow deceased who died on the 3rd day of December 1898 at No. 83 Clifden-road aforesaid and whose will was proved on the 26th day of January 1899 in the Principal Registry Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Charles Edwin Jennery of No. 6 Berkeley-road Crouch End in the county of Middlesex and Henry Philip Knight of No. 21 Coopersale-road Homerton in the county of London the executors named in the said will are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the first day of March 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 and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

KEIGHLEY ARNOLD and SISMEY 37 Lincoln's-
inn-fields W.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re MARY UNDERWOOD Deceased.

Pursuant to 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 upon or against the estate of Mary Underwood (Widow) residing at Southbrook-terrace and carrying on business at Market-street both in the city of Bradford as a Toy Dealer and Hairdresser under the style or firm of Isaac Underwood deceased (who died on the first day of June 1898 and whose will proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of July 1898 by Emma Underwood of Southbrook-terrace aforesaid Spinster the daughter of the said deceased the sole executrix named in the said will) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executrix on or before the 24th day of April next after which date the said executrix 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 the said executrix shall then have had notice and that the said executrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

HUTCHINSON and SONS Piccadilly-chambers
Piccadilly Bradford Solicitors for the said Executrix.

JOHN RENNISON Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of John Rennison late of 32 Railway-terrace Holgate-road York Gentleman formerly Poulterer deceased (who died on the 3rd December 1898 and letters of administration with will annexed to whose personal estate and effects were granted at York on the 23rd December 1898 to Robert Rennison of 67 Bond-street Liverpool Labourer and William Rennison of 33 Railway-terrace York Shunter at the North Eastern Railway) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims to us the undersigned on or before the 4th day of March next after which date the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st February 1899.

W. and K. E. T. WILKINSON St. Helen's-square
York Solicitors for the said Administrators.

WILLIAM THOMAS BERGER Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Thomas Berger late of Villa Talbot, Cannes, France (formerly of East Grinstead, Sussex and Bromley-by-Bow, London) Esquire (who died on the 9th January 1899 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 31st of January 1899 by James Van Sommer, the Rev. Arthur Hastings Berger, and William Van Sommer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 18th March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1899.

COULTHURST and VAN SOMMER 13 New-inn
London W.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re ALFRED PRICE 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 against the estate of Alfred Price late of 194 Goldhawk-road Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex Whitestere deceased (who died on the 28th day of July 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of

Justice on the 6th day of January 1899 by Thomas Henry Currie and Alfred Pitkin the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 4th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 26 day of January 1899.

DAVENPORT JONES and GLENISTER 263
Hammersmith-road W. Solicitors for the Executors.

Re MARY ANN STEEL Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Mary Ann Steel late of Queen-street Newton Abbot in the county of Devon Widow who died on the 18th day of December 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 26th day of January 1899 by Thomas Stone Macquinness Underhay of 14 Highweek-street Newton Bushell the sole executor are required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of February 1899 after which date the said executor will distribute the assets among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of Jan'y. 1899.

R. B. WOOSNAM 29 Wolborough-street Newton
Abbot Solicitor to the said Executor.

The Revd. WILLIAM CHAPMAN MEE Deceased.

Notice pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35. ALL creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the Revd. William Chapman Mee late of Hayton Vicarage, near Retford, in the county of Nottingham, Clerk in Holy Orders, who died on the 25th day of November 1898, are to send particulars thereof before the 11th day of March 1899 to the undersigned the Solicitors to the Revd. John Riley Mee and Thomas William Denman Esqre. the executors of the will of the said deceased; after the said 11th day of March 1899 the assets of the said deceased will be distributed having regard only to claims then notified.—Dated this 1st February 1899.

MEE and CO. Retford, Solicitors.

COLE ISAAC THOMAS Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Cole Isaac Thomas late of 25 the Avenue Merthyr Tydfil in the county of Glamorgan Estate Agent deceased who died on the 2nd day of September 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Court on the 5th day of January 1899 by Thomas James Thomas David Henry Edwards and Isaac Evan Edwards the executors therein named are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 1st day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

LEWIS and JONES 33 Victoria-street Merthyr
Tydfil Solicitor for the said Executors.

WILLIAM EDWARD CUMMINGS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. cap 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Edward Cummings of the Hoop and Grapes Broadway in the city of Westminster Publican (who died on the 26th day of December 1898) are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for Maud Gertrude Cummings and W. T. Watts the executors on or before the seventh day of March next, after which the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this first day of February 1899.

EDWIN ANDREW WHITE and WATSON 27
Clement's-lane, E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

ELIZA PARSONS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria
chap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Eliza Parsons late of Church Hill Loughton Essex (formerly of Shadwell Middlesex) Widow deceased who died on the 18th day of December 1898

and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 19th day of January 1899 by Charles James Parsons the son of the deceased and William Philip Hinman the executors therein named are required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 15th day of March 1899 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

T. W. RATOLIFF and SON 13 Lime-street
London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

To Frederick Barnett, late of 51 Algernon-road,
Lewisham, in the county of Kent.

TAKE notice that on the 16th day of April 1898 an originating summons was issued in the action of Alexander Pyke v. Frederick Barnett 1898 P. No. 829 that by such summons you were required to enter an appearance at the Central Office of the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London either personally or by your Solicitor within eight days after service of such summons upon you inclusive of the day of such service and such summons is issued upon the application of Alexander Pyke of 84 Boundary-road St. John's Wood in the county of London for the determination of the following questions:—To have an account taken of what is due to him for principal interest and costs on a mortgage dated the 21st day of March 1895 and made between you Frederick Barnett of the one part called the mortgagor and Alexander Pyke of the other part called the mortgagee and that the mortgage may be enforced by foreclosure or sale. And take notice that by an Order of Mr. Justice North dated 16th January 1899 it was ordered that service of the said originating summons by the publication by advertisement of the said originating summons and of this Order once in the London Gazette once in the Daily News newspaper and once in the Lewisham Gazette newspaper should be deemed good service of the said originating summons upon you. And further take notice that if you the said Frederick Barnett do not enter appearance within the time and at the place above mentioned such Order will be made and proceedings taken as the Judge may think just and expedient.

ARTHUR PYKE 56 Lincoln's-inn-fields, London
W.C. Solicitor for the said Alexander Pyke.

TO be sold pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice dated the 21st day of November 1893 made in an action in re Stephen Wildman deceased Willey v. Wrathall with the approbation of the Honourable Mr. Justice Kekewich by Mr. John Tillotson the person appointed by the said Judge at the Fleace Inn Bingley in the county of York on Wednesday the 1st day of March 1899 at 6 o'clock in the evening precisely in one lot:—

All that commodious freehold mill known as Bowling Green Mills Bingley aforesaid with the weaving and combing sheds engine and boiler house yard stable and cart shed and the plot of vacant land adjoining thereto. Together with the engines boilers and main shafting in and about the same also 39 cottages adjacent to the said mill and situate in Lime-street and being Nos. 2 and 4 to 34 even numbers also 1 to 5 School-street 2 4 6 8 and 10 and 1 and 3 to 25 odd numbers Greenhill-street and 14 Bradley-street Bingley aforesaid and the stable coachhouse and yard occupied therewith situate in Arthur-street Bingley aforesaid.

Part of the mill is let with power to Mr. A. R. Wright as yearly tenant and other part with power to Mr. J. H. Beaver for a term expiring on the 31st August 1908. The present rental is about £2,450. The remainder of the mill and sheds is in hand.

The cottages are let to weekly tenants at a gross annual rental of £389 7s.

The stable coach house and yard are partly let to a weekly tenant at a gross annual rental of £9 15s.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Mossman, Atkinson, and Blankley, of 24, Bank-street, Bradford, Solicitors; Messrs. Patersons, Snow, Bloxam, and Kinder, 25, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitors; of Messrs. Warren, Murton, and Miller, 45, Bloomsbury-square, London, Solicitors; of the Auctioneer, at Bradford and Bingley; and at the place of sale.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1899.

RICHD. JOHN VILLIERS, Master of the Supreme
Court.

TO be sold pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in an action re James Hickisson deceased Rushbrook v. Friend (1898 H. 1550) with the approbation of Mr. Justice Kekewich

the Judge to whom the said action is assigned by Mr. George Pearce the person appointed by the said Judge at the Mart Tokenhouse-yard in the city of London on Wednesday the 22nd February 1899 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon precisely in 27 lots:—

Certain leasehold property situate and being Nos. 10, 34, 36, 38, 42, 44 and 47 Springdale-road Stoke Newington London N. and No. 95 Aden-grove Stoke Newington aforesaid No. 21 Wolsey-road, Mildmay Park London, N. No. 73 Southgate-road, Islington N. Nos. 54 and 56 Uffon-road De Beauvoir Town N. Nos. 21, 22, 23 and 24, Baring-street New North-road, Hoxton, N. No. 1 Gopsall-street Hoxton aforesaid, Nos. 123 and 125 New North-road Hoxton aforesaid Nos. 112, 114 and 116 Wenlock-street Hoxton aforesaid and Nos. 13, 17, 21, 23, 25 and 27 St. John's-road Hoxton aforesaid Nos. 23, 29, 30, 31 and 32 West-side, London Fields, E. No. 44 Church-road Homerton N. and No. 24 Canonbury-square Islington. Also certain leasehold ground rents producing £22 5s. per annum secured upon six houses being Nos. 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38 Abbey-road Belvedere Kent and on a plot of land in the rear thereof for an unexpired term of 6½ years at £10 10s. rent. And also the freehold business premises No. 102 Watney-street Commercial-road London E. let on a repairing lease for 21 years from Christmas 1898 at £63 per annum.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Leslie and Hardy Solicitors, 17, Bedford row, W.C.; of Messrs. Crosse and Sons, 7, Lancaster-place, Strand; at the Mart; and of Messrs. Geo. Pearce and Sons the Auctioneers of 22 Hyde-road, Hoxton, and 32, Sherborne-street, Islington.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899. E. LIONEL CLARKE, Master.

