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By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS an Act has been passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled "An Act to enable Her Most Gracious Majesty to make an Addition to the Royal Style and Titles appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom and its Dependencies," which Act recites that, by the Act for the Union of Great Britain and Ireland, it was provided that after such Union the Royal Style and Titles appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom and its Dependencies should be such as His Majesty by His Royal Proclamation under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom should be pleased to appoint: and which Act also recites that, by virtue of the said Act, and of a Royal Proclamation under the Great Seal, dated the 1st day of January, 1801, Our present Style and Titles are "Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith;" and which Act also recites that, by the Act for the better Government of India, it was enacted that the Government of India, theretofore vested in the East India Company in trust for Us, should become vested in Us, and that India should thenceforth be governed by Us and in Our name; and that it is expedient that there should be a recognition of the transfer of Government so made by means of an addition to be made to Our Style and Titles: And which Act, after the said recitals, enacts that it shall be lawful for Us, with a view to such recognition as aforesaid, of the transfer of the Government of India, by Our Royal Proclamation under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to make such addition to the Style and Titles at present appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom and its Dependencies as to Us may seem meet: We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to appoint and declare, and We do hereby, by and with the said advice, appoint and declare, that henceforth, so far as conveniently may be, on all occasions, and in all instruments wherein Our Style and Titles are used, save and except all Charters, Commissions, Letters Patent, Grants, Writs, Appointments, and other like instruments, not extending in their operation beyond the United Kingdom, the following addition shall be made to the Style and Titles at present appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the

United Kingdom and its Dependencies; that is to say, in the Latin tongue in these words: "Indiæ Imperatrix." And in the English tongue in these words: "Empress of India."

And Our will and pleasure further is, that the said addition shall not be made in the Commissions, Charters, Letters Patent, Grants, Writs, Appointments, and other like instruments, hereinbefore specially excepted.

And Our will and pleasure further is, that all gold, silver, and copper moneys, now current and lawful moneys of the United Kingdom, and all gold, silver, and copper moneys which shall, on or after this day, be coined by Our authority with the like impressions, shall, notwithstanding such addition to Our Style and Titles, be deemed and taken to be current and lawful moneys of the said United Kingdom; and further that all moneys coined for and issued in any of the Dependencies of the said United Kingdom, and declared by Our Proclamation to be current and lawful money of such Dependencies, respectively bearing Our Style, or Titles, or any part or parts thereof, and all moneys which shall hereafter be coined and issued according to such Proclamation, shall, notwithstanding such addition, continue to be lawful and current money of such Dependencies respectively, until Our pleasure shall be further declared thereupon.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, the twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six; in the thirty-ninth year of Our Reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 17, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 27th of May next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 28, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold Levees at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 15th, and on Monday, the 22nd of May next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to

His Royal Highness at these Levees shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

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

By Her Majesty's Command.

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

PRESENTATIONS.

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

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

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

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

Whitehall, April 26, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, appointing the Right Honourable John Inglis, Lord Justice-General, and President of the Court of Session in Scotland; the Most Noble Walter Francis, Duke of Buccleuch and Queensberry, K.G.; the Right Honourable James, Baron Moncreiff, Lord Justice-Clerk, and President of the Second Division of the Court of Session in Scotland; the Right Honourable Lyon Playfair, C.B.; Sir William Stirling Maxwell, Bart.; James Craufurd, Esq., one of the Senators of the College of Justice in Scotland; William Watson, LL.D., Dean of the Faculty of Advocates, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for Scotland; John Muir, D.C.L.; James Anthony Froude, Esq.; Archibald Campbell Swinton, LL.D.; Thomas Henry Huxley, LL.D., Professor of Natural History in the Royal School of Mines; and James Alexander Campbell, LL.D., to be Her Majesty's

Commissioners to inquire into various matters connected with the Universities of Scotland.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Robert Berry, Esq., Advocate, Professor of Roman Law, and the Law of Scotland in the University of Glasgow, to be Secretary to the Commission.

Downing Street, April 26, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lovell Barchett Clarence, Esq., to be Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Rupert Ryder and James Cobbold Smith, Esqrs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Fiji.

Downing Street, April 27, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Keswick, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hong Kong.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint King Pitman Penchoen, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Montserrat.

Downing Street, April 28, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Topp, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of Her Majesty's Settlement on the Gambia.

Crown Office, April 28, 1876.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

East Cumberland.

Edward Stafford Howard, Esq., of Thornbury Castle, Gloucestershire, Barrister-at-Law, in the place of William Nicholson Hodgson, Esq., deceased.

Westminster, April 27, 1876.

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

An Act to enable Her Most Gracious Majesty to make an addition to the Royal Style and Titles appertaining to the Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom and its Dependencies.

An Act to confirm two Provisional Orders made under "The Drainage and Improvement of Lands (Ireland) Act, 1863," and the Acts amending the same.

An Act to authorize the extension of time for purchasing land and completing the railway authorized by the Manchester and Milford Railway (Devils Bridge Branch) Act, 1873.

An Act to authorize the Folkestone Gas and Coke Company to acquire further lands, to extend their works, to raise additional capital; and for other purposes.

An Act to authorize the City of Dublin Steam

Packet Company to make further arrangements for the investment of their reserve fund; and for other purposes.

An Act to enable the Shepton Mallet Waterworks Company to construct additional works and to raise further capital; and for other purposes.

Education Department, Whitehall,
April 26, 1876.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the compulsory formation of School Boards in the undermentioned Parishes:—

Christchurch (extra-municipal)	Monmouth
Doddiscombsleigh	Devon
Lezant	Cornwall
Sedgley	Stafford
Winthorpe	Nottingham

and in the following United District:—

Barton St. Mary (comprising the parishes of Barton St. Mary [extra-municipal], South Hamlet [extra-municipal], and Tuffley [extra-municipal]) ... Gloucester

The School Board District of Bunwell, in the county of Norfolk, has been made Contributory to the School Board District of Aslacton.

The Parish of Askerton, in the county of Cumberland, has been made Contributory to the School Board District of Bewcastle.

The Parish of Easington (North Riding), in the county of York, has been made Contributory to the School Board District of Hinderwell.

The Parish of Shipdham, in the county of Norfolk, has been made Contributory to the School Board District of East Dereham.

Whitehall, April 13, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Robert Helme, of the Forest, Walthamstow, in the county of Essex, Esq., in the Commission of the Peace for the said county, son of Robert Helme, late of Walthamstow aforesaid, Esq., in the Commission of the Peace and a Deputy-Lieutenant for the county of Middlesex, by Blandinah, his wife, second but eldest surviving daughter of William Mashiter, late of Cottons, in the parish of Romford, in the county of Essex, Esq., in the Commission for the Peace for the counties of Essex and Middlesex, and sister of Thomas Mashiter, late of Hornchurch Lodge, in the said county of Essex, Esq., also in the Commission of the Peace for the said county of Middlesex, all deceased, Her Royal Licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, the said Thomas Mashiter, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Mashiter instead of that of Helme:

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

Admiralty, 25th April, 1876.

The announcement, contained in the London Gazettes, of the 24th December last and of the 21st March last, of the retirement of Fleet Surgeon Frederick William Blake, M.D., and of his promotion to the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, are to be considered as cancelled.

War Office, 28th April, 1876.

MILITIA.

Cambridge.

The services of Captain and Honorary Major John Julius Tullie Haylock are dispensed with in consequence of ill health. Dated 29th April, 1876.

John Julius Tullie Haylock, Esq., late Captain and Honorary Major, is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Devon Artillery.

Lieutenant John Edgcombe Loveband resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

6th Royal Lancashire.

Herbert Symonds, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1876.

Leicester.

Charles Emilius Curll, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.

Captain Hugh Augustus Crofton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Royal Sussex Artillery.

Reginald Hayes Sadler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.

Walter Charteris Ross, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

2nd Royal Lanark.

Major George Augustus Alston is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th April, 1876.

The Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Longford Rifles.

Captain Luke Loftus Bushe Fox is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 29th April, 1876.

North Tipperary.

John Francis Trant, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

Waterford Artillery.

Lieutenant Thomas Francis Lyons, from the North Cork Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

West Somerset.

Lieutenant William G. G. Maclean resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Warwickshire.

Philip John Canning Howard, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st West York.

Frank Mappin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

VOLUNTEERS.

- 1st Buckinghamshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Reverend Walter Francis Short to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
Frank Cooper, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
Alfred Gilbey, jun., Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- Cadet Corps at Stony Stratford attached to 1st Buckinghamshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
William Reinfred Harris Arundell, Gent., to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 4th Cheshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.**
The date of the appointment of Sub-Lieutenant Dempsey is 29th March, 1876, and not 1875, as stated in the London Gazette of 28th ultimo.
- 11th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Lieutenant John C. Lloyd to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 13th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Sub-Lieutenant Henry Bibby to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th February, 1874.
Sub-Lieutenant John Schofield, to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th February, 1874.
Sub-Lieutenant Henry Hinchliffe to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 29th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Sub-Lieutenant George Fearn to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th August, 1873.
- 7th Cumberland Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Captain Septimus Bourne resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 10th Cumberland Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
William B. Turner, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 3rd Dorsetshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.**
Captain William Swain is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 22nd December, 1875.
- 7th Dumfriesshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Sub-Lieutenant Henry Graham to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th September, 1874.
Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) Thomas Ackroyd Bowman to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 5th September, 1874.
- 1st Durham Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Lieutenant Edmund Cecil Wren to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.
Sub-Lieutenant Henry Christopher Manners to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1873.
Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Readman to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1873.
William Hird, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
George Hopper, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 1st Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Francis Stewart Fairbairn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
Robert Henry Smith, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
William Davidson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 3rd Essex Artillery Volunteer Corps.**
Edwin James Scott, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 4th Fifeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Lieutenant Thomas Ireland resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 1st Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
John Nelson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 5th Flintshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Charles Edward Dyson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 8th Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Captain Frederick William Cottrell resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- Cadet Corps attached to 1st Administrative Battalion Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteers.**
Honorary Captain William Reed Porcher resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 2nd Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) John Mountain Buchanan resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
Leonard Hollis Solly, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 5th Hampshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Arthur Fred Perkins, Esq., late Lieutenant, Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 6th Hampshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Thomas Guy Dashwood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 6th Inverness-shire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Captain William Cumming resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 5th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Cecil Edward Kingsford, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 18th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Sub-Lieutenant Stanley G. B. Wollaston resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 2nd Kincardineshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Richard McGregor, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
George Cran, Gent., to be Acting Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 3rd Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Captain John Inglis resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 16th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
Sub-Lieutenant George Walker to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.
Peter Fisher, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
John Martin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.
- 29th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.**
John Dick, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

8th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

George Arthur Allen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

15th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

David Hardy Wrigley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

19th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain George E. Andrew resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Harry Holmes Lee, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

5th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Major William Alcock-Beck resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1876.

2nd Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major William Henry Hornby, 8th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers, to be Major. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Frank Talbot Thomas to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

6th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Alfred Leopold Straus resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Pawson Brown resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Charles J. Sugden, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

13th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Joseph Snape, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

33rd Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Charles Henry Saul resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

40th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Bardsley Fisher resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

2nd Administrative Battalion Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Assistant-Quartermaster Thomas Laxton resigns his appointment. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Edward Dickinson, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 29th April, 1876.

3rd London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Monier Faithfull Williams, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

3rd Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Walker Burleigh Powell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) Leopold B. Bertram resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

14th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Henry Clothier resigns his appointment. Dated 29th April, 1876.

19th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain John Law resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

John Turney Pickering, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Assistant-Surgeon James Wilson Eakin resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

20th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Dennis Berry, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th April, 1876.

28th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Peter Wilson May, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 29th April, 1876.

29th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Henry Osborn Jenkyn resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

38th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major Frederick Leighton to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Captain Robert William Edis to be Major. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Bowes Albert Paice to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Midlothian Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Ramsay McIntosh to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Andrew Fulton to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Midlothian Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) David C. Anderson resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

6th Midlothian Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert Giffen, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

David Smith Kennaway, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Newcastle-on-Tyne Artillery Volunteer Corps.

James Stewart Stevenson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

G. N. Micklethwait, Esq., late Captain and Adjutant 1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps, now on retired pay, to have the honorary rank of Major, with permission to wear the uniform of the above Corps. Dated 29th April, 1876.

2nd Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Bernard Wilson to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

23rd Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain James Fleming resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

8th Shropshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Algernon Heber Percy resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant Robert Gill to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Lieutenant George Macaulay resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Administrative Battalion Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Quartermaster Thomas Broadwood Moutrie resigns his appointment. Dated 29th April, 1876.

18th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Robert Ransom, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Staffordshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Richard J. Strick resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

9th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Thomas Gibbons, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

16th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Francis Cardew Woodforde, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

19th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The date of the promotion of Lieutenant Shaw is 25th June, 1873, and not 23rd, as stated in the London Gazette of 28th March, 1876.

2nd Stirlingshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Donald MacFadyen, from 14th Stirlingshire Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

6th Stirlingshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Auld, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

4th Suffolk Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Thomson Wilson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

2nd Administrative Battalion Suffolk Rifle Volunteers.

The Honourable Willoughby Merrik Campbell Burrell, late Captain Rifle Brigade, to be Major. Dated 29th April, 1876.

9th Suffolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Samuel Allen Goodwyn resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Surgeon Eugene Cronin, M.D., resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Edward Milner, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th April, 1876.

11th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Laurence Gifford Holland resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

13th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Edward Roe Fisher resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

19th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Reginald W. Williams to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1876.

2nd Sussex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The services of Lieutenant Walter B. Shoppard are dispensed with. Dated 29th April, 1876.

1st Worcestershire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

William Thornburn Perks, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

Frederick Snowdon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

6th Worcestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel N. Thompson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1876.

5th Administrative Battalion West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

The names of Captain and Adjutant Croker-King are Charles Edgar Croker-King, and not C. Croker-King, as stated in the the London Gazette of 14th March, 1876.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Alfred Swarbeck resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary) John Nelson resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1876.

7th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Henry Dresser, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

17th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles Herbert Wilkinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1876.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Henry Chaytor, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Civil Service Commission,

April 22, 1876.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Third Assistant in the Royal Observatory at the Cape of Good Hope.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. The limits of age for this situation are 17 and 20. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

2. No Candidate will be eligible who shall not have produced to the Civil Service Commissioners a week before the day of the examination a certificate from the Astronomer Royal, or from the head of a recognised Observatory, that he has had the preliminary training and possesses the technical knowledge necessary to qualify him for making observations.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting and Orthography.
2. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).

3. Calculations of instrumental corrections and numerical reductions of observations.

4. Candidates failing in any of the above-named subjects will not be eligible.

5. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Commissioners may appoint.

6. A fee of 15s. will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competition for one situation of Third Assistant in the Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope, will be held in London, under the above Regulations, on Tuesday, the 23rd of May, 1876, and following days.

Persons wishing to be admitted to the Examination should apply at once for the necessary form to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission,
April 28, 1876.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette,) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Architectural Draughtsman in the Departments of the Director of Engineering and Architectural Works in the Admiralty.

I. The limits of age for this situation are 21 and 25, and candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the examination.

II. Candidates will be required to show what preliminary training or technical education they have undergone to qualify themselves for a situation of this nature. Evidence on this point must be sent in at least a week before the date of the examination. If it prove *prima facie* satisfactory, the candidate will be admitted to examination, subject to such further inquiry as may be necessary.

III. The examination will consist of two parts, and will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).

* * No candidate who fails to show satisfactory proficiency in any of the subjects specified above will be admitted to the competitive part of the examination.

PART II.—COMPETITIVE.

1. Practical Geometry.
2. Algebra to Quadratic Equations, including Progressions and Logarithms.
3. Rudimentary Mechanics.
4. History and Styles of Architecture.
5. Drawings and Design of Architectural Works.
6. Drawings and Design of Architectural Ornament.
7. Perspective Drawing.
8. Architectural Water Colour Drawing.
9. Strength of Materials of Construction.
10. Use of Materials of Construction.
11. Details of Construction in Foundations, Masonry, Brickwork, Carpentry, Ironwork, Joinery, Plumbers, &c.
12. Details of Architectural Work.
13. Specifications for Architectural and Building Works.
14. Measurement of Quantities in Building Works.
15. Estimates of Cost of Building Works.
16. Any one Modern Language.

IV. Candidates must pass to the satisfaction of the Commissioners in the subjects numbered 1 to 15. The remaining subject is optional.

V. A fee of 10s. will be required from each candidate attending the preliminary examination, and a further fee of £3 from each candidate who may be admitted to the competitive part.

VI. Application for permission to attend an examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Commissioners may appoint.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for

one situation of Architectural Draughtsman in the Departments of the Director of Engineering and Architectural Works in the Admiralty, will be held in London, under the above Regulations on Thursday, the 1st of June, 1876, and following days.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London on Tuesday, the 30th of May, 1876.

Persons wishing to be admitted to the Examination should apply at once for the necessary form to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission,
April 28, 1876.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Engineering Draughtsman in the Departments of the Director of Engineering and Architectural Works in the Admiralty.

I. The limits of age for this situation are 21 and 25, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the examination.

II. Candidates will be required to show what preliminary training or technical education they have undergone to qualify themselves for a situation of this nature. Evidence on this point must be sent in at least a week before the date of the examination. If it prove *prima facie* satisfactory, the Candidate will be admitted to examination, subject to such further inquiry as may be necessary.

III. The examination will consist of two parts, and will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).

* * No Candidate who fails to show satisfactory proficiency in any of the subjects specified above will be admitted to the competitive part of the examination.

PART II.—COMPETITIVE.

1. Practical Geometry.
2. Algebra to Quadratic Equations, including Progressions and Logarithms.
3. Rudimentary Mechanics.
4. Drawings and Design of Engineering Works.
5. Drawings and Design of Ironwork.
6. Drawings and Design of Ordinary Machinery.
7. Calculations of Stability and Strength of Structures.
8. Calculations (Graphic) of Strains on Braced Structures.
9. Calculations of Strength of Materials of Construction.
10. Calculations of Power and Work of Machines.
11. Use of Materials of Construction.
12. Details of Construction in Earthwork, Foundations, Brickwork, Masonry, Carpentry, &c.

13. Details of Construction in Ironwork.
14. Details of Construction in Hydraulic Engineering Works.
15. Specifications for Engineering Works.
16. Measurement of Quantities in Engineering Works.
17. Estimates of Cost in Engineering Works.
18. Levelling and Surveying.
19. Any one Modern Language.

IV. Candidates must pass to the satisfaction of the Commissioners in the subjects numbered 1 to 18. The remaining subject is optional.

V. A fee of 10s. will be required from each Candidate attending the Preliminary Examination, and a further fee of £3 from each Candidate who may be admitted to the Competitive part.

VI. Application for permission to attend an examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Commissioners may appoint.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for one situation of Engineering Draughtsman in the Departments of the Director of Engineering and Architectural Works in the Admiralty will be held in London, under the above Regulations, on Thursday, the 1st of June, 1876, and following days.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London on Tuesday, the 30th of May, 1876.

Persons wishing to be admitted to the Examination should apply at once for the necessary form to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, April 21, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 10th August, 1875, by Her Majesty's ship "London."

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

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

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, April 22, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 14th August, 1875, by Her Majesty's ship "London."

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

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

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, April 26, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for the slave dhow "Tende," captured on the 25th July, 1875, by Her Majesty's ship "Thetis."

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

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

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, and in the Matter of the British Guardian Life Assurance Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court was, on the 26th day of April, 1876, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by John Frankland Hepburn, of Hackney, Middlesex, Printer, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 6th day of May, 1876; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the said 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.

E. Kimber, of 22, Queen-street, in the city of London, Petitioner's Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Printing and Numerical Registering Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 26th day of May, 1876, 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. George Augustus Cape, of No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, 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. Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of April, 1876.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1876.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co. ...		£ 17,526
Guildford Bank	Guildford	Haydon and Co. ...		10,996

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, April 27, 1876.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 26th April, 1876.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	39	...	39	...	910,920	910,920
Belgium	10,084	...	10,084	...	3,840	3,840
France	11,003	...	11,003	89,950	23,528	113,478
British Possessions in S. Africa	11,875	...	11,875	857	...	857
British India	2,543	...	2,543	27,408	...	27,408
Australia ... ..	...	12,749	12,749	...	...	...
South America (except Brazil) and West Indies	32	466	498	808	202,021	202,829
United States	28,250	1,953	30,203	19,714	153,400	173,114
Other Countries	850	4,177	5,027	24,727	20,278	45,005
...
...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	64,676	19,345	84,021	163,464	1,313,987	1,477,451
Declared Value of the said Importations ... }	£ 257,016	£ 78,137	£ 335,153	£ 38,583	£ 299,729	£ 338,312

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Holland ... ..	...	...	...	280	38,000	...	38,280
France ... ..	...	2,520	2,520	...	65,852	85,320	151,172
British India	62	...	62	...	...	778,285	778,285
China and Hong Kong	108,300	...	108,300	
Other Countries	130	31	15	176	4,541	4,785	2,491	
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Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	192	2,551	15	2,758	4,821	216,937	866,096	
Declared Value of the said Exportations ... }	£ 740	£ 8,960	£ 56	£ 9,756	£ 1,320	£ 49,632	£ 202,376	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London, April 27, 1876.