TO be sold pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice made in an action of re John Hall deceased Fox Fowler and Co. v. Ellis with the approbation of Mr. Justice Romer by Mr. Richard Peter the person appointed by the said Judge at the White Hart Hotel at Launceston in the county of Cornwall on Wednesday the 22nd day of February 1899 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in two lots:—

Certain freehold estates situate in the parish of Broadwoodwidge in the county of Devon comprising a freehold farm called Kellacott containing about 35 acres of meadow orchard pasture and arable land and three freehold cottages and gardens situate at Kellacott aforesaid also a freehold farm called Higher Grinnacombe and Grinnacombe Wood situate in the said parish of Broadwoodwidge comprising dwelling-house shippen lofts and outbuildings and about 118 acres of meadow pasture arable and orchard land.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Peter and Son, of Launceston aforesaid, Solicitors; Messrs. Busk Mellor and Norris, 45, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitors; of the Auctioneer at Launceston; and at the place of sale.—Dated the 1st day of February, 1899.

JOHN WM. HAWKINS, Master.

PURSUANT to the directions of the Honourable Mr Justice Stirling in an action in the matter of the estate of Edward Hamilton Thomson deceased re Neale v. Thomson 1898 T. No. 1404 the creditors of Edward Hamilton Thomson formerly of 5 Featherstone-buildings Holborn London W.C. and 165 Rathcoole-gardens Hornsey, Middlesex and late of 88 Shaftesbury-road, Ravenscourt Park, Middlesex Inventor and Patentee deceased who died on the 5th day of July 1893 are on or before the 27th day of February 1899 to send by post prepaid to Mr. Frederick Cornelius Dixon a member of the firm of Messrs. Dixon Weld and Dixons of 1 Lancaster-place Strand London the Solicitors of the defendant Emma Thomson the administratrix of the estate of the said Edward Hamilton Thomson deceased the full names addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims 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 directions given by the Court in the administration of the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr Justice Stirling at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on Wednesday the 1st of March 1899 at 12 of the clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated the 27 day of January 1899.

HENRY KERBY 4 Lancaster-place Strand London Solicitor for the Plaintiff.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Henry Broomhead deceased and in an action William Fisher Broomhead plaintiff against Arabella Ann Broomhead Widow defendant the creditors of Henry

Broomhead late of 65 Princes-street Southend-on-Sea in the county of Essex but formerly of Bakewell in the county of Derby Solicitor who died in or about the month of November 1897 are on or before the first day of March 1899 to send by post prepaid to Marwood Leonard Boyd Brand of 6 Gray's-inn-square Gray's-inn, London W.C. the Solicitor of the plaintiff William Fisher Broomhead the administrator of the deceased their Christian and surname 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 Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on the tenth day of March 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this first day of February 1899.

M. L. B. BRAUND Solicitor for the said Plaintiff.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Patrick Flood deceased and in an action Murphy against Bans (1898 F. No. 1784) the creditors of Patrick Flood late of 35 Fernhead-road Harrow-road in the county of London Engineer who died in or about the month of October 1893 are on or before the 9th day of March 1899 to send by post prepaid to Mr. G. T. Willes of 59 Lincoln's-inn-fields London W.C. a member of the firm of Leathley and Willes of the same place the Solicitors of the plaintiffs the Rev. Nicholas William Murphy and Dudley William Beresford Leathley the executors of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Kekewich at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on Friday the 17th day of March 1899 at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

LEATHLEY and WILLES.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, made in an action entitled 1897 Letter L. No. 9019 Lees against Lees the creditors of William Lees deceased late of 6 Rushton-street Oldham in the county of Lancaster Corn Dealer and Oatcake Baker who died in or about the month of April 1891 are on or before the third day of March 1899 to send by post, prepaid to Thomas Lawton of 13, Old Millgate Manchester the Solicitor of the plaintiffs in the said action 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 Registrar of the Manchester District at his chambers, situate at 4, Clarence street Manchester on Monday the 13th day of March 1899 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1899.

HUBERT WINSTANLEY, Registrar.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Yorkshire holden at Sheffield, made in the matter of the Lunacy Act 1890, and in the matter of the petition of Talbot Edward Dearden, for an Order as to the estate of Ellen Lord, a lunatic, the creditors of or claimants against the estate of the said Ellen Lord, late of Walkley-crescent in the city of Sheffield, Housekeeper, are, on or before the 28th day of February 1899, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the said Court their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them; in default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of March 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 1st day of February 1899.

JOSEPH BINNEY Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Arrangement executed on the 31st day of October, 1898, by John Hindle of 8, Irving-place, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster and Harry Seiborne Hindle of Hoghton-terrace Blackburn aforesaid carrying on business as Coal Coke and Lime

Merchants under the style or firm of John Hindle and Son at 8, Stout-street, Blackburn aforesaid.

ALL persons having any claim against the debtors or against me as Trustee in this matter must send particulars of same to me on or before the 11th day of February 1899 otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the benefits of the assets. Creditors who do not assent to the deed will be excluded from the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of January, 1899.

THOMAS HINDLE, District-chambers, Darwen, Chartered Accountant.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment executed by Albert Walter Hiorns of 4 Bond-street Barton Bristol in the county of Gloucester Printer Stationer and Bookseller for the benefit of his Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of the above named Albert Walter Hiorns are hereby required to send in particulars thereof in writing to Mr. George White of 14 Old Jewry-chambers in the city of London Chartered Accountant the Trustee under the above mentioned deed on or before the 20th day of February instant after which date the Trustee will distribute the assets of the estate having regard only to those claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1899.

PIESSE and SON 15 Old Jewry-chambers in the city of London Solicitors for the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment dated 10th November 1893 for the benefit of the Creditors of James Taylor of the Glen, Hollycroft, Shipley and Hammerton - street, Bradford, Commission Wool-comber.

CREDITORS of the above-named James Taylor, who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 16th February 1899 to send in their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims to James Clough Wright of Market-street, Bradford, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed and in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend intended to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

WADE BILBROUGH BOOTH and CO., 8 Piccadilly, Bradford, Solicitors for the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 17th day of February 1898 by Samuel John Coupland of Long Sutton in the county of Lincoln Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel John Coupland who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before Monday the 20th day of February 1899 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to us the undersigned on behalf of Mr. Herbert Garthwaite of Long Sutton aforesaid Auctioneer the Trustee under the said deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the First and Final Dividend about to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

H. H. and L. C. HARVEY Albert-st., Holbeach, Solicitors for the above-named Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 16th day of March 1897, by George Richard Stallard of Holbeach in the county of Lincoln Veterinary Surgeon.

THE creditors of the above named George Richard Stallard who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before Monday the 20th day of February 1899, to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to us the undersigned on behalf of Mr. Cecil Freeman Barrell late of Spalding but now of Grantham in the said county of Lincoln Auctioneer the Trustee under the said deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Third and Final Dividend about to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of January 1899.

H. H. and L. C. HARVEY, Albert-st., Holbeach, Solicitors for the above-named Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 14th day of September 1898 by James Sloan trading as the City Cycle Co., at 37 Edge-lane Liverpool in the county of Lancaster, Cycle Agent and Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above named James Sloan who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 3rd day of March 1899 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to John Henry White of 61 Lord-street Liverpool aforesaid Solicitor, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1899.

JOHN H. WHITE, Trustee.

THE BANKRUPTCY (DISCHARGE AND CLOSURE) ACT, 1887.