S. SELDON, Principal.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four Weeks ending Saturday, the 15th day of April, 1876.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
			£						
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	343418	205115	431517	636632	305765	82198	387963
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	224301	450787	675088	478886	103437	582323
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	163011	349426	512438	178725	44449	223175
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	225766	534938	760704	458955	40347	499303
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	169852	399457	569310	400849	40175	441024
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	241130	501551	742681	335905	98239	434144
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen	70133	88342	109982	198324	167965	20727	188693
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	159269	159484	318753	201367	14889	216256
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	160052	329651	489703	237334	60572	297907
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank	Glasgow	72921	206090	401727	607817	543731	33642	577373
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	32911	69841	102752	71660	9021	80681

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate (with the exception of _____) have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1876.

W. H. COUSINS; Officer of Stamp Duties.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 26th day of April, 1876.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Notes issued	...	...	40,311,825	Government Debt	...	...	11,015,100
				Other Securities	...	...	3,984,900
				Gold Coin and Bullion	...	...	25,311,825
				Silver Bullion	...	...	—
			£40,311,825				£40,311,825

Dated the 27th day of April, 1876

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	...	14,545,365
Rest	...	...	3,129,019	Other Securities	...	...	17,696,624
Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	...	...	5,595,377	Notes	...	...	12,853,165
Other Deposits	...	...	22,483,140	Gold and Silver Coin	...	...	946,862
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	281,480				
			£46,042,016				£46,042,016

Dated the 27th day of April, 1876.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

India Office, April 22, 1876.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received Calcutta Gazettes, containing the following Notices of Orders made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the Matter of David Hoy Solomon, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, by an Order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.—C. F. Pittar, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1876.

In the Matter of Lewis Clarence Ramey, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, by an Order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.—W. F. Watson, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1876.

In the Matter of Kadernath Pal, Rajender Chunder Pal, and Bheemchunder Pal, Insolvents.

On Thursday, the 9th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

—M. Camell, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1876.

In the Matter of Eudora Anne Portugal, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Insolvent in person. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1876.

In the Matter of Troylukhonaath Roy, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of December last, it was, on the application of Mr. Stokoe, ordered that the said Insolvent do stand committed to the custody of the Sheriff of the town of Calcutta and the Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta, for a period of four months, to be computed from the date of this order: and that the personal discharge of the said Insolvent do stand adjourned until the first Court Day after the expiration of such imprisonment, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to obtain his personal discharge; and this Court doth hereby grant the said Insolvent protection from arrest to take effect from the date of his discharge from such imprisonment until the Court Day lastly hereinbefore mentioned. Vertannes and Doss, Attorneys.—Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1876.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 14th day of March, 1876.

In the Matter of Alfred Horton Pritchard, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of August, 1874, it was ordered that the petition filed by the said Insolvent seeking for relief under the provisions of

the said Act be withdrawn, and the vesting order made thereon be, and the same is, hereby discharged, provided always that all acts or things done by Albert Birmingham Miller, Esq., the Official Assignee of this Court, and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Insolvent, or other person acting under his authority prior to this order, shall be good and valid, and shall not be annulled or in any wise affected thereby; and also ordered that the said Assignee do deliver over to the said Insolvent all the estate and effects, moneys, goods, books, and papers now remaining in the hands of the said Assignee, belonging to the said Insolvent, upon payment of his usual commission, and all costs, charges, and expenses lawfully incurred by him.— Insolvent in person.— Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

In the Matter of Mahabeer Persaud, an Insolvent,

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the petition filed by the said Insolvent seeking for relief under the provisions of the said Act be withdrawn, and the vesting order made thereon be, and the same is, hereby discharged, provided always that all acts or things done by Albert Birmingham Miller, Esq., the Official Assignee of this Court, and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Insolvent or other person acting under his authority prior to this order shall be good and valid, and shall not be annulled or in anywise affected thereby, and also ordered that the said Assignee do deliver over to the said Insolvent all the estate and effects, moneys, goods, books, and papers, now remaining in the hands of the said Assignee belonging to the said Insolvent, upon payment of his commission, and all costs, charges, and expenses lawfully incurred by him.—Greesh Chunder Ghose, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

In the Matter of Saligram, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 2nd day of May next, and this Court doth hereby make this ad interim protection order for the protection of the said Insolvent from arrest to take effect from the date hereof in respect of all the debts and liabilities mentioned in the schedule of the said Insolvent filed in this Court, which protection shall continue in force until the said 2nd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Dhur and Mitter, Attorneys. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

In the Matter of David Hoy Solomon, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of March instant, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of May next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally, as well as to his after-acquired property, from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.—C. F. Pittar, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

In the Matter of David Alexander Smith, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.—C. F. Pittar, Attor-

ney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

In the Matter of Ramchund Bhuddro, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Greesh Chunder Ghose, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

In the Matter of John Carl Rudolph Abendroth, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 6,989-6-6 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent, as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 8 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts, and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule, when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.—A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

Chief Clerk's Office.
the 21st day of March, 1876.

India Office, April 22, 1876.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Calcutta Gazette, containing the following Notice that the undermentioned Insolvent filed her Petition in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21:—

Petition filed praying for relief.

In the Matter of Eudora Anne Portugal, widow of the late John Portugal, of No. 4, Dacre's-lane, in the town of Calcutta, who carried on business as a Boarding-house Keeper, and is at present doing nothing, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 7th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—Insolvent in person. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1876.

India Office, April 22, 1876.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Calcutta Gazette, containing the following notice that the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there hath, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21, adjudged that the undermentioned person has committed an act of Insol-

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the Matter of Umbicanundun Biswas, a Prisoner now in the Presidency Jail, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of March instant, it was, on the petition of Thomas Isaac Handford and Josiah Crew, creditors of the said

Insolvent, adjudged that the said Umbicanundun Biswas hath committed an act of insolvency under the provisions of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—Orr and Harriss, Attorneys. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 23, 1876.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I WILLIAM A. GRAINGER, of Belfast, hereby give notice, that in consequence of there being so many vessels of the same name as the new brigantine I have just purchased, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under Section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Louise," of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, official number 73,067, of gross tonnage 199 tons, of register tonnage 199 tons, heretofore owned by James Duncan, Robert Robinson Hodgson, and John Ferguson Robertson, all of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, for permission to change her name to "John Shelly," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Belfast, as owned by William A. Grainger.

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

Dated at Belfast, this 24th day of April, 1876.

Wm. A. Grainger.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1640. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in brushes for cleaning the interior of tubes and the like,"—a communication to him from abroad by Calvin Burnham Rogers, of Saybrook, Connecticut, United States of America, Manufacturer,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of April, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1641. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the construction of railway wheels,"—a communication to him from abroad by Anson Atwood, of Brooklyn, in the county of King's, and State of New York, and Augustus D. Shepard, of Westfield, in the county of Union, and State of New Jersey, both in the United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of April, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1665. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Stephen Paschall Morris Tasker, of the city and county of Philadelphia, in the State of

Pennsylvania, United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improvement in machinery for bending metal plates into tubular form," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of April, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1720. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Gustav Wilhelm Schumacher, of Portland, in the county of Cumberland, and State of Maine, one of the United States of America, Manufacturer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in thermometers,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of April, 1876, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed—

20. To Samuel Aylett Cooper, Surveyor of Old Lodge, in the parish of Micheldever, in the county of Hants, for the invention of "improvements in fixing glass on building or other materials, with a view to the ornamentation of the same."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of January, 1876.

128. To Camillo Bondi, of Trieste, in the Empire of Austria, for the invention of "improvements in signalling and telegraphing on railways and tramways."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of January, 1876.

274. To Charles Thomas Kingzett, of Shaftesbury-terrace, Warwick-road, Kenington, Chemist, and Maximilian Ziegler, of Buckland-terrace, Belsize Park, Gentleman, both in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the production of antiseptics and disinfectants."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of January, 1876.

554. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "improvements in cases or receptacles for toilet and other articles."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Benis Segoffin, of Paris, France.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of February, 1876.

1078. To John Clubb, of Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for examining into casks and other partially closed vessels or receptacles, to ascertain their condition."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of March, 1876.

1116. To Emanuel Bradley, Humphrey Bradley, and William Sunderland, all of Morley, near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus for economising fuel, and for the consumption of smoke."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of March, 1876.

1306. To Charles Ford, of Bishopton, in the county of Warwick, and Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing clay for all kinds of pottery, either in earthenware or china."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of March, 1876.

1324. To William Frederick Tindell, of 18, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of boxes and similar articles from paper-pulp."—A communication to him from abroad by Seth Wheeler, of Albany, in the State of New York, United States of America.

1326. And to Richard Smith, of 8, Lady Somerset-road, London, for the invention of "improvement in keys for locks."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of March, 1876.

1366. To Francis Applegath, of No. 24, Bloomfield-street, Upper Westbourne-terrace, in the county of Middlesex, Colonel in the Madras Staff Corps, for the invention of "improvements in weirs or annicuts, and in sluices therefor."

1368. To John Riley, of Saint Helens, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of soda ash, and other salts, and in furnaces therefor applicable also in part to other purposes."

1370. To John Astley, Reed and Heald Manufacturer, and Francis Davies, Engineer, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for knitting healds."

1372. To Thomas Stevenson, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Die Sinker, for the invention of "certain improvements in drain pipes."

1374. To Thomas James Smith, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in and additions to telegraphic receiving and recording apparatus."—A communication to him from abroad by the Count Euile Siccardi, of Turin, in the Kingdom of Italy.

1376. To William Ireland, of Buckhaven, in the county of Fife, North Britain, for the invention of "an instrument for indicating or ascertaining the relative speed of revolving surfaces, the same being especially applicable for ascertaining the draft in preparing or spinning machinery, and for measuring the delivery or uptake of slivers or yarns."

1378. To William McFarlane and Andrew McPherson, both of Newmilns, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of leno curtains, blinds, and similar fabrics."

1380. And to William Alfred Gibbs, of Gillwell Park, Sewardstone, near Woodford, in the county of Essex, Esquire, for the invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus for drying."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 30th day of March, 1876.

1384. To Jonathan Aldous Mays, of 221, Gresham-house, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in roller and other skates."

1386. To Henry Sharp, Pipe Manufacturer, of Loseley Hurst, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for moulding pipes, segmental and invert blocks for sewers; paving blocks, moulded courses and other articles in concrete."