APPLICATION FOR DEBTOR'S DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Adjudication or Resolution for Liquidation.	Day and Hour fixed for Hearing.
Fisher, Frank Douglas	35, Great Castle-street, Regent-street, Middlesex	Dentist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 2, 1878 ...	Mar. 10, 1899, 11 A.M.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
385	Bottle, John	60, New King's-road, Fulham, Middlesex ...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 27, 1899	108 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	65	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
386	Botwright, William Wallace	9, St. James-street, Walthamstow, Essex ...	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 31, 1899	119 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	66	Debtor's	
387	Eldrid, Walter Percy ...	Lately carrying on business at 6, Old Jewry, in the city of London, now residing at 34, Grafton-road, Acton, Middlesex	Chartered Accountant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 9, 1898	1656 of 1898	Jan. 27, 1899	64	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
388	Gallwey, Colley Grattan	49, Chelsea-gardens, S.W., lately residing at 41, Cambridge-avenue, Kilburn, and formerly at 12, Malrose-place, Clifton, Bristol	Stockbroker's Clerk ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 1, 1899	126 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	69	Debtor's	
389	Landet, Camille (otherwise Camille Suzanne de Langlois)	42, Somerset-street, Portman-square, Middlesex	Boarding-house Keeper, carrying on business separately and apart from her Husband, and having separate estate	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 14, 1898	1674 of 1898	Jan. 31, 1899	67	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
390	Naylor, John (trading as T. C. Pearson and Company)	41, Charterhouse-square, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 4, 1899	7 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	70	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
391	Parker, Alfred Henry ...	Residing at 142, Grove-road, Bow, and lately practising at 142, Grove-road, Bow, and at 126, Roman-road, Bow, all in Middlesex	Registered Medical Practitioner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 30, 1899	118 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	63	Debtor's	
392	Pearce, William	Weatherall Cottage, Hampstead, and Perrins-court, Hampstead, lately residing and carrying on business at 58, Gayton-road, Hampstead, all in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 30, 1899	116 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	62	Debtor's	
393	Roberts, Charles William	Residing and carrying on business at 110, Brompton-road, Middlesex	Stationer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 1, 1899	125 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	68	Debtor's.	
394	Stopforth, Charles ...	4 and 6, Emmanuel-street, Bolton, Lancashire	Wheelwright	Bolton	Jan. 30, 1899	5 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	5	Debtor's	
395	Barker, James (trading as Barker Brothers)	Residing at 40, Rebecca-street, and carrying on business at Norcroft-street, both in the city of Bradford	Boiler Repairer	Bradford	Jan. 28, 1899	8 of 1899	Jan. 28, 1899	8	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
396	Midgley, Albert ...	5, Mannville-terrace, Horton, in the city of Bradford	Commercial Traveller ...	Bradford ...	Jan. 31, 1899	9 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	9	Debtor's	
397	Smith, Thomas ...	149, Manchester-road, in the city of Bradford	Tailor	Bradford ...	Jan. 31, 1899	10 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	10	Debtor's	
398	Fielden, Henry W. ...	Rowton, Beaconsfield-road, Weston-super-Mare, Somerset	... ..	Bridgwater ...	Jan. 21, 1899	11 of 1898	Feb. 1, 1899	1	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
399	Peters, Peter, and Peters, Thomas Samuel... (trading as P. Peters and Son)	The Cedars 9, Bartlett-road, East-street At East-street, all in Horsham, Sussex	Builders and Contractors	Brighton ...	Feb. 1, 1899	12 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	5	Debtor's	
400	Brierley, William ...	Lower Gib Field Farm, lately Bull and Butcher Inn, both in Burnley, Lancashire	Of no occupation, formerly Licensed Victualler and Farmer	Burnley... ..	Jan. 30, 1899	6 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	6	Debtor's	
401	Brigstocke, James ...	25, King-street, Carmarthen	Chemist	Carmarthen ...	Jan. 31, 1899	5 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	5	Debtor's	
402	Carter, William ...	Residing and trading at 31, St. John-street, Coventry, Warwickshire	Fruit Merchant and Commission Agent	Coventry ...	Feb. 1, 1899	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	2	Debtor's	
403	Fritchley, John James ...	Residing at Poplar Farm, Cossall, Nottinghamshire, and trading at Cossall aforesaid	Farmer	Derby and Long Eaton	Jan. 31, 1899	3 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	2	Debtor's	
404	Firth, Fred ...	Common-road, Staincliffe, in Batley, in the county of York	Grocer	Dewsbury ...	Jan. 31, 1899	7 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	6	Debtor's	
405	Taylor, Ralph ...	Ironside-street, Houghton-le-Spring, county of Durham	Painter	Durham ...	Jan. 30, 1899	1 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	1	Debtor's	
406	Percy, James ...	91, West Green-road, South Tottenham, Middlesex	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Edmonton ...	Jan. 12, 1899	1 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	2	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
407	Doust, Alfred, the younger and Doust, Albert (trading as Doust Brothers) ...	Late of 201, Freeman-street; now of St. Andrew's-terrace, Stirling-street, Great Grimsby 35, Eleanor-street, Great Grimsby At 199 and 201, Freeman-street and Fish Dock-road, Great Grimsby	Painters and Decorators	Great Grimsby	Jan. 18, 1899	1 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	8	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
408	Reitor, William Met-trick	4, Balmoral-villas, Cleethorpes, late of Old Market-place, Great Grimsby	Butcher's Manager, late Butcher	Great Grimsby	Jan. 31, 1899	6 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	7	Debtor's	
409	Webster, Frederick ...	19, South St. Mary's-gate, Great Grimsby ...	Shoemaker	Great Grimsby	Jan. 30, 1899	5 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	6	Debtor's	
410	Rothery, Fred (trading as C. Rothery and Co.)	Living in lodgings at 69, Clare-road, Halifax, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 27, Orange-street, Halifax	Tobacco and Cigar Merchant	Halifax... ..	Feb. 1, 1899	4 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	4	Debtor's	
411	Row, Gilbert	31, Warrior-square, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Lodging-house Keeper ...	Hastings	Jan. 31, 1899	6 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	3	Debtor's	
412	Mitchell, James	17, Paddock Foot, Huddersfield, in the county of York	Greengrocer	Huddersfield ...	Feb. 1, 1899	3 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	3	Debtor's	
413	Townend, George	Formerly of 8, Henry-street, Huddersfield, in the county of York, now residing at 84, Manchester-road, Huddersfield aforesaid, and carrying on business at Princess-street, Huddersfield aforesaid	Whitesmith and Cycle Maker	Huddersfield ...	Jan. 27, 1899	2 of 1899	Jan. 27, 1899	2	Debtor's	
414	Catley, Robert	Lately carrying on business at 179, Burley-road, in the city of Leeds, now of 12A, Hanover-street, Leeds aforesaid	Lately Laundry Proprietor, now Journeyman Joiner	Leeds	Jan. 28, 1899	13 of 1899	Jan. 28, 1899	13	Debtor's	
415	Wood, George	Residing at 80, Upper Hill-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 38, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Tailor	Liverpool	Jan. 25, 1899	2 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	3	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
416	Hayden, Charles Ernest	Residing at 14, Abbey-street, Greenheys, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing at 98, Rusholme-road, Manchester aforesaid	Book-keeper	Manchester	Feb. 1, 1899	8 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	8	Debtor's	
417	Salem, Murad Isaac ...	141, Rydal Mount, Hightown, Manchester, and Chepstow-buildings, Oxford-street, Manchester	Merchant, a Partner in the firm of Abouhab and Co.	Manchester	Jan. 19, 1899	5 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	7	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
418	Crake, Francis	104, Brighton-avenue, Gateshead, county of Durham	Boot Manager	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Jan. 31, 1899	12 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	12	Debtor's	
419	Kirtley, George Coates ...	64, Normanton-terrace, lately residing at 89, Sidney-grove, and lately trading at Elswick-court, Northumberland-street, all in Newcastle-on-Tyne	Commercial Traveller, late Printer and Card-board Box Maker	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Jan. 30, 1899	11 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	11	Debtor's	

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
420	Melville, Michael (trading under the style or firm of Brown and Co.)	Late of High Barnes, Horsley-on-Tyne, Northumberland, and of 244, Scotswood-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Jan. 16, 1899	5 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	10	Creditor's...	Sec. 1 Bankruptcy Act 1890
421	Seeber, George ...	20, Gibson-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	Butcher	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Jan. 30, 1899	10 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	9	Debtor's	
422	Rogers, Arthur Thorne (trading as A. T. Rogers)	Corporation-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth	Plumber and Gasfitter ...	Newport, Mon...	Feb. 1, 1899	1 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	3	Debtor's	
423	Goodman, John ...	The West Fen Engine, West Fen, March, Cambridgeshire	Engineer and Millwright	Peterborough ...	Jan. 30, 1899	6 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	6	Debtor's	
424	Neaves, Edwin Arthur ...	34, Great Southsea-street, Southsea, Hants ...	Corn and Potato Merchant	Portsmouth ...	Jan. 31, 1899	6 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	7	Debtor's	
425	Colls, Ernest Malcolm ...	11, Albert-road, Belvedere, Kent	Oil and Colour Man ...	Rochester ...	Jan. 31, 1899	2 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	2	Debtor's	
426	Armstrong, Patriok Peter	44, Cornbrook-grove, Old Trafford, near Manchester, Lancashire	Slater and Roof Tiler ...	Salford ...	Jan. 16, 1899	3 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	4	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
427	Enderby, George Thomas	Residing and carrying on business at 63, Regent-road, Eccles, and also lately carrying on business at 111, Liverpool-road, Patricroft, both in Lancashire	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	Salford ...	Jan. 30, 1899	4 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	3	Debtor's	
428	Knight, Thomas ...	The Station Hotel, Worksop, in the county of Nottingham	Hotel Keeper	Sheffield ...	Feb. 1, 1899	9 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	9	Debtor's	
429	Holmes, John Charles ...	3, Golf-cottages, Fairfield, Derbyshire ...	General Dealer	Stockport ...	Jan. 31, 1899	3 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	2	Debtor's	
430	Thirtle, Robert Arthur ...	Residing in lodgings at 5, Hall-street, Stockport, Cheshire, and trading at 28, Little Underbank, Stockport, Cheshire, and 22, Rochdale-road, Manchester, Lancashire	Provision Dealer and Grocer	Stockport ...	Jan. 27, 1899	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	3	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
431	Peacock, Robert (trading as R. L. Peacock and Son)	73A, Whitby-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham	Painter and Decorator ...	Sunderland ...	Jan. 30, 1899	4 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	4	Debtor's	
432	Howells, Samuel John ...	5, Pump-street, Blaina, and of Tyr Arthur Farm, near Blaina, formerly of the Rolling Mill Inn, Blaina, Monmouthshire	Farmer, formerly Inn-keeper	Tredegar ...	Jan. 31, 1899	1 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	1	Debtor's	