1388. To John Clough, of Bradford, in the county of York, Machine Wool Comber, for the invention of "improvements in or applicable to machinery for combing wool and other fibrous substances."

1390. To Frederick Edward Blackett Beaumont, of No. 2, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, and Joseph Foster, of St. Paul's-square Works, Preston, in the county of Lancashire, for the invention of "improvements in percussive rock drills."

1392. To Jules Monjot, of Signy-Labbaye (Ardennes), France, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

1394. To Astley Paston Price, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Consulting Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in wheels or rollers for skates."

1398. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "a new or improved refractory material or composition for lining puddling and other furnaces, and for other uses."—A communication to him from abroad by Marie Eugène Paul Audouin, of Paris, France.

1400. And to Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for dressing tampico and bristles."—A communication to him from abroad by Enoch B. Whiting, of Saint Albans, county of Franklin, and State of Vermont, in the United States of America.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 31st day of March, 1876.

1404. To William Poole, of 32, Thurston-road, Lewisham, in the county of Kent, Lamp Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with cans or receptacles for containing and conveying milk."

1406. To Francis Dixon Nuttall, of Saint Helens, in the county of Lancaster, Glass Bottle Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in and relating to tank furnaces for the manufacture of glass bottles."

1408. To Edward Tyer, of No. 4, Old-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in pneumatic brake apparatus for railway trains."

1410. To George Knowles, Junior, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, for the invention of "improvements in mules for spinning."

1412. To Edmund Maden, of Portland, in the county of Dorset, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for compressing air."

1414. To Edward Thomas Periam, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in screw bolts."

1416. And to William Reid Douglas, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "new or improved apparatus for raising and lowering boats."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of April, 1876.

1420. To John Hall, of Grantham, in the county of Lincoln, Cabinet Maker, for the invention of "an improved draught and dust excluder."

1422. To Edward Keighley, of Bradford, in the county of York, Dye Works Manager, for the invention of "improved means or apparatus for singeing woven fabrics and other fibrous substances."

1424. To John Dickinson Brunton, and George Brunton, both of Leighton-crescent, Kentish-town, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in tunnelling machinery."

1426. To James Milward Holmes, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Secretary of the International Agency, for the invention of "improvements in gas stoves or gas apparatus for heating and cooking."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles F. Brooker, of Wadecottville, Connecticut, United States of America.

1428. And to John Dowding, of No. 5, Hughesterrace, Lower-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Carpenter, for the invention of "improvements in the paving of streets, roads, and other places, and in the means or materials therefor."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of April, 1876.

1430. To James Craig, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, Ironmonger, for the invention of "improvements in joint-fastenings or sockets for paraffin lamps and other articles."

1432. To John Curtis and Daniel Wellington, of St. Agnes Foundry, St. Agnes, in the county of Cornwall, for the invention of "improvements in stamp tongues used in apparatus for pulverizing tin or other ores."

1434. To Philip Alexander Thomas, of No. 19, Cornwall-gardens, Queen's-gate, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in roller skates."

1438. To John Adams, of the Strand, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in roller or rink skates."

1440. To James Plaister Harriss-Gastrell, formerly of Stanley Hall, Wakefield, in the county of York, England, but now of the British Embassy, Vienna, in the Empire of Austria, for the invention of "improvements in roller skates, and in appurtenances for the same."

1442. To John Thornton, Joseph Thornton, and Albert Thornton, of Cleckheaton, in the county of York, Machine Makers, and William Fenton, of High Town, near Cleckheaton aforesaid, Commercial Traveller, for the invention of "improvements in spinning woollen and other fibrous substances."

1444. And to Isaac Battinson and George Battinson, Wool Top Makers, and Thomas Whitehead, Overlooker, all of Halifax, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for combing wool."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of April, 1876.

1446. To John Hollway, of the firm of Hollway Brothers, of Jeffrey's-square, in the city of London, for the invention of "certain improvements in the production of metals or metallic-alloys, and in the process employed therefor."

1448. To Joseph Holding, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved arrangement for reducing the wear of reeds employed in looms."

1450. To Richard Davison, of Driffeld, in the county of York, Secretary to the Driffeld and East Riding Pure Linseed Cake Company Limited, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus to be employed in cleaning cotton seed."

1454. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for crushing, bruising, or grinding grain, minerals, and other substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Frederick Steimmig, of Ebenfurth, in the Empire of Austria.

1456. To James William Clough, of Bradford, in the county of York, Machine Wool Comber, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for combing wool and other fibrous substances."

1458. To Carle Linde, of Munich, in the Kingdom of Bavaria, but at present of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in refrigerating and freezing apparatus."

1460. To Henry Winchcombe Bentham, of Buenos Ayres, in the Argentine Republic, but at present residing in the Waterloo-road, in the parish of Lambeth, for the invention of "improved clipping apparatus, applicable to the shearing of sheep."

1462. To Abraham Surry Andrews, of 22A, James-street, Old-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."

1464. And to Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in feed water heaters."—A communication to him from abroad by Horatio Nelson Waters and Edmund North Wilcox, both of West Meriden, in the county of New Haven, and State of Connecticut, United States of America.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of April, 1876

1468. To Lewis Anidjah, of 17, Chapel-street, Curtain-road, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Upholsterer, for the invention of "improvements in couches."

1470. To James Higgins Owen, of the city of Dublin, Ireland, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in roller skates."

1472. To Joseph Hansmann, of No. 2, Westons-villas, St. John's-road, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Tailor, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial school slats."

1474. To John MacNay Rimington, of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machine shuttles."

1476. And to John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue & Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of textile leather, and the application thereof to various useful purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Jolissaint-Vouèche and la Société Comte and Mabut, of Paris, France.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 6th day of April, 1876.

PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vic., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 22nd day of April, 1876.

1366. Benjamin Giles, of Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Gas Engineer, for an invention of "an improved cookery apparatus."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1367. Thomas Black, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in steam engines and in apparatus connected therewith."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1368. Thomas Black, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1369. William Cream Henderson, of Marsh House, Walthamstow, in the county of Essex, for an invention of "improvements in horticultural and other frames to receive glass, and in the means for affixing glass therein."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1370. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the preservation of alimentary substances, and in apparatus for the same.—From abroad by the firm of Bernard Delrieu and Jean Marie Pernoud and Company, of Lyons, France.—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1372. George Johnson, of Wheatley, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Cotton Spinner, and James Shaw, of Brighouse, in the county aforesaid, Cotton Spinner, for an invention of "improvements in steam engines."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1374. John Knowles, of Westwood, Pendlebury, in the county of Lancaster, Colliery Proprietor, for an invention of "an improved mode of producing the blast in cupolas and furnaces."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1378. Alphonse Pierre Fleury Desmares, of Boulevard de Strasbourg, No. 23, Paris, Manufacturer, for an invention of "an improved process of and machinery for producing relief designs or patterns on woollen fabrics."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1379. Thomas Aldridge Weston, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and of Ridgewood, New Jersey, in the United States of America, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for rising, lowering, and suspending weights or heavy bodies."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1380. Samuel Horatio Hodges, of Lynn, county of Essex, and Henry Franklin Wheeler, of Boston, county of Suffolk, both of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in machines for trimming, setting, or otherwise operating upon the soles or heels of boots and shoes."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1381. John Denley, of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, for an invention of "improvements in fire-places or grates."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1383. Isaac Blue Harris, of Castle Mills, Fountain-bridge, Edingburgh, for an invention of "improvements in the mode of preparing wire cloth coated with India rubber for the manufacture of washers, piston packing, hose, and such like articles therefrom."—Dated 16th April, 1873.
1385. Michael Wheelwright Ivison, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "an improved sheep dip, which is also applicable to animals other than sheep."—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1389. Leonard Jennett Todd, of Leith, in the county of Mid Lothian, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in and connected with steam tramway and other locomotives."—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1390. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in pullies and pulley blocks."—From abroad by the firm of Damien and Kister, of Paris, in the Republic of France.—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1392. Jonathan Hurn Faulkner, of Brixton, in the county of Surrey, and William Tatters, of 35, Patmore-street, Battersea, in the said county, for an invention of "improvements in measuring or meter taps and valves."—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1394. Halfoord Sigfrid Cederholm and Carl Peterson, of 3, Lime-terrace, New Charlton, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "improvements in ships-logs."—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1395. Robert Coddington, of No. 3, Bedford-place, Russell-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in telegraphic apparatus."—From abroad by Merritt Gally, of Rochester, New York, United States of America.—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1396. Thomas Nicklin, Potter's Manager, of 2, Villiers-street, and James Frost, Potter's Fireman, of 2, Belgrave-road, both of Dresden, in the county of Stafford, for an invention of "improvements in ovens for firing pottery-ware, viz.: china, earthenware, bricks, and such like materials."—Dated 17th April, 1873.
1400. Alfred Albert Dixon, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for an invention of "an improved injector for steam boilers."—Dated 18th April, 1873.
1401. George Malcolm, Manager at the Cordale Print Works, in the county of Dumbarton, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for printing ornamental fabrics."—Dated 18th April, 1873.
1403. William Harvie, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "an improvement in lamps wherein gas is burned."—Dated 18th April, 1873.
1404. William Harvie, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "an improvement in lamps."—Dated 18th April, 1873.
1407. The Reverend Granville Hamilton Forbes, of Broughton Rectory, in the county of Northampton, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cements, artificial stone, and plaster of Paris."—Dated 18th April, 1873.
1411. John Bragg, of Aston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Farmer, for an invention of "improvements in obtaining motive power from running water."—Dated 18th April, 1873.
1414. William Henry Tooth, of Sewardstone-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Chemist, and William Henry Tooth the younger, of the same place, for an invention of "improvements in fire bricks and other articles intended to resist the action of fire, the said improvements including compositions to be used in the manufacture of the same."—Dated 18th April, 1873.

1418. William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "a new or improved system of constructing tents and improved tent equipment."—Communicated to him from abroad by Armand Couette, of No. 64, Faubourg St. Martin, Paris, France.—Dated 19th April, 1873.
1419. Theodore Frederic Sandbach Tinne, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in and connected with motive power engines."—Dated 19th April, 1873.
1421. Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of wood or other ligneous or vegetable matter for the manufacture of paper, cardboard, and other analogous products."—Communicated to him from abroad by Oswald Meyl and Heinrich Voelter, of Paris, France.—Dated 19th April, 1873.
1424. Robert Asquith, of Meanwood-road Foundry, Leeds, in the county of York, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in expansion gear for working and regulating the expansion or cut off valves of steam engines."—Dated 19th April, 1873.
1429. Percy Albert Blake, of Highbury, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improved automatic means for indicating the presence of fire in buildings."—Dated 19th April, 1873.
1430. John William Gray, of the Offices for Patenting and Introducing Inventions, 16, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "a new or improved reservoir for storing petroleum or other inflammable oils or spirits."—Communicated to him from abroad by Giuseppe Branchini, of Paris, in the Republic of France.—Dated 19th April, 1873.
1431. Homau Price Fenby, of 13, Queen-square, Leeds, in the county of York, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "an improved method of obtaining circular motion in one direction, from circular motion acting in one or alternate directions, the same being applicable as a clutch or brake."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1434. William Alexander Lyttle, of the Grove, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the preservation of timber."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1436. Joseph Rhodes, Enoch Rhodes, Cotton Warp Sizers and Dressers, and William Frankland, Manager, all of Bradford, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for consuming smoke and economizing fuel for steam generators and fire grates."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1457. Constantine De Negri, Engineer of the Hornsey Iron Works, Hornsey-road, Upper Holloway, London, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in engines."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1441. Heinrich Adolf Hülsenberg, of Tynemouth-terrace, Victoria Park, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in working slide valves by steam pressure and apparatus therefor."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1442. James Henderson, of Leith, in the county of Edinburgh, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the propulsion of steam or other ships or vessels, and in the construction and arrangement of machinery or apparatus therefor."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1443. Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved mode of and apparatus for cooling fluids and liquids."—From abroad by Nicholas Joseph Galland, of Paris, France, Engineer.—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1445. Henry Young Darracott Scott, of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Major-General, C.B., for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of night soil and sewage matters, and in the manufacture of manures therefrom."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1447. Claus Otto Bostelmann, of Hamburg, at present residing at the Royal Hotel, New Bridge-street, Blackfriars, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for measuring and recording the flowing of beer and other liquids."—Dated 21st April, 1873.
1453. Frederick John Cheesbrough, of the Office for Patents, 15, Water-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "an improved machine for fitting the elastic gores in gaiter shoes."—From abroad by Joseph Walden, of the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, State of New Jersey, United States of America.—Dated 22nd April, 1873.
1454. Edwin William Thomas, of 43, Bermondsey New-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, and Edward Nightscales, of 9, Albany-road, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "an improved self acting steam water lift and injector."—Dated 22nd April, 1873.

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A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 22nd day of April, 1876.

1177. Samuel Harrison, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounder, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus and arrangement of same for ventilating, gaining access to, and flushing street and other sewers, and drains, also in purifying the noxious gases arising therefrom, parts of which improvements consist in gully stench traps."—Dated 16th April, 1869.

1184. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for an invention of "improvements in rifled fire arms and ordnance, and in ammunition for the same."—Communicated to him from abroad by Oliver Fisher Winchester, of the city and county of New Haven, United States of America -- Dated 17th April, 1869.

1193. John Horsley, of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Chemist, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of blasting powder or explosive compounds."—Dated 19th April, 1869.

1197. Henry Aitken, of Falkirk, in the county of Stirling, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in treating iron ores or iron-stones."—Dated 19th April, 1869.

1200. Henry Young Darracott Scott, of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in pottery ovens or kilns and glass and other furnaces."—Dated 19th April, 1869.

1210. Kenneth Smith Mackenzie, Baronet, of Gairloch, in the county of Ross, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in fences, railings, hurdles, and similar structures."—Dated 20th April, 1869.
1211. Henry Lee, of the firm of Tootal, Broadhurst, Lee, and Company, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "certain improvements in looms for weaving."—Dated 20th April, 1869.
1212. George Green, of Aberystwith, in the county of Cardigan, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for separating ores and other materials."—Dated 20th April, 1869.
1215. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Patent Agents, for an invention of "improvements in lamps."—Communicated to him from abroad by John Mansfield Perkins and Mark Wiggins House, both of Cleveland, Ohio, United States of America.—Dated 20th April, 1869.
1216. William Francis Reynolds, of 16, Albert-square, Commercial-road, E., in the parish of Ratcliff, in the county of Middlesex, and Jonathan Aldous Mays, of 2, West-street, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in velocipedes and other vehicles or carriages mounted on running wheels."—Dated 21st April, 1869.
1222. John Walker McCarter, of the City Saw Mills, Foyle-street, Londonderry, in the county of Londonderry, Ireland, for an invention of "improvements in condensers for steam engines."—Dated 21st April, 1869.
1230. Clinton Edcumbe Brooman, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for an invention of "improvements in dressing or finishing fabrics."—Communicated to him from abroad by Joseph Ernest Thiemonge, of Lessees, near Thillot, France.—Dated 21st April, 1869.
1243. Alfred Borgnet, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, South Wales, Manufacturer, for an invention of "an improved composition to be employed as a paint."—Dated 22nd April, 1869.

The Patent Marine Inventions Company Limited.

AT a Special General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 148, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, on the 30th day of March, 1876, the following resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Special General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at 148, Fenchurch-street aforesaid, on the 21st day of April, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

"That Messrs. Edward Coleman, John Elliot, and Captain William Babington, be and are hereby appointed Liquidators of the Company."

Edw. Coleman, Chairman.

The New Merrybeent and Middleton Tyas Mining and Smelting Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, duly convened and held on the 9th day of March, 1875, at the Lecture Room, Central-buildings, Darlington, in the county of Durham, it was resolved:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company cannot, by reason

of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the same be wound up voluntarily accordingly.

"That it is not advisable for this Meeting to appoint any Liquidator, but that it is desirable that the Liquidator to act in such voluntary winding up should be appointed by the said Vice-Chancellor, and that the person so appointed should be a person wholly unconnected with any of the persons who have taken any part in the proceedings upon the petition of Joseph Boyer.

H. K. Spark, Chairman.

Newcastle and County Loan and Discount Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at 24, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of the same town, on the 6th day of May, 1875, the following Special Extraordinary 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 20th day of May, 1875, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That George William Spence be and is hereby appointed Liquidator."

John Hedley, Chairman.

The York Black Swan Hotel Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the office of the said Company, No. 13, in New-street, in the city of York, on the 3rd day of April, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Black Swan Hotel, in Coney-street, in the said city of York, on the 19th day of April, 1876, the said following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily.

"That Edwin Wade, Joseph King, Robert William Anderson, Septimus Day, and James Day, junior, Esquires, the present Directors of the Company, be nominated, and they are hereby appointed, voluntary Liquidators of the Company."

Edwin Wade, Chairman.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Messrs. Roberts and Dickson, in Newgate-street, in the city of Chester, on the 25th day of February, 1876, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 15th day of March, 1876, and continued by adjournment to the 22nd day of March, 1876, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

1. "That the said Company should be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867,"

And at the last mentioned Meeting Richard Vyvyan Tregellas, of the city of Chester, Accountant, was appointed Liquidator.

Henry Churton, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the International Union Insurance Company Limited, duly convened and held at No. 1, Mansion House-buildings, in the city of London, the 22nd January, 1876, and by adjournment on the 22nd March, same year, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed.

1. "That it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Company, that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, the Company be wound up accordingly."

It was also resolved—

2. "That Mr. George Whiffin and M. Leon Frèche be and are hereby appointed Liquidators of the International Union Insurance Company Limited, and that they be empowered to retain out of the assets of the liquidation for their remuneration an amount of money equal to the scale laid down by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice; also, that the said Liquidators have power to employ Solicitors, Accountants, Agents, and all other persons necessary to the winding up the business and affairs of the said Company, and to defray their proper charges."

Also, that if so advised they are hereby authorized to take the necessary steps to place the liquidation under the supervision of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice.

George Whiffin, one of the above-named Liquidators of the International Union Insurance Company Limited.

The St. Helen's Chemical Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Clarence Hotel, in Spring-gardens, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 19th day of April, 1876, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

"Whereas it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that this Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue to carry on its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same.

"That this Company be wound up, and wound up voluntarily.

"That Daniel Smith, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Corn Merchant, Peter Thomas Fletcher, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, Agent, John Lucas, of Montague-street, Blackburn, Gentleman, John Parkinson, of Bury aforesaid, Brass Founder, and John-Smith, of Bolton, in the said county of Lancaster, Pawnbroker, be and are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such voluntary winding up.

"That the remuneration of the Liquidators be not fixed."

D. Smith, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Economic Fire Association Limited.—In Liquidation.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 29th day of May, 1876, 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 the undersigned, Liquidator of the said Company, at the offices of Messrs. Harston, Hunter, and Downes, No. 1, Gresham-buildings, Guildhall, in the city of London, in default whereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved. The 30th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the offices of Messrs. Harston, Hunter, and Downes, No. 1, Gresham-buildings.

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Guildhall, in the city of London, is appointed for settling the list of debts and claims.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

Robert Shaw Pitkethly, Liquidator.

Bradda Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting, held in Douglas, upon the 14th March, 1876, a resolution was passed to wind up the Company voluntarily, which resolution was confirmed by a meeting, held upon the 29th March, 1876.—Douglas, Isle of Man, 20th April, 1876.

W. F. Moore, Chairman.

The Nottingham Operatives' and Trade Societies' Club and Hall Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Members in this Company will be held on Monday, the 29th day of May, 1876, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, at the Union Inn, Union-road, Nottingham, for the purpose of having the final accounts of the Liquidators laid before them, in accordance with the Companies Act, 1862, chapter 89, section 142.—Dated 25th April, 1876.

John French, } Liquidators.
Charles Stanhope, }

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the 142nd section of the Companies Act, 1862, a Meeting of the Shareholders of the Popho Guano Company Limited, will be held on Thursday, the 1st day of June, 1876, at noon, at the City Terminus Hotel, Cannon-street, London, for the purpose of having the Liquidators' account laid before them, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the Liquidators.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

Thomas Chilton, } Liquidators.
R. P. Wood, }

In Liquidation.

Heckmondwike Ironworks Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Heckmondwike Iron Works Company Limited, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, Charles Henry Marriott, of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Land Agent, the Liquidator of the said Company, or to Messrs. Dean and Son, of Batley, in the said county, my Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of May next; and notice is hereby further given, that after that day I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said Company amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim I shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1876.

Chas. H. Marriott, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, Mortimer Hancock, Charles Frederick Hancock, junior, Horatio Stewart, and Henry John Dore, carrying on business as Goldsmiths, Jewellers, and Silversmiths, at Nos. 38 and 39, Bruton-street, and No. 152, New Bond-street, London, under the style or firm of Hancocks and Co., was dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 12th day of April, 1876, so far only as regards the said Charles Frederick Hancock, junior, who retires therefrom. The business of the said firm will be continued by the said Mortimer Hancock, Horatio Stewart, and Henry John Dore, and all debts and liabilities of the said firm will be received and paid by them.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

Mortimer Hancock.
C. F. Hancock, jun.