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
433	Nuth, Elijah	Brynmawr, Breconshire	Fish and Fruit Salesman	Tredegar	Feb. 1, 1899	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	2	Debtor's	
434	Friggens, William Thomas	110, Market Jew-street, Penzance, Cornwall	Refreshment - house Keeper	Truro	Feb. 1, 1899	6 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	6	Debtor's	
435	Emery, John B.	Moreton-street, Chadsmoor, Cannock, Staffordshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Walsall	Jan. 11, 1899	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	2	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.) Bankruptcy Act, 1893
436	Pilkington, James	136, Frog-lane, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster	Provision Dealer... ..	Wigan	Jan. 30, 1899	1 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	1	Debtor's	
437	Lewis, George	Bromyard, Herefordshire	Baker and Grocer	Worcester	Jan. 30, 1899	4 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899	4	Debtor's	
438	Pugh, Samuel	Post Office Shop, Pant, Oswestry, Salop	Grocer	Wrexham	Jan. 31, 1899	1 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899	1	Debtor's	
439	Garner, Elizabeth Ann	Residing in lodgings at 9, Grange-avenue, Harrogate, Yorkshire, lately trading separate and apart from her Husband at 7, Prospect-crescent, Harrogate aforesaid	Fancy Dealer, Wife of — Garner	York	Jan. 9, 1899	3 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899	5	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Bottle, John ...	60, New King's-road, Fulham, Middlesex	Grocer and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	108 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 1, 1899	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Botwright, William Wallace	9, St. James-street, Walthamstow, Essex	Draper ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	119 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 1, 1899	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
M 2 Middid, Walter Percy	Lately carrying on business at 6, Old Jewry, in the city of London, now residing at 34, Grafton-road, Acton, Middlesex	Chartered Accountant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1656 of 1898	Feb. 10, 1899	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 2, 1899	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Laudet, Camille (otherwise Camille Suzanne de Langlois)	42, Somerset-street, Portman-square, Middlesex	Boarding - house, Keeper, carrying on business separately and apart from her Husband, and having separate estate	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1674 of 1898	Feb. 14, 1899	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 10, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Rice, Frank Graham	25, Poland-street, Oxford-street, in the county of London, lately residing at 18, St. Thomas-road, Craven Park-road, Harlesden, and 4, West End-mansions, West Hampstead, both in Middlesex, and lately carrying on business at 59, Parkwalk, Chelsea, in the county of London	Designer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	59 of 1899	Feb. 13, 1899	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 3, 1899	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	Jan. 20, 1899
Tuteur, E. G.	3, Red Lion-court, Fleet-street, in the city of London, and 97, Brondesbury-road, London, N.W., lately carrying on business at 76, Goswell-road, in the county of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1608 of 1898	Feb. 13, 1899	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 7, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Bentley, Robert and Beynon, William	Royal Exchange, Treccynon, Aberdare 10A, Cardiff-street, Aberdare, both in the county of Glamorgan Carrying on business at 10A, Cardiff-street, Aberdare aforesaid	Saddlers ...	Aberdare	2 of 1899	Feb. 14, 1899	2 P.M.	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Mar. 13, 1899	10.30 A.M.	Temperance Hall, Aberdare	Jan. 31, 1899
Dennis, John...	5, Weatheral-street, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, lately residing and carrying on business at 16, Montague-terrace, Aberdare aforesaid	Travelling Draper	Aberdare	3 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	2 P.M.	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Mar. 13, 1899	10.30 A.M.	Temperance Hall, Aberdare	Jan. 31, 1899
Stopforth, Charles	4 and 6, Emmanuel-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster	Wheelwright	Bolton	5 of 1899	Feb. 13, 1899	10.30 A.M.	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Feb. 20, 1899	11 A.M.	Court-house, Mawdsley street, Bolton	Feb. 1, 1899
Welch, Albert	Chinese Temple, Wakefield-road, in the city of Bradford	Beerhouse Keeper and Retailer of Beer and Wine	Bradford	7 of 1899	Feb. 13, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Feb. 15, 1899	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor-row, Bradford	
Gray, Frederick	Now residing at 34, Hobart-street, lately at 48, Laithe-street, and formerly carrying on business there and at Springhill-road, all in Burnley, Lancashire	Painter, and Paperhanger	Burnley	3 of 1899	Feb. 24, 1899	1 P.M.	Exchange Hotel, Nicholas-street, Burnley	Feb. 24, 1899	11 A.M.	Court-house, Burnley	Jan. 28, 1899
Banks, William	Wilmot-road, Swadlincote, Derbyshire	Builder	Burton-on-Trent	1 of 1899	Feb. 11, 1899	11.20 A.M.	Midland Hotel, Station-street, Burton-on-Trent	Feb. 15, 1899	12 noon	Court-house, Station-street, Burton-on-Trent	Jan. 20, 1899
Noble, Henry...	The Alma Hotel, Cross-street, Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire	Licensed Victualer	Burton-on-Trent	2 of 1899	Feb. 11, 1899	11.40 A.M.	Midland Hotel, Station-street, Burton-on-Trent	Feb. 15, 1899	12 noon	Court-house, Station-street, Burton-on-Trent	Jan. 20, 1899

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Webster, James ...	Parwich, Derbyshire ...	Cattle Dealer and Farmer	Burton-on-Trent	3 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Feb. 15, 1899	12 noon	Court - house, Station-street, Burton - on - Trent	Jan. 25, 1899
Boss, Henry Le Butt	The Harp Hotel, Dover, Kent	Licensed Victualler	Canterbury ...	5 of 1899	Feb. 16, 1899	9.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Feb. 16, 1899	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	Jan. 26, 1899
Pittock, Edwin ...	Dover-road, Upper Walmer, Kent, lately residing at the Five Bells Inn, Ringwould	Butcher	Canterbury ...	6 of 1899	Feb. 16, 1899	9 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Feb. 16, 1899	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	Jan. 31, 1899
Phillips, Thomas Henry	Greenmeadow, Bryncoch, near Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan, and formerly of Oxford-street, Pontycymmer, in the county of Glamorgan	Collier, formerly Butcher	Cardiff	6 of 1899	Feb. 11, 1899	10.30 A.M.	29, Queen - street, Cardiff	Feb. 11, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	
Kirkpatrick, Stewart	3, Church-street, Flint, in the county of Flint	Physician and Surgeon	Chester... ..	1 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	3 P.M.	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate - row, Chester	Mar. 7, 1899	11 A.M.	The Castle, Chester	Jan. 24, 1899
Partridge, John S. ...	Dashwood, South Penge Park, Anerley, Surrey	Gentleman ...	Croydon	49 of 1898	Feb. 10, 1899	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Mar. 15, 1899	11 A.M.	County Court, Park - street, Croydon	Jan. 31, 1899
Carbutt, Arthur ...	Crown Stores, High-street Birstall, near Leeds, in the county of York	Oil Dealer ...	Dewsbury	6 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Mar. 6, 1899	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	Jan. 28, 1899
Metcalf, Procter (carrying on business as Joseph Metcalfe and Son)	Wakefield-road, Flushdyke, Ossett, in the county of York	Rag Merchant ...	Dewsbury	2 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Mar. 6, 1899	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	Feb. 1, 1899
Brockson, William ...	68, Garden-street and 105, Pasture-street, Great Grimsby	Boot and Shoe Maker and Repairer	Great Grimsby	4 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Jan. 27, 1899

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Mashford, George Frédéric	Cleethorpes, Lincolnshire...	Builder and Contractor	Great Grimsby	47 of 1898	Feb. 10, 1899	12 noon	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Jan. 26, 1899
Nutley, Joseph ...	Cleethorpes, Lincolnshire...	Builder and Contractor	Great Grimsby	48 of 1898	Feb. 10, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Jan. 26, 1899
Wright, Edwin, the elder	85, Victor - street, Great Grimsby	Grocer and Beer, Wine, and Spirit Merchant	Great Grimsby	3 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Jan. 25, 1899
Yoxall, Peter (trad- ing alone as Yoxall and Emery)	17, Broad-street, Hanley, and Lonsdale - street, Stoke-upon-Trent, both in Staffordshire	Paperhangings Dealer	Hanley, Burs- lem, and Tuns- tall	3 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, King-street, Newcastle - under- Lyme	Feb. 16, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Han- ley	Jan. 31, 1899
Sanderson, John ...	Residing at Hallgate, and carrying on business at Vine Garth, both in Cot- tingham, in the East Riding of the county of York	Market Gardener	Kingston-upon- Hull	7 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	Feb. 13, 1899	2 P.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Hull	
Catley, Robert ...	Lately carrying on busi- ness at 179, Burley-road, in the city of Leeds, now of 12A, Hanover-street, Leeds aforesaid	Late Laundry Proprietor, now Journeyman Joiner	Leeds	13 of 1899	Feb. 15, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park- row, Leeds	Feb. 28, 1899	11 A.M.	County Court- house, Albion- place, Leeds	Feb. 1, 1899
Thorpe, John (commonly called Charles Thorpe)	Formerly trading in part- nership with Samuel James Walker and Alfred Ernest Walker, under the style of Charles Thorpe and Company at 21 and 27, Merrion-street, in the city of Leeds, as Carpet Cleaners, now of 79, St. Mark's-road, Leeds afore- said	Formerly Carpet Cleaner, now out of business	Leeds	10 of 1899	Feb. 15, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park- row, Leeds	Feb. 28, 1899	11 A.M.	County Court- house, Albion- place, Leeds	Feb. 1, 1899

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Bradshaw, Joseph ...	The Earl of Stamford Arms, Birstall, Leicestershire	Beerhouse Keeper and Market Gardener	Leicester ...	7 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	3 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Feb. 17, 1899	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
O'Hara, William James (carrying on business as the Dental Institute)	Lately carrying on business at 27, London-road, in the county borough of Leicester, then at Sadler Gate, Derby, Derbyshire, and now residing at Rose Cottage, Fardell-road, Wisbech, Cambridgeshire	Dentist	Leicester ...	4 of 1899	Feb. 17, 1899	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Feb. 17, 1899	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Blankstone, David (trading alone as Blankstone Brothers)	Residing at 95, Leopold-road, in the city of Liverpool, and carrying on business alone under the style or firm of Blankstone Brothers at 30, Epworth-street, in the said city, and lately also carrying on business as aforesaid at 6, Erskine-street, in the said city	Wholesale Cabinet Manufacturer	Liverpool ...	3 of 1899	Feb. 14, 1899	12 noon	Office of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Feb. 16, 1899	11 A.M.	Court - house, Government-buildings, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Jan. 31, 1899
Wood, George ...	Residing at 80, Upper Hill-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 38, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Tailor	Liverpool ...	2 of 1899	Feb. 15, 1899	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Feb. 16, 1899	11 A.M.	Court - house, Government-buildings, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Jan. 31, 1899
Urry, Albert William	Station-road, Wroxall, Isle of Wight	Butcher	Newport and Ryde	2 of 1899	Feb. 27, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Feb. 27, 1899	12 noon	Court - house, Newport, Isle of Wight	Jan. 28, 1899
Joseph, James ...	Brynairy, Newtown, Montgomeryshire	Farmer and Dealer in Coal, Lime, and Corn	Newtown ...	1 of 1899	Feb. 15, 1899	11 A.M.	1, High-street, Newtown	Feb. 15, 1899	12.30 P.M.	County Court, Severn-place, Newtown	
Robinson, Arthur ...	Residing and carrying on business at St. Michael-street, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire	Grocer and Stoker	Nottingham ...	4 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Mar. 3, 1899	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's Gate, Nottingham	Feb. 1, 1899

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Smith, John Jenkins	21, Upper Talbot-street, Nottingham	Draper	Nottingham ...	3 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Mar. 3, 1899	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's Gate, Nottingham	Feb. 1, 1899
Parry, Owen	10, Tanrallt-terrace, and High-street, both in Blaenau Festiniog, Merionethshire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	1 of 1899	Feb. 21, 1899	1.15 P.M.	Market-hall, Blaenau Festiniog	Feb. 21, 1899	1.45 P.M.	Market-hall, Blaenau Festiniog	Jan. 28, 1899
Gloyne, Henry Walter	Thompson's Yard, Westgate, lately carrying on business at 62, Westgate, in the city of Wakefield	Tailor's Manager, late Tailor ...	Wakefield ...	4 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Court-house, Wood-street, Wakefield	Feb. 1, 1899
Sweeting, John Thomas Cuthbertson	Priory Glen, Wakefield-road, Pontefract, Yorkshire	Traveller	Wakefield ...	5 of 1899	Feb. 10, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Court-house, Wood-street, Wakefield	Feb. 1, 1899
Shipton, T. W. ...	65, Salcott-road, Wandsworth Common, Surrey	Commercial Clerk	Wandsworth ...	64 of 1898	Feb. 10, 1899	12 noon	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Feb. 23, 1899	12 noon	Court-house, Wandsworth	
Pilkington, James ...	136, Frog-lane, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster	Provision Dealer...	Wigan	1 of 1899	Feb. 13, 1899	2.30 P.M.	Court-house, King-street, Wigan	Mar. 2, 1899	11 A.M.	Court-house, King-street, Wigan	Feb. 1, 1899
Bennett, George ...	57, High-street, Broms-grove, Worcestershire	Grocer	Worcester ...	2 of 1899	Feb. 15, 1899	3 P.M.	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	Feb. 21, 1899	2.15 P.M.	Guildhall, Worcester	
Lewis, George ...	Sheep-street, Bromyard, Herefordshire	Baker and Grocer	Worcester ...	4 of 1899	Feb. 13, 1899	11 A.M.	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Feb. 21, 1899	2.15 P.M.	Guildhall, Worcester	Feb. 1, 1899
		<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 31st January, 1899.</i>									
Starkey, John ...	1, Brooklet-terrace, Birkby, Huddersfield, in the county of York	Journeyman Gardener	Huddersfield ...	1 of 1899	Feb. 9, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 19, John William-street, Huddersfield	Feb. 24, 1899	2 P.M.	County Court, Queen-street, Huddersfield	Jan. 27, 1899

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Thomson, George Alexander ...	30, Hadlow-road, Tonbridge, Kent, lately residing at 79, Quarry-hill, Tonbridge aforesaid	Formerly Bank Clerk, now of no occupation	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy (by transfer from Tunbridge Wells)	70. of 1899	Feb. 28, 1899 (re-appointment of Public Examination. Date fixed after transfer of proceedings)	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.

ADJUDICATIONS

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Craft, Albert	107, Charing Cross-road, Middlesex	Late Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1566 of 1898	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Nov. 16, 1898
Denson, Solon	The Nurseries, 22, Maida-vale, 170 and 171, Covent Garden Flower Market, both in Middlesex, and of Claremont, Surrey	Nurseryman, Plant Salesman, and Palm Importer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	9 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 4, 1899
Parker, Alfred Henry	Residing at 142, Grove-road, Bow, and lately practising at 142, Grove-road, Bow, and at 126, Roman-road, Bow, all in Middlesex	Registered Medical Practitioner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	118 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Pearce, William	Weatherall Cottage, Hampstead, and Perrin's-court, Hampstead, lately residing and carrying on business at 58, Gayton-road, Hampstead, all in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	116 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Fry, Joseph Samuel (trading as Fry and Co.)	Trading at 15, Bull Ring and 233, Coventry-road, Small Heath, and lately residing at 26, Langley-grove, Langley-road, Small Heath, all in Birmingham, Warwickshire	Auctioneer and Boot Factor	Birmingham	123 of 1898	Jan. 28, 1899 ...	Dec. 29, 1898
Stopforth, Charles	4 and 6, Emmanuel-street, Bolton, Lancashire	Wheelwright	Bolton	5 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Barker, James (trading as Barker Brothers)	Residing at 40, Rebecca-street, and carrying on business at Norcroft-street, both in the city of Bradford	Boiler Repairer	Bradford	8 of 1899	Jan. 28, 1899 ...	Jan. 28, 1899
Midgley, Albert	5, Mannville-terrace, Horton, in the city of Bradford	Commercial Traveller	Bradford	9 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Smith, Thomas	149, Manchester-road, in the city of Bradford	Tailor	Bradford	10 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Brierley, William	Lower Gib Field Farm, lately Bull and Butcher Inn, both in Burnley, Lancashire	Of no occupation, formerly Licensed Victualler and Farmer	Burnley	6 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Brigstocke, James	25, King-street, Carmarthen	Chemist	Carmarthen	5 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Carter, William	Residing and trading at 31, St. John-street, Coventry, Warwickshire	Fruit Merchant and Commission Agent	Coventry	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Partridge, John S.	Dashwood, South Penge Park, Anerley, Surrey	Gentleman	Croydon	49 of 1898	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Dec. 8, 1898
Fritchley, John James	Residing at Poplar Farm, Cossall, Nottinghamshire, and trading at Cossall aforesaid	Farmer	Derby and Long Eaton	3 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing petition.
Firth, Fred	Common-road, Staincliffe, in Batley, in the county of York	Grocer	Dewsbury	7 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Metcalf, Procter (carrying on business as Joseph Metcalf and Son)	Wakefield-road, Flushdyke, Ossett, in the county of York ...	Rag Merchant... ..	Dewsbury	2 of 1899	Jan. 28, 1899 ...	Jan. 12, 1899
Taylor, Ralph	Ironside-street, Houghton-le-Spring, county Durham ...	Painter	Durham	1 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Percy, James... ..	91, West Green-road, South Tottenham, Middlesex	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Edmonton	1 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 12, 1899
N D Doust, Alfred, the younger... .. and Doust, Albert (trading as Doust Brothers)	Late of 201, Freeman-street, now of St. Andrew's-terrace, Stirling-street, Great Grimsby 35, Eleanor-street, Great Grimsby At 199 and 201, Freeman-street and Fish Dock-road, Great Grimsby	Painters and Decorators	Great Grimsby	1 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Jan. 18, 1899
Relton, William Mettrick	4, Balmoral-villas, Cleethorpes, late of Old Market-place, Great Grimsby	Butcher's Manager, late Butcher	Great Grimsby	6 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Webster, Frederick	19, South St. Mary's Gate, Great Grimsby	Shoemaker	Great Grimsby	5 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Rothery, Fred (trading as C. Rothery and Co.)	Living in lodgings at 69, Clare-road, Halifax, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 27, Orange-street, Halifax	Tobacco and Cigar Merchant	Halifax	4 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Mitchell, James	17, Paddock Foot, Huddersfield, in the county of York ...	Greengrocer	Huddersfield	3 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Townend, George	Formerly of 8, Henry-street, Huddersfield, in the county of York, now residing at 84, Manchester-road, Huddersfield aforesaid, and carrying on business at Princess-street, Huddersfield aforesaid	Whitesmith and Cycle Maker	Huddersfield	2 of 1899	Jan. 27, 1899 ...	Jan. 27, 1899
Catley, Robert	Lately carrying on business at 179, Burley-road, in the city of Leeds, now of 12A, Hanover-street, Leeds aforesaid	Lately Laundry Proprietor, now Journeyman Joiner	Leeds	13 of 1899	Jan. 28, 1899 ...	Jan. 28, 1899