Horatio Stewart.
Henry J. Dore.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Albert Fisher, Alfred Fisher, and Sydney Fisher, at 20, Kingsgate-street, in the county of Middlesex, Cloth Workers and Dampers, under the style or firm of Wm. Fisher and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and the said business will henceforth be carried on by the said Albert Fisher and Alfred Fisher on their own account, under the said style or firm of Wm. Fisher and Co. And all debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Albert Fisher and Alfred Fisher.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1876.

Albert Fisher.
Alfred Fisher.
Sydney Fisher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership for some time past carried on by the undersigned, Henry Fownes, Harry Blair Ansdell, and William Humphreys, as Iron Manufacturers, at Victoria-road, Sandhills, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Henry Fownes and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, as far as regards the said William Humphreys, who retires from the firm. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Fownes and Harry Blair Ansdell.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

Henry Fownes.
Harry Blair Ansdell.
Wm. Humphreys.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Walsh and James Green, carrying on business as Retort Setters, at Halifax, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Walsh and Green, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 13th day of April instant. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Walsh, who will in future carry on the business on his own account.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

John Walsh.
his
James X Green.
Mark.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Amos Drake, Samuel Robinson, and Thomas Chadwick, as Contractors and Builders, under the style or firm of Drake, Robinson, and Chadwick, carried on by us at Thornton, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Chadwick.—As witness our hands this 22nd day of April, 1876.

Amos Drake.
Samuel Robinson.
Thomas Chadwick.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Edmondson and James Edmondson, as Engravers to Calico Printers, carrying on business at Charles-street, in the city of Manchester, under the style of Edmondson Brothers, was dissolved by the retirement of the said William Edmondson on the 17th day of April instant.—As witness our hands this 24th day of April, 1876.

William Edmondson.
James Edmondson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Thomas Taylor and Samuel Hill Fitch, in the business of Farmers, carried on at a farm known as Clay Farm, near Eltham, in the county of Kent, was dissolved, as from the 25th day of March, 1876; and that the said Samuel Hill Fitch will pay and discharge all and singular the debts, sums of money, contracts, liabilities, claims, and demands for or in respect of the said partnership or the concerns or engagements thereof; and will also settle and receive all debts due to the late partnership.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

W. T. Taylor.
S. H. Fitch.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederic Elias Warburg and Julius Wolff, carrying on business as Merchants, at No. 2, Bow-lane, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Jonas Simonsen and Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Frederic Elias Warburg, by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the style or firm of Jonas Simonsen and Company.—As witness our hands this 19th day of April, 1876.

F. E. Warburg.
Julius Wolff.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Blake and Samuel James Welfitt, carrying on business at Addiscombe and Croydon, both in the county of Surrey, as Livery Stable Keepers, Job Masters, and Corn Dealers, under the style or firm of Blake and Welfitt, was, on the 18th day of April instant, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

James Blake.
Samuel James Welfitt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Earl Whitworth and Richard Hislop Fraser, carrying on the business of Commission Agents, at 21, Old Change, in the city of London, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership will be paid and received by the said James Earl Whitworth.—Witness our hands this 4th day of April, 1876.

James Earl Whitworth.
Richard Hislop Fraser.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jane Hannah Higham and Annie Maria Booth, as Stationers and Booksellers, at No. 51, Market-street, Hyde, Cheshire, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid respectively by the said Annie Maria Booth, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

Jane Hannah Higham.
Annie Maria Booth.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Thomas Hill and Henry John Hill, in the trade or business of Tailors, Hatters, and Outfitters, at Maindee, near Newport, in the county of Monmouth, under the firm of T. Hill and Son, was dissolved, on the 1st day of March instant, by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Henry John Hill, on his separate account; and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 15th day of April, 1876.

Thomas Hill.
Henry John Hill.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Abel Lee and James Rowcroft, carrying on business at Stockport, in the county of Chester, and also at Dudley, in the county of Worcester, as Booksellers and Stationers, under the firm of Lee and Rowcroft, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 24th day of March last.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

Abel Lee.
James Rowcroft.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Cooper and William Garside, carrying on business in co-partnership together at the Albert Mill, Hope-street, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of Cooper and Garside, Cotton Doublers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by or to the said late co-partnership concern will be paid and received by the said William Garside, by whom alone the said business in will future be carried on.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

John Cooper.
William Garside.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Garford and James Alphonso Vos, trading together in co-partnership under the firm of Garford and Vos, Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchants, at East Grimstead, in the county of Sussex, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the firm of Garford and Vos will be received and paid by the said James Alphonso Vos, who will in future carry on the said business.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

Geo. Garford.
J. A. Vos.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Gamble, late of the city of Manchester, deceased, and the undersigned, Thomas Smith, in the business of Cotton Manufacturers, at Leigh, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Gamble and Smith, was dissolved by the death of the said William Gamble, on the 3rd day of April instant. All debts due to and owing by the said late partnership concern will be received and paid by the said Thomas Smith, by whom the business will be carried on.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

Mary Jane Gamble,
Executrix of the late William Gamble.
Thomas Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Warburton, George Chillingworth Warburton, and Edward Warburton, carrying on business as Oil and Tallow Merchants and Refiners, in Corporation-street, and Robert-street, Cheetham, both in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of William Warburton and Sons, has been this day dissolved and put an end to by mutual consent, so far as relates to the said George Chillingworth Warburton. All debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Warburton and Edward Warburton, who will henceforth carry on the business on their account.—Dated this 16th day of November, 1875.

*Wm. Warburton.
George C. Warburton.
Edward Warburton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Greenwood and William Greenwood, both of Halifax, in the county of York, and carrying on the business of Machine Brokers, at Blackledge, in Halifax aforesaid, under the firm of Greenwood Brothers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said James Greenwood, who will continue the business on his separate account.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

*James Greenwood.
William Greenwood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Henry Thomas and John Mares, in the trade or business of Clothiers and Tailors, at Maidstone, in the county of Kent, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from this day. All debts due and owing to or by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said William Henry Thomas, by whom the said business will be carried on.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

*William Henry Thomas.
John Mares.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Hill and Henry Turner, carrying on business as Lace Manufacturers, at Low-pavement, in the town of Nottingham, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

*George Hill.
Henry Turner.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Sybry, Thomas Searls, and Henry Searls, at Sheffield, in the county of York, as Steel Manufacturers and General Merchants, under the style or firm of Sybry, Searls, and Co., was, on the 31st day of December, 1874, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late partnership will be received, and all liabilities discharged, by the said Thomas Searls and Henry Searls, by whom the said trade or business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1876.

*Samuel Sybry.
Thomas Searls.
Henry Searls.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Eli Cryer, of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, Samuel Lees, of Woodburn, Higher Broughton, near Manchester, Machine Maker, and George Wrigley, late of Ashton-under-Lyne aforesaid, Machine Maker, now deceased, trading under the name or firm of Cryer and Lees, and carrying on the business of Machine Makers, at Dukinfield, in the county of Chester, was dissolved, on the 3rd day of May last, by the death of the said George Wrigley. And notice is hereby further given, that all debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Eli Cryer.—Dated the 12th day of April, 1876.

*Eli Cryer.
Samuel Lees.
Maria Wrigley,
Surviving Executrix of the Will of
the said George Wrigley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Dugdale and John Mills, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers, at Bottom's Mill and Winter-buttlee Mill, in Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Dugdale and Mills, was, on the 17th day of April instant, dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said William Dugdale will receive and pay all debts due to and owing by the said partnership.—Dated the 26th day of April, 1876.

*Wm. Dugdale.
John Mills.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John Lucas and George James Jefferies Bull, carrying on business at Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, as Coal Merchants, under the style or firm of G. J. J. Bull and Co., was, on the 31st day of December, 1875, dissolved by mutual consent; and the said business will in future be carried on by the said George James Jefferies Bull alone, and who will pay and receive all debts owing to and from the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—As witness our hands this 12th day of April, 1876.

*John Lucas.
G. J. J. Bull.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, Paul Gornall and Richard Gornall, as Spindle and Fly Manufacturers, at Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Gornall Brothers, was, on the 31st day of March last, dissolved by mutual consent, and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Gornall.—As witness our hands this 8th day of April, 1876.

*Paul Gornall.
Rd. Gornall.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business as Sanitary Engineers, at No. 50, Southwark Bridge-road, and Nos. 28 and 29, Little Guildford-street, in the county of Surrey, under the style of J. G. Stidder and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The said business will in future be carried on by the undersigned, James George Stidder alone, who will receive and pay all debts due to and from the said firm.—Dated the 31st day of March, 1876.

*J. G. Stidder.
Richd. Thomson.
F. A. Legg.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on between the undersigned, Morgan Edwards the younger and Owen Davier, in the trade or business of Coachbuilders, at Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, under the style or firm of Edwards and Davies, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

*M. Edwards.
Owen Davies.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Murrall, William Stothert, Francis Gervase Oliver, and Eustace Herbert Oliver, carrying on (under the style or firm of George Murrall and Co.) business as Wire, Tin Plate, and Bar Manufacturers, with the management of certain Farms and Lands, and of a general Store in connection with the said business, at Tintern Wire Works, near Chepstow, in the county of Monmouth, was, on this 25th day of April, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

*Geo. Murrall. Francis Gervase Oliver.
Wm. Stothert. Eustace Herbert Oliver.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Edward Thurgood and Edward Thurgood the younger, carrying on business as Hostlers, at 450, Bethnal Green-road, under the style or firm of E. Thurgood and Son, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

*Edward Thurgood.
Edward Thurgood, Jr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between George Ferguson Hutchison and William House, carrying on business as Riding Masters and Livery Stable Keepers, at Mall-mews, Victoria-street, Clifton, Gloucestershire, has been dissolved by mutual consent. And all accounts will be received and paid by the said George Ferguson Hutchison.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

*George Ferguson Hutchison.
William House.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership recently existing between us the undersigned, Augustus Yockney and Arthur Octavius Marwood, at Corsham, in the county of Wilts, carrying on business at Corsham aforesaid, as Quarry Masters and Stone Merchants, under the style or firm of Yockney and Marwood, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 22nd day of February, 1876. All debts due to and from the late firm will be received and paid by the said Augustus Yockney, by whom the business will in future be carried on under the style or firm of Yockney and Co.—As witness our hands this 25th day of April, 1876.