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Blankstone, David (trading alone as Blankstone Brothers)	Residing at 95, Leopold-road, in the city of Liverpool, and carrying on business alone under the style or firm of Blankstone Brothers, at 30, Epworth-street, in the said city, and lately also carrying on business as aforesaid at 6, Erskine-street, in the said city	Wholesale Cabinet Manufacturer ...	Liverpool ...	3 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 25, 1899
Wood, George	Residing at 80, Upper Hill-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 38, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Tailor ...	Liverpool ...	2 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 25, 1899
Hayden, Charles Ernest	Residing at 14, Abbey-street, Greenheys, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing at 98, Rusholme-road, Manchester aforesaid	Book-keeper ...	Manchester ...	8 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Crake, Francis	104, Brighton-avenue, Gateshead, county of Durham	Boot Manager ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	12 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Kirtley, George Coates	64, Normanton-terrace, lately residing at 89, Sidney-grove, and lately trading at Elswick-court, Northumberland-street, all in Newcastle-on-Tyne	Commercial Traveller, late Printer and Cardboard Box Maker	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	11 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Seeber, George	20, Gibson-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Butcher...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	10 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Rogers, Arthur Thorne (trading as A. T. Rogers)	Corporation-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth	Plumber and Gasfitter	Newport, Mon.	1 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Goodman, John	The West Fen Engine, West Fen, March, Cambridgeshire	Engineer and Millwright	Peterborough	6 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Williams, Gwilym	Wain House, Tonypanyd, Glamorganshire	Grocer	Pontypridd	1 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 4, 1899
Jones, William	Ivy House, Tanygrisiau-road, Blaenau Festiniog, Merioneth-shire	Tailor and Draper	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	2 of 1899	Jan. 28, 1899 ...	Jan. 19, 1899
Stevenson, John Forsyth Liddell (trading as Liddell and Co.)	Eagle Stores, Unicorn-road, Landport, and 16, North End-avenue, Portsmouth	Provision Merchant	Portsmouth	43 of 1898	Jan. 28, 1899 ...	Dec. 30, 1898
Colls, Ernest Malcolm	11, Albert-road, Belvedere, Kent	Oil and Colour Man	Rochester	2 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Enderby, George Thomas	Residing and carrying on business at 63, Regent-road, Eccles, and also lately carrying on business at 111, Liverpool-road, Patricroft, both in Lancashire	Boot and Shoe Dealer	Salford	4 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Knight, Thomas	The Station Hotel, Worksop, in the county of Nottingham ...	Hotel Keeper	Sheffield	9 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Holmes, John Charles	3, Golf-cottages, Fairfield, Derbyshire	General Dealer	Stockport	3 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Thirtle, Robert Arthur	Residing in lodgings at 5, Hall-street, Stockport, Cheshire, and trading at 28, Little Underbank, Stockport, Cheshire, and 22, Rochdale-road, Manchester, Lancashire	Provision Dealer and Grocer ...	Stockport	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Jan. 27, 1899
Peacock, Robert (trading as R. L. Peacock and Son)	73A, Whitby-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham	Painter and Decorator	Sunderland	4 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Howells, Samuel John	5, Pump-street, Blaina, and of Tyr Arthur Farm, near Blaina, formerly of the Rolling Mill Inn, Blaina, Monmouthshire	Farmer, formerly Innkeeper... ..	Tredegar	1 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899
Nuth, Elijah	Brynmawr, Breconshire	Fish and Fruit Salesman	Tredegar	2 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Friggens, William Thomas... ..	110, Market Jew-street, Penzance, Cornwall	Refreshment-house Keeper	Truro... ..	6 of 1899	Feb. 1, 1899 ...	Feb. 1, 1899
Pilkington, James	136, Frog-lane, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster	Provision Dealer	Wigan	1 of 1899	Jan. 30, 1899 ...	Jan. 30, 1899
Pugh, Samuel	The Post Office Shop, Pant, Oswestry, Salop	Grocer	Wrexham	1 of 1899	Jan. 31, 1899 ...	Jan. 31, 1899

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Chinnery, Augustus David John	Residing at 3, Mercers-road, Holloway, Middlesex, and carrying on business at the Cow and Calf, 27 and 29, Eastcheap, in the city of London	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1406 of 1898	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	William Izard ...	52, Gracechurch-street, E.C.
Cole, Charles William ...	Woodside, Mitcham-road, Tooting Graveney, Surrey, and late of 57, Charing Cross, Middlesex, lately residing at 10, Speenham-road, Brixton, Surrey, formerly of 8, Marlow-villas, Wiverton-road, Sydenham, Kent	Insurance Office Official ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1355 of 1898	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Dell, Frederick, and Tombleson, Charles (trading in copartnership as F. Dell and Company as Harvey's Stores, and as Corball and Company) (described in Receiving Order as F. Dell and Company)	214, Great Dover-street, Borough, and Swan-street, Borough, both in the county of London	Tea Merchants ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1080 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Oscar Berry ...	Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C.
Dell, Frederick ... (Separate Estate)	214, Great Dover-street, Borough, and Swan-street, Borough, both in the county of London	Tea Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1080 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Oscar Berry ...	Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C.
Tombleson, Charles (Separate Estate)	214, Great Dover-street, Borough, and Swan-street, Borough, both in the county of London	Tea Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1080 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Oscar Berry ...	Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C.
Lake, Stanley Cole ...	28, Upper Berkeley-street, in the county of London	Auctioneer and House and Estate Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	864 of 1897	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Jones, Richard ...	Residing and carrying on business at Henar, Llanfairfechan, Carnarvonshire	Farmer and Butcher ...	Bangor ...	33 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Roberts, Robert ...	Hafodywern, in the parish of Clynnog, Carnarvonshire	Farmer ...	Bangor ...	35 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Thomas, Hugh ...	Formerly of 4, Plascoch-terrace, now residing and carrying on business at 36, Castle-street, both in Beaumaris, in the county of Anglesey	Boat and Shoe Maker ...	Bangor ...	36 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1899 ...	Isaac Henry Skinner ...	9, Fountain-street, Halifax
Fathers, George Edward...	60, Park-road, Bedford, carrying on business at Clapham-road, Bedford, Bedfordshire	Builder ...	Bedford ...	13 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	G. C. Walker and F. W. Davis ...	1, St. Paul's-square, Bedford 95 and 97, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C.
Booth, John ...	24, Kenelm-road; also trading at 126, Muntz-street, both in Small Heath, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Birmingham...	16 of 1898	Feb. 20, 1899 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Summers, Solomon ...	42, Arthur-street, Small Heath, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Warehouseman	Birmingham...	82 of 1898	Feb. 20, 1899 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Ward, Harriet	Bell-street, residing at Speedwell-road, Edgbaston, both in Birmingham, Warwickshire	Wholesale Fish and Game Dealer	Birmingham	82 of 1897	Feb. 20, 1899 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Ireland, Robert, and Bell, William (trading as Ireland and Bell)	15, Cardwell-place, Blackburn, Lancashire 21, Lynwood-road, Blackburn aforesaid At 17, Cardwell-place, Blackburn aforesaid ...	Leather and Grindery Dealers	Blackburn	16 of 1898	Feb. 21, 1899 ...	Augustus Cufaude Palmer	St. George's - chambers, Grey Friars, Leicester
Apted, Joseph	169, Devonshire-road, Chiswick, in the county of Middlesex	Baker	Brentford	9 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Cecil Mercer	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple - chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Isworth, William Barnard (trading as Folkard and Son)	55, King's-road and 53, Buckingham-place, both in Brighton, Sussex	Jeweller and Silversmith ...	Brighton	5 of 1898	Feb. 21, 1899 ...	Frederick George Clark, Chartered Accountant	56, Ship-street, Brighton
Arthur, Edward (formerly trading as Thomas Nelmes and Son)	Trading at Pipe-lane, in the city and county of Bristol, and at Salford, in the county of Somerset, and formerly trading at Gloucester-lane, Bristol aforesaid, and residing at Kels-ton, in the county of Somerset	Oil and Colour Dealer and Paint and Varnish Manufacturer	Bristol	15 of 1897	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	Edward Thomas Collins	29, Broad-street, Bristol
Brock, Richard	Residing and carrying on business at 70, Whiteladies-road, Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol	Pianoforte Dealer	Bristol	80 of 1898	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	Edward Gustavus Clarke, Official Re- ceiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol
Crudge, Harry	Castle-street, Bampton, Devonshire	Plumber	Exeter	39 of 1898	Feb. 24, 1899 ...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Holcombe, John Barts	12, Market-street, Exeter	Baker	Exeter	25 of 1898	Feb. 24, 1899 ...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Howe, Robert	The Manor Hotel, Torquay, Devonshire	Licensed Victualler	Exeter	54 of 1898	Feb. 24, 1899 ..	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Wood, John (trading as Wood Brothers)	12, Park-lane, Leeds, and Harpet Rock, Yeadon, near Leeds	Pianoforte Dealer	Leeds	10 of 1897	Feb. 20, 1899 ...	Percy Mason	64, Gresham-street, London E.C.
Brown, George Fowler (carrying on business as Brown and Love)	Residing at Newtown, Unthank, in the county of Leicester, and carrying on business at Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the same county	Solicitor and Leather Merchant	Leicester	3 of 1897	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Edwin Playster Steeds	20, Friar-lane, Leicester