*Augustus Yockney.
A. O. Marwood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by the undersigned, Dudley Fitch Kemp and Bennett Michell Clarke, under the style or firm of Kemp and Clarke, as Stock Brokers, at the Stock Exchange, London, and at Copthall-chambers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 21st April, 1876.

Dudley F. Kemp.
B. M. Clarke.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Roberts Hill and Thomas Bazley, at Leominster, in the county of Hereford, as Veterinary Surgeons, under the style or firm of Hill and Bazley, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and by the said firm will be received and paid by the said John Roberts Hill.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1876.

John Roberts Hill.
Thomas Bazley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John Henry Mayer and John Thomas Rawlings, in the trade or business of Ship and Insurance Brokers, Timber Merchants, and Commission Agents, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, under the firm of Rawlings and Mayer, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from and to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said John Henry Mayer.—Witness our hands this 21st day of April, 1876.

J. H. Mayer.
J. T. Rawlings.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past at No. 2, Little Bush-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, by John Hart and Francis Thomas Large, under the firm of John Hart and Co., Merchants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, and that Francis Thomas Large is empowered to collect and settle all accounts due to and by the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1876.

Francis T. Large.
John Hart.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Julia Symons, late of 72, Queen street, Kingston-upon-Hull, Widow and Silversmith, deceased (who died on the 28th day of February, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 24th day of March, 1876, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice at York, by Frances Symons, of 72, Queen-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, Spinster, and William Boards, of 13, Queen-street aforesaid, Silversmith, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 5th day of June, 1876, after which day the executors will apply and distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, according to the provisions of the said will, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

ENGLAND, SAXELBYES, and SHARP, 2, Quay-street-chambers, Hull, Solicitors to the said Executors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Eliza Temple, late of Crescent House, Canterbury-road, Margate, in the county of Kent, previously of Malvern House, Sandown, Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, and formerly of 4, Knowsley-cottage, Torre Park, Torre, in the county of Devon, Widow, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of March, 1876, and letters of administration to whose estate and effects were granted out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 8th day of April, 1876, to Charles Rhodes, of No. 390, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as the Solicitors for the said Charles Rhodes, at our offices, 3, King's Bench-walk, Temple, London, on or before the 31st day of May, 1876, after which time the said Charles Rhodes will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the several parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the

said administrator will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

PICKETT and MYTTON, 3, King's Bench-walk, Temple, Solicitors to the Administrator.

Re ROBERT GUDGIN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims and demands upon or against the estate of Richard Gudgin, late of Houghton Conquest, in the county of Bedford, Farmer (who died on the 19th day of May, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 24th day of September, 1874, by Thomas Gudgin, and Richard Gudgin, both of Houghton Conquest aforesaid, Farmers, Ann Gudgin, wife of the said Richard Gudgin, deceased, and Thomas George, of Millbrook, in the said county of Bedford, Farmer, the executors and executrix named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars thereof, on or before the 20th day of June next, to the said executor and executrix, at the office of us, the undersigned, at Bedford, in the said county of Bedford, at the expiration of which period the said executors and executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors and executrix shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets or any part so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims the said executors and executrix shall not have had notice.—Dated the 13th day of April, 1876.

MITCHELL and WEBB, 9, Saint Paul's-square, Bedford, Beds, Solicitors to the said Executors and Executrix.

JOSEPH TILLEY HARDEMAN, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, 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 Joseph Tilley Hardeman, late of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Leather Merchant, deceased (who died on or about the 26th day of September, 1874, and to whose effects letters of administration were granted by the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Worcester, on the 27th day of November, 1874, to Charles Henry Hardeman, one of his next-of-kin), are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their respective claims and demands to Charles Henry Hardeman, of the Avenue, Kidsgrove, in the county of Stafford, Agent, or to me, the undersigned, at my office, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice; and such administrator will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debts or claims the said administrator shall not have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1876.

THOMAS SHERRATT, Market-street, Kidsgrove, Stafford, Solicitor to the said Administrator.

CHARLES WALLACE NORRIS, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate and effects of Charles Wallace Norris, late of Woodhall, in Skircoat, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Esq., deceased (who died at Woodhall aforesaid, on the 20th day of September, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 18th day of October, 1876, by Charles Edwin Norris, of Woodhall aforesaid, Esq., and Wallace Lea Norris, of the same place, Esq., the executors thereof), are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, at our offices, 2, Harrison-road, Halifax aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of July next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Wallace Norris amongst the said parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not afterwards be liable for the said 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 21st day of April, 1876.

EMMET and EMMET, 2, Harrison-road, Halifax, Solicitors for the said Executors.

The Honourable RICHARD CAVENDISH, 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Honourable Richard Cavendish, late of Thornton Hall, in the county of Buckingham, Crakemarsh Hall, in the county of Stafford, and No. 36, Chesam-place, in the county of Middlesex, deceased, are hereby required to send in particulars of their respective claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of June, 1876, at the expiration of which time the executors of the will of the deceased will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

LEMAN, GROVES, and LEMANS, 51, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Solicitors for Francis Noel Mundy, Richard Cotton Cavendish, and Thomas George Groves, Esquires, the Executors of the Will of the deceased.

JOSEPH DARLINGTON, 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 debts, claims, or demands upon or affecting the estate of Joseph Darlington, late of Higham, in the parish of Darton, in the county of York, Publican, deceased (who died on the 11th day of January, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Wakefield on the 10th day of April, 1875, by George Palfreyman and Charles Beevers, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their several claims and demands, in writing, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated 24th day of April, 1876.

NEWMAN and SONS, Barnsley, Solicitors to the Executors.

CAROLINE VINING, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Caroline Vining, late of No. 25, Saint John's-park, Upper Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 21st day of March, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of April, 1876, by Charles Bloomfield Vining, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send to us, the undersigned, Solicitors, particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands against the estate of the said testatrix, on or before the 24th day of June, 1876, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated the 27th day of April, 1876.

WALKER and MARTINEAU, 13, King's-road, Gray's-inn, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re THOMAS MARTIN, 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 persons being creditors and claimants upon or against the estate of Thomas Martin, late of Pendlebury, in the county of Lancaster, Doctor of Medicine, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of December, 1875, and whose will was proved on the 4th day of January, 1876, in the Manchester Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by William Young Martin, of Walkden, in the said county, Surgeon, Samuel Smith, of Boothstown, in Worsley, in the said county, Farmer, and William Smith, of Fallowfield, near Manchester aforesaid, Surgeon, executors of the said will), are hereby required on or before the 24th day of June next, to send, in writing, particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said testator

among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

—Dated the 20th day of April, 1876.

WESTON, GROVER, and LEES, 10, Norfolk-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the Executors.

JOHN ELLIS, 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 persons having any claims or demands against or effecting the estate of John Ellis, late of Upper Pitt-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Veterinary Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of September, 1864, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Liverpool, of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 31st day of December, 1864, by the executor therein named), are required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the said executor, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. William Radcliffe and Smith, 12, Sweeting-street, Liverpool, on or before the 6th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor 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 25th day of April, 1876.

WM. RADCLIFFE and SMITH, 12, Sweeting-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Executors.

CHARLES NORRIS, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and all other persons having any claims against the estate of Charles Norris, late of Mutteral Farm, in the parish of Uley, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of July, 1875, and whose will was proved on the 9th day of February, 1876, in the Gloucester District Registry attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by the executors in the said will named), are hereby required to send, on or before the 1st day of June, 1876, to me, the undersigned, as the Solicitor for the executors, the particulars of their claims against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, or otherwise deal with the same, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1876.

H. J. FRANCILLON, Dursley, Solicitor.

EBENEZER SPENCER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ebenezer Spencer, late of No. 24, Steward-street, Old Artillery Ground, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Stanmore, in the same county, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of December, 1874, at No. 24, Steward-street aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 3rd day of March, 1875, by John Whitehead, one of the executors thereof), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to me, the undersigned, as the Solicitor of the said executor, on or before the 30th day of June next, after which day the executor will proceed to distribute the estate of the said Ebenezer Spencer amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall have had notice at the time of such distribution, and that he will not be liable for any assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

GEORGE BROWN, 21, Finsbury-place, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor for the Executor.

Re ANNE JEFFRYES (formerly ANNE COWBURN), Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that any persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Anne Jeffryes (formerly Anne Cowburn), late of Park-place, Chestham, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Carriage Builder, and of Rose Bank, Slack-lane, Eccles, in the said county, Widow (who died on the 22nd day of

September, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 12th day of April, 1875, in the District Registry at Manchester of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by William Tomlinson, Thomas Tomlinson, and Frederick Bridgford, the executors named in the said will), are required to send in particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of April, 1876.

PARTINGTON and ALLEN, Townhall-buildings, King-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re THOMAS BEVINS, 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 any persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Thomas Bevins, late of No. 23, Mary-street, Strangeways, in the city of Manchester, Gentleman (who died on the 15th day of April, 1875, and whose will, with two codicils, was proved on the 26th day of July, 1875, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Manchester by Matthew Patton, the surviving executor named in the said will and codicils, and William Henry Partington, since deceased, the other executor therein named), are requested to send in particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said surviving executor will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those debts, claims, and demands of which the said surviving executor shall then have had notice; and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed the said surviving executor will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of April, 1876.

PARTINGTON and ALLEN, Townhall-buildings, King-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said surviving Executor.

Mr. JOHN WILLCOX, 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 upon or against the estate of John Willcox, late of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Ironmonger, deceased (who died on the 31st day of October, 1875, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at York, on the 7th day of December, 1875, by John Dopkin Pauling, Assistant Secretary to the Hull Dock Company, at Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, and William Beckett, of Newland, in the county of York, Gentleman, two of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of August, 1876, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, 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 26th day of April, 1876.

ROBERTS and LEAK, 16, Bowlalley-lane, Kingston-upon-Hull, Solicitors for the said Executors.

THOMAS COLLIER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 Thomas Collier, formerly of Towcester, in the county of Northampton, but late of Fitzroy House, Heath-terrace, Milverton, near Leamington, in the county of Warwick, Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 13th day of January, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Birmingham, on the 23rd day of February, 1876, by Eliza Collier, of Fitzroy House, Heath-terrace, Milverton aforesaid, Widow, and the Reverend Herbert Augustine Collier, of Bladon, in the county of Oxford, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 30th

day of May, 1876. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

WM. WHITTON, Towcester, Solicitor for the said Executors.

WILLIAM JOHN HUNT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 William John Hunt, late of Silverstone, in the county of Northampton, Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 14th day of February, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Northampton, on the 25th day of February, 1876, by John Denney, of Silverstone aforesaid, Schoolmaster, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executor, on or before the 30th day of May, 1876. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that he 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 26th day of April, 1876.