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Debtor's Name	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Bramhill, James	Residing and carrying on business at 110, Lower Moss-lane, Hulme, Manchester, formerly residing and carrying on business at Oldham-road Dwellings, Oldham-road, Manchester	Fish and Poultry Dealer, formerly Fish Dealer and Greengrocer	Manchester...	1 of 1899	Feb. 14, 1899 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Byrom-street, Manchester
Clarke, William Arthur (Deceased)	Late of the city of Norwich	Late Ironmonger	Norwich	23 of 1898	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	George Graham Poppleton, Chartered Accountant	3, Barbican, London, E.C.
Law, Ozias (trading as Ellis Law and Son)	88, Marshgate, Doncaster, Yorkshire, and of Thorne, Yorkshire	Mineral Water Manufac- turer	Sheffield	27 of 1897	Feb. 16, 1899...	John F. Dyson, Char- tered Accountant	7, New-street, Hudders- field
Holland, John Thomas (trading as John Hol- land)	32, Victoria-road, Battersea, in the county of Surrey	Coachbuilder... ..	Wandsworth	29 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1899 ...	Arthur Frederick Lovell, Incorporated Accountant	60, Watling-street, E.C.
Dodd, Anthony	Rhosddu-road, Wrexham, and 35 and 36, Market Hall, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Grocer... ..	Wrexham	17 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Farren, Henry	83, Park-lane, Stoke Newington, and formerly of the Caledonian Hotel, John-street, Adelphi, and 14, Guildford-street, all in Middlesex	No occupation	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	938 of 1897	8½d.	First and Final	Any day after Feb. 9, 1899 (except Saturday), between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Freund, Johann Philipp (trading as Geck and Co.)	Lately residing at 57, Cazenove-road, Stoke Newington, now residing at 142, West Green-road, South Tottenham, and carrying on business at 39 and 40, Chiswell-street, all in Middlesex	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1530 of 1897	9d.	First	Feb. 8, 1899 ...	Trustee's Offices, 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Joyce, Frederick William	Carrying on business and residing at 74, Carlton-grove, Queen's-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey	Corn Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1083 of 1898	4s. 9d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Stephenson, Henry Philip (described in Receiving Order as H. P. Stephenson)	5, Tulketh-street and 31, Church-street, both in Southport, in the county of Lancaster, lately carrying on business at Bank-buildings, Southport aforesaid	Stock and Share Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy (transferred from Liverpool)	1176 of 1896	9½d.	Second and Final	Feb. 8, 1899 ...	2A, Copthall-court, London, E.C.
Tompkins, Thomas	110, Cannon-street, in the city of London, and 55, Elmfield-road, Balham, Surrey	Timber Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	828 of 1898	2s. 6d.	First	Feb. 20, 1899 ...	Offices of Trustee, Bush-lane House, Cannon-street, E.C.
Webster, George and Binnie, John (trading as George Webster and Co.)	Residing at Albert Hall-mansions, in the county of Middlesex Residing at Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria 29, Cannon-street, in the city of London, and of Melbourne	Warehousemen and Copartners	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1390 of 1896	1s. 6d.	Fifth	Feb. 7, 1899 ...	Offices of Josolyne, Miles, and Blow, 28, King-street, Cheapside, E.C.
Shaw, John Richard	49, Montague-street, Blackburn, Lancashire	Plumber and Glazier	Blackburn	1 of 1898	9d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Knowles, Arthur Oswald (trading as Arthur O. Knowles and Co.)	Residing at 40, Aycliffe-terrace, and trading at Lane Close Mills, both in Great Horton, in the city of Bradford	Worsted Spinner... ..	Bradford	69 of 1898	3s. 4d.	First	Feb. 8, 1899 ...	Craven Bank - chambers, Bradford
Day, George William	Residing and carrying on business at 2 and , Albert-place, North-street, Beaminster, Bristol	Baker	Bristol	22 of 1898	3s. 6½d.	First and Final	Feb. 6, 1899 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Morshead, John Hugh	112, Lawrence-hill, in the city and county of Bristol, carrying on business at Redfield-road, and at Church-road, St. George, in the city and county of Bristol	Confectioner	Bristol	20 of 1898	7½d.	First and Final	Feb. 6, 1899 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Wallington, Joseph ...	16, Ferry Path, Chesterton, in the county of Cambridge, and 52, Park-street, in the borough of Cambridge	Typist	Cambridge	14 of 1898	6s.	First and Final	Feb. 10, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 5, Petty Cury, Cambridge
Watson, John Richard ...	28, Clifton-terrace, Margate, Kent	Builder	Canterbury	23 of 1898	2s. 8½d.	First and Final	Feb. 4, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 75, Castle-street, Canterbury
Akenhead, Alfred ...	36, Plasterton-avenue, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, carrying on business at 12, Westgate-street, Cardiff, in partnership with Charles Clarke, under the style or firm of Charles Clarke and Company	Accountant	Cardiff	12 of 1898	2s. 4½d.	First and Final	Feb. 3, 1899 ...	29, Queen-street, Cardiff
Monkley, John	125, Clifton-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, carrying on business at 17, Bute-street, 125, Clifton-street, and John-street, all of Cardiff	Fish and Fruit Merchant	Cardiff	41 of 1898	1s. 5½d.	First and Final	Feb. 3, 1899 ...	29, Queen-street, Cardiff
Berry, Robert (trading as Berry and Son)	Fore-street, Silverton, Devonshire	Builder and Wheelwright	Exeter	44 of 1898	10s. 10½d.	First and Final	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Office of Official Receiver, Exeter
Maunder, Albion	Starcross, Devonshire	Smith	Exeter	17 of 1898	1s. 6d.	First and Final	Feb. 17, 1899 ...	Office of Official Receiver, Exeter
Crosland, James Walker	Residing at 46, Meltham-road, and carrying on business at 16, Bridge-street, both in Lockwood, Huddersfield, Yorkshire	Draper	Huddersfield	2 of 1898	1s.	First and Final	July 11, 1898 ...	Office of Trustee, Owen Avison, 7, King's Head-buildings, Cloth Hall-street, Huddersfield, Incorporated Accountant
Maltby, John Thomas ...	White Engine Mills, Wisbech, Cambridgeshire, and Pinstone-street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, carrying on business in copartnership with Edward Batchelor	Miller and Corn Merchant	King's Lynn	3 of 1894	1½d.	First and Final	Feb. 4, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Fensom, William and Fensom, Albert ... (lately trading as W. and A. Fensom)	Residing at 27, Hamburg-road, Nottingham Residing at 11, Hamburg-road, Nottingham At Cycle-road, off Faraday-road, Lenton, Nottingham	Lately Builders	Nottingham	32 of 1898	10d.	First	Feb. 11, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham
Wright, John William ...	Reindeer Inn, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, lately trading at the same place, and formerly of the West Bridgford Club, West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire	Lately Publican, formerly Club Proprietor	Nottingham	77 of 1897	3¼d.	Second and Final	Feb. 11, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Miller, George	Formerly of Robert-street, Milford Haven, now of Charles-street, Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	Pembroke Dock ...	4 of 1897	10½d.	Second and Final	Feb. 15, 1899 ...	Frederick James Ackland, 22, Clare-street, Bristol, Incorporated Accountant
King, Henry	101, Palmerston-road and 38 and 40, Marmion-road, Southsea, Hants	Fruiterer and Corn Merchant	Portsmouth	28 of 1898	5½d.	Second and Final	Feb. 10, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Danby, Christopher Francis	Highfield Farm, Hunmanby, and Brigg House, Filey, both in Yorkshire	Farmer	Scarborough	39 of 1896	6s. 10½d.	First and Final	Feb. 2, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 74, Newborough, Scarborough
Emery, William Augustus, the elder	Woodend, in the parish of Soberton, in the county of Hants	Gentleman	Southampton	22 of 1897	3s. 9¾d.	First and Final	Feb. 21, 1899 ...	House of Trustee, Walter West, Wickham, Hants, Butcher
Dingle, John Hicks	Quay-street, Lostwithiel, Cornwall... ..	Coal, Iron, and Timber Merchant	Truro... ..	31 of 1898	19s.	First and Final	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	2, Green-street, Truro
Williams, William	13, Fore-street, Redruth, Cornwall... ..	Butcher and Purveyor of Meat	Truro... ..	25 of 1898	4s. 7½d.	First and Final	Feb. 18, 1899 ...	2, Green-street, Truro
Davies, David	Plaskynaston Stores and Lion Stores, Cefn, Ruabon, Denbighshire	Grocer and General Dealer	Wrexham	21 of 1897	1s. 4d.	Second	Feb. 10, 1899 ...	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate - row, Chester
Ibbotson, Anthony Robert	Egerton House, Walker-road, and Westmoreland-street, both in Harrogate, in the county of York, and late of Inkerman-terrace, Bilton, near Harrogate aforesaid	Painter, Paperhanger, and Decorator	York	36 of 1897	1s. 9½d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1899 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 28, Stonegate, York

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Herridge, Stephen George	20, Stamford-hill, Middlesex	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	590 of 1884	Feb. 24, 1899, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy- buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Comely, Frederick John	2, St. James-parade and St. James - square, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Corn Merchant	Cheltenham... ..	37 of 1895	Mar. 3, 1899, 12 noon, Court- house, Cheltenham
Parker, George Henry	North Villa, North-street, Cheltenham, Gloucester- shire	Builder	Cheltenham... ..	27 of 1895	Mar. 3, 1899, 12 noon, County Court, Cheltenham
Paris, Mary Ellen (trading as Paris and Co.)	Residing at 68, Bouverie-street, Chester, and trading at 30, Eastgate-street, Chester	Provision and Fruit Dealer, Wife of Alfred Paris, carrying on trade separately from her Husband	Chester	1 of 1892	Feb. 23, 1899, 11 A.M., the Castle, Chester

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

No. 27048.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an absolute Order of Discharge.
	Knowles, Arthur Oswald (trading as Arthur O. Knowles and Co.)	Residing at 40, Aycliffe-terrace, and carrying on business at Lane-close Mills, both in Great Horton, in the city of Bradford	Worsted Spinner	Bradford	69 of 1898	Jan. 10, 1899	Immediate Discharge granted	
	Heath, Frederick Charles	Bocking, Essex, lately carrying on business at Blackmore, in the same county	Miller	Chelmsford	4 of 1895	Jan. 2, 1899	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 2nd January, 1902	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them
	Miles, David	St. Joseph's Cottage, Beaconsfield-road, Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex	Builder	Hastings	14 of 1890	Jan. 9, 1899	Discharge suspended for one month. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 9th February, 1899	Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and that he had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent.
	Male, William Henry ...	Residing at 14, Shrewsbury-road, Oxton, in the county of Chester, and formerly residing at 44, Whetstone-lane, Birkenhead, in the said county, and carrying on business at 23, South Castle-street, in the city of Liverpool, with Robert Male and George William Jenkinson, under the style or firm of Male and Jenkinson	Paint, Colour, and Varnish Manufacturer, and Oil Merchant and Importer .	Liverpool	17 of 1891	Dec. 30, 1898. (Modifying Order of Discharge, dated 8th January, 1892)	That so much of the Order of the 8th day of January, 1892, as orders that the Discharge of the applicant be suspended until a Dividend of not less than 10s. in the pound shall have been paid to his joint and separate creditors be modified as follows:—That the applicant William Henry Male be and he hereby is discharged	
	Silcock, Thomas ...	Moss Side, Maghull, in the county of Lancaster, and lately residing and carrying on business at Barnes Farm, Melling, in the said county	Farm Labourer, lately a Farmer	Liverpool	66 of 1890	Jan. 6, 1899	Bankrupt's Discharge suspended for three calendar months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 6th April, 1899	Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and that he had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent

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ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Baughan, John ...	Shipton - under - Wychwood, in the county of Oxford	Farmer	Oxford ...	22 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1898	Discharge suspended for five years as from 12th January, 1898. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th January, 1903	Bankrupt's a-sets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contracted the debts of Mr. Bond and Mr. West, mentioned in the report of the Official Receiver, without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them
Kerst, William ...	Lately residing at Shutta, East Looe, in the county of Cornwall, and carrying on business at Fore-street, East Looe aforesaid	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	12 of 1898	Oct. 5, 1898	Bankrupt be discharged subject to the following conditions, to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes effect, viz.—He shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Plymouth and East Stonehouse, by the Official Receiver, for the sum of £10, being the balance or part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s. costs of Judgment	Bankrupt, had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy
Love, Alfred ...	Residing at 6, York-road, Battersea, in the county of London	Now a Traveller in Flour and Meal, formerly a Baker and Flour Factor	Wandsworth ...	6 of 1898	Jan. 9, 1899	Discharge suspended for five years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 9th January, 1904	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having, at the time of contracting them, reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; and had on a previous occasion filed a petition for the liquidation of his affairs

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Skinner, Frederick Herbert ...	Howgrave, near Ripon, in the county of York ...	Solicitor	Sunderland (by transfer from Northallerton)	18 of 1898	May 19, 1898 ...	July 21, 1898 ...	Debts paid in full

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Woodd, Basil Robert ..	2, Copthall-buildings, in the city of London, and lately residing at Woodlands, Haverstock Hill, in the county of London, but now residing out of England, at a place unknown to the Petitioning Creditor	Stockbroker... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	8 of 1899	King, William Hardy	13, Basinghall-street, London, E.C.	Jan. 28, 1899
Fry, Joseph Samuel (trading as Fry and Co.)	Trading at 15, Bull Ring and 233, Coventry-road, Small Heath, and lately residing at 26, Langley-grove, Langley-road, Small Heath, all in the city of Birmingham, in the county Warwick	Auctioneer and Boot Factor	Birmingham...	123 of 1898	Poppleton, George Graham	26, Corporation - street, Birmingham	Jan. 28, 1899
Ray, James Edward...	Redditch, Worcestershire... ..	Draper	Birmingham...	117 of 1898	Edwards, James Frederick	23, Temple-row, Birmingham, Chartered Accountant	Jan. 30, 1899
Bacon, Charles Irvine ...	15, Bedford-street, late of 65, Marine-parade, then of Alexandra Hotel, Queen's-road, all in Brighton, Sussex, formerly of Southsea, Hants, of Reading, Berks, and of Chiswick, Middlesex	Of no occupation. late Theatrical Manager	Brighton	74 of 1897	Gimblett, Frederick	New Inn - chambers, 41, Wych-street, Strand, London, Incorporated Accountant	Jan. 30, 1899
Zwartouw, Hendrik ...	South-street, Upper Portslade, Sussex	Baker and Corn Dealer ...	Brighton	1 of 1899	Ward, Robert James	17, North-street, Brighton, Chartered Accountant	Feb. 1, 1899
Naylor, Ernest Elijah and Hefford, William (trading under the style of E, Naylor and Co.) ...	27, Wyatt-street, Kettering, in the county of Northampton 36, Cobden-street, Kettering aforesaid At Lower-street, Kettering aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	Northampton	1 of 1899	Cattell, William Charles	Bank - chambers, High-street, Kettering, Incorporated Accountant	Jan. 31, 1899

NOTICES TO DEBTORS IN LIEU OF PERSONAL SERVICE OF BANKRUPTCY NOTICES AND PETITIONS, AND OF APPLICATIONS TO COMMIT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No.	Name of Notice of which Substituted Service directed.	Date thereof.	If a Petition or Application to Commit, Date of Hearing.	Name and Description of Person giving Bankruptcy Notice, or by whom Petition is Presented, or by whom Application to Commit is being made.
Archibald, William ...	104, Rye-hill, Newcastle-on-Tyne,	Publican	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	68 of 1898	Creditors' Petition ...	Dec. 29, 1898 ...	Feb. 13, 1899, 11 A.M., County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	John Robertson and Son Limited, 6, Candle-lane, Seagate, Dundee, and Great Tower-street, London, Wine and Spirit Merchants

Pursuant to the Acts and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.
 JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1890.

WINDING-UP ORDERS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
The Ferro Sodium Company Limited	Hythe-road, near Willesden Junction, Harlesden, Middlesex ...	High Court of Justice ...	006 of 1899	Jan. 25, 1899 ...	Jan. 5, 1899
Goode Marr Matthews and Company Limited	Old-square, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	High Court of Justice ...	00298 of 1898	Jan. 18, 1899 ...	Sept. 20, 1898

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
Big Blow Limited	151, Cannon-street, in the city of London ...	High Court of Justice	004 of 1899	Creditors, Feb. 15, 1899 ... Contributories, Feb. 15, 1899	11.30 A.M. 12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's- inn, London, W.C. Holborn Restaurant, High Holborn, W.C. (entrance in Newton-street)
The Westminster Cycle Works Limited ...	Doris-yard, Doris-street, Kennington, S.E. ...	High Court of Justice	00415 of 1898	Creditors, Feb. 14, 1899 ... Contributories, Feb. 14, 1899	11.30 A.M. 12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's- inn, London, W.C. 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's- inn, London, W.C.

NOTICES OF DAYS APPOINTED FOR PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date fixed for Examination.	Names of Persons to be Examined.	Hour.	Place.
The British and Continental Syndicate Limited	12, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00262 of 1898	Mar. 13, 1899	Alfred J. Campion	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
L'Australie Limited... ..	Moorgate-court, Moorgate-street, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00120 of 1897	Feb. 21, 1899	Richard Heckscher	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
The Omnibus and Tramcar Cigarette Automatic Supply Company Limited	30, Minories, London, E.	High Court of Justice	00325 of 1898	Feb. 27, 1899 Feb. 28, 1899	William O'Malley, Edwin Robert Spiers, Edwin James Turner, Louis Coen, William McAllum	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
Wahlin's Butter Patents Syndicate Limited	11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00294 of 1898	Feb. 21, 1899	Alfred Brisco, Sydney Loder ...	2.15 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
The London and General Bank Limited	20, Budge-row, Cannon-street, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	00116 of 1892	9d.	Ninth	Any day except Saturday between 11 and 3	Official Receiver's Office, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.

Pursuant to the Companies (Winding-up) Act, 1890, and the Rules thereunder, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 15th day of April 1898 by James Thomas Corke of Week-street Maidstone in the county of Kent Confectioner.

THE creditors of the abovenamed James Thomas Corke are hereby requested to send in their claims to Oscar Berry, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee, at his address Monument House, Monument-square London E.C. unless they have already sent their said claims to him he being about to declare a Second and Final Dividend and any firm or person not sending in their claims to him within the next 28 days will be excluded from all benefits under such deed.—Dated this 31st day of January 1899.

WALTER H. DAY 42 Earl-street Maidstone Solicitor for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy. In the Matter of proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with creditors, instituted by Michael Baber Isaacs, of 60, New Broad-street, in the city of London, carrying on business there under the style or firm of J. B. Elkin and Co., also carrying on business at Tobago, in the West Indies, in copartnership with Solomon Baber Isaacs, under the style or firm of S. B. Isaacs and Co., and residing at 35, Leinster-square, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Michael Baber Isaacs, who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of February, 1899, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the Trustee under the liquidation, at my office, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of January, 1899.

E. LEADAM HOUGH, Official Receiver.

THE estates of John Sinclair Moir, Grocer and Wine Merchant, High-street, Forres, were sequestrated on the 31st day of January 1899 by the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin and Nairn at Elgin.

The first deliverance is dated the 31st day of January 1899.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 10th day of February, 1899, within the Commercial Hotel, Forres.

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 31st day of May, 1899.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

DAVIDSON and LEASK Solicitors, Forres, Agents.

THE estates of Joseph Andrew Cowan, Fishing Rod and Tackle Maker, formerly of 146 Rose-street, Edinburgh, now of 149 Rose-street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 31st day of January, 1899, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 12th day of January, 1899.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock on Wednesday the 8th day of February, 1899, within Dowell's Rooms, 18, George-street, Edinburgh.

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 8th day of June, 1899.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

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