WM. WHITTON, Towcester, Solicitor for the said Executor.

ALEXANDER MCKIE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of Alexander McKie, late of 31, Ridley-place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Soda Water Manufacturer (who died on the 21st day of April, 1875, and of whose estate letters of administration were on the 30th day of March, 1876, in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, granted to Mary McKie, the relict of the deceased), are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the administratrix, on or before the 1st day of June, 1876, after which the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to claims only of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1876.

W. BREWIS ELSDON, 4, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor to the Administratrix.

ALBERT JOHN BURRIDGE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd of 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 Albert John Burridge, late of the Eagle Hotel, Adam-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Hotel Keeper, deceased (who died on the 31st day of January last, and whose will was proved by John Burridge, of Shirenewton Farm, near Chepstow, in the county of Monmouth, Farmer, and Joseph Hall, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Wine Merchant, the executors therein named, on the 23rd day of February, 1876, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at Llandaff), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to Henry Heard, of 24, Trinity-street, in Cardiff aforesaid, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that they will not be answerable or 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 20th day of April, 1876.

HENRY HEARD, 24, Trinity-street, Cardiff, Solicitor to the said Executors.

JOHN JENNINGS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Jennings, late of Shipston-on-Scour, in the county of Worcester, Nurseryman (who died on the 20th day of February, 1875, and of whose estate and effects letters of administration were, on the 15th day of October, 1875, granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's

Court of Probate, to Annie Jennings, his Widow and relict), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the said administratrix at the office of her Solicitors, Messrs. Hancock and Hiron, of Shipston-on-Stour, in the county of Worcester, on or before the 20th day of May next, after the expiration of which time the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated the 25th day of April, 1876.

HANCOCK and HIRON, Shipston-on-Stour, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

SARAH SOWDEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Sarah Sowden, late of the Two Trees Tavern, Wilder-street, Bristol, Widow and Licensed Victualler (who died on the 17th day of February last, and whose will was proved on the 9th day of March last, in the District Registry at Bristol of the High Court of Justice, Probate Division, by Alfred Iles, of Bristol, Maltster, and Charles Sowden, of Bristol, Joiner, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 3rd day of July next, after which day the said executors will apply and distribute the whole of the assets of the said testatrix among the persons entitled thereto, according to the provisions of the said will, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

WILLIAM PLUMMER, Bristol-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Re SARAH FRITH, Deceased.

Pursuant to Stat. 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims upon the estate of Sarah Frith, late of Richmond, in the parish of Handsworth, in the county of York, Widow, deceased (who died the 19th March, 1876, and whose will was, on the 7th April, 1876, proved at Wakefield by John Wright Roper, the executor), are required to send written particulars of their claims to us, on or before the 28th May next, after which date the executor will distribute the said deceased's assets, having regard only to claims of which he may then have notice; and he will not be liable for assets so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have notice.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

BURDEKIN and CO., 41, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, Solicitors to the Executor.

GEORGE CLEMENT, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of George Clement, late of Holbeach, in the county of Lincoln, Victualler, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of April, 1866, and whose will, with one codicil, was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 25th day of May, 1866, by Mary Ann Clement, of Holbeach aforesaid, Widow, John Clement, of Mareham-le-Fen, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, and Thomas Wray, of Holbeach aforesaid, Wheelwright, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims and demands to the said John Clement and Thomas Wray, the surviving executors of the said will and codicil, on or before the 31st day of May next, after which day the said surviving executors will 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 the said surviving executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 23rd day of April, 1876.

JOHN PHIPPS STURTON, Holbeach, Solicitor.

MARY ANN CLEMENT, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Clement, late of Holbeach, in the county of Lincoln, Widow, deceased (who died on the 18th day of April, 1875, and whose will, with one codicil, was proved in the District Registry at Lincoln of the

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Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of January, 1876, by John Phipps Sturton, of Holbeach aforesaid, Solicitor, Thompson Douse, of Holbeach aforesaid, Surveyor, and Thomas Rothwell, of Fosdyke, in the same county, Dealer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims and demands to the said executors, on or before the 31st day of May next, after which day the said executors will 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 the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 23rd day of April, 1876.

JOHN PHIPPS STURTON, Holbeach, Solicitor.

JOHN CHRISTMAS, Deceased.

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

ALL creditors and other persons having any claims, debts, or demands on or against or due from the estate of John Christmas, late of Liphook, in the parish of Bramshot, in the county of Southampton, Grocer and Farmer, deceased (who died on the 7th day of March, 1876), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the surviving executors named in the will of the said deceased, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which the said executors shall then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1876.

ALBERY and LUCAS, Midhurst, Solicitors.

JOSEPH DAWSON MUGGERIDGE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., c. 35, entitled "An Act further to 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 the estate of Joseph Dawson Muggeridge, late of Aldershot, in the county of Southampton, Printer and Stationer (who died on the 26th day of June, 1875, and whose will was proved on the 29th day of November, 1875, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Alfred Barling, of Farnham, in the county of Surrey, Grocer, the sole executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executor, on or before the 31st day of May next, after which day the said executors will apply and distribute the whole of the assets of the said testator among the persons entitled thereto, according to the provisions of the said will, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

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

JOHN JONES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, entitled "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, and demands against or affecting the estate or effects of John Jones, of The Thorns, Seaforth, in the county of Lancaster, Master Mariner, deceased (who died on the 16th day of February, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 3rd day of April, 1876, in the Liverpool District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate and assets of the said John Jones among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executors have then had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for any part of such estate or assets to any person of whose claim the said executors shall not have then received notice.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

BATESON and CO., 26, Castle street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the said Executors.

ELIZA SKIPWORTH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of Eliza Skipworth, late of South Kelsey, in the county of Lincoln, Widow, deceased (who died on the 7th day of October, 1875, and whose will was

proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of November, 1875, by Henry Skipworth, of Rothwell, in the said county of Lincoln, Gentleman, and Edward Boorne, of South Kelsey aforesaid, Farmer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 30th day of June, 1876, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased according to the provisions of the said will, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby required to pay their debts forthwith to us or to one of the said executors.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

STAMP, JACKSON, and BIRKS, Quay-street-chambers, Hull, Solicitors of the said Executors.

THOMAS WILKINSON EDWARDS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Thomas Wilkinson Edwards, late of Woodhouse, in the parish of Hencock, in the county of Devon, Esq., deceased (who died on the 8th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 26th day of June, 1874, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Exeter, by Sarah Edwards, of Woodhouse aforesaid, Widow, the executrix therein named, but since deceased), are hereby required, on or before the 4th day of June next, to send to David Ainsworth, of Broughton Hall, Grange-on-Sands, Carnforth, in the county of Lancaster, Lieutenant-Colonel of the 4th, Royal Lancashire, Militia, the executor of the said Sarah Edwards, deceased, the particulars, in writing, of their claims against the estate of the said Thomas Wilkinson Edwards; and at the expiration of such time the said David Ainsworth will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be answerable or accountable to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

JOHN W. PETHERICK, No. 8, Southernhay, Exeter, Solicitor for the said Executor.

JOHN BAILEY HOLLAND, 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Bailey Holland, late of Cambodia, in the Kingdom of Cochin China, Gentleman (who died on the 16th day of January, 1873, at sea, about 100 miles from Rio Janeiro, in the Empire of Brazil, on board the brig Elise, under the command of Captain Pahl, sailing under the German flag, intestate, and letters of administration to whose estate and effects were, on the 22nd day of April, 1876, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate, Admiralty, and Divorce Division of the High Court of Justice, to Mary Holland, the lawful Widow and relic), are hereby required to send in written particulars of their debts, claims, or demands upon or against the said estate to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said administratrix, on or before the 26th day of August next, after which day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties respectively entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which she shall then have had notice; and that the administratrix will not be liable for the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

W. H. GRIFFIN, 36, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

THOMAS CALDECOTT, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Thomas Caldecott, late of The Lodge, Rugby, in the county of Warwick, Esq., deceased (who died on or about the 29th day of September, 1875, and whose will, with four codicils, was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Birmingham, on the 29th day of February, 1876, by Elizabeth

Mary Caldecott, of The Lodge, Rugby aforesaid, Widow, the relic of the deceased, and John Alexander Caldecott, of Holbrook Grange, in the parish of Newbold-on-Avon, in the said county of Warwick, Esq., the executors), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, at our offices in Rugby, on or before the 30th day of June, 1876, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand no notice shall then have been given. And all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the amount of their respective debts to us, on or before the said 30th day of June, 1876.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

T. and J. H. BENN, Solicitors to the Executors.

DODSHON FOSTER, Esq., 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Dodshon Foster, late of No. 195, Maida-vale, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 29th day of March, 1876, and whose will was proved by Mary Ann Foster, of 195, Maida-vale aforesaid, the sole executrix thereof, on the 12th day of April, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send particulars in writing, of such claims or demands to the said executrix, Mary Ann Foster, at the office of the undersigned, her Solicitor, on or before the 1st day of June, 1876, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executrix will not be liable for the 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 distribution.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

JOHN H. LYDALL, 12, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, W.C., Solicitor to the Executrix.

GEORGE MORANT, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Morant, formerly of Roundway House, near Devizes, in the county of Wilts, but late of Henbury House, Wimborne, in the county of Dorset, Esquire, deceased (who died on the 17th day of December, 1875, and whose will with one codicil thereto was proved on the 25th day of January, 1876, in the High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof, by Horatio Harbord Morant, of Whitburn, near Sunderland, in the county of Durham, a Colonel in Her Majesty's Army, and Robert Lambert, of Blandford Cottage, Thames Ditton, in the county of Surrey, Esquire, late a Captain in Her Majesty's 43rd Regiment of Foot, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims and demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Janson, Cobb, and Pearson, of 41, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 21st day of July, 1876; after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

JANSON, COBB, and PEARSON, 41, Finsbury-circus, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ALBERT GOOCH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Albert Gooch, (otherwise Albert Woodroffe Gooch), Esquire, late of the Limes, Acre-lane, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, but for some years previously at No. 39, (formerly known as No. 11), Tollington-park, Horsesey-road, in the county of Middlesex, and for many years of the Stock Exchange, in the city of London, (who died on the 8th day of April instant, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the

24th day of April instant, by Mihill Slaughter, of the Stock Exchange aforesaid, Esquire, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of such claim to the said executor, at our offices, on or before the 14th day of June next, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not after that time be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1876.

EMMET and SON, 14, Bloomsbury-square, W.C.,
Solicitors for the Executors.

NOTICE.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Arthur Salmon, late of Plympton St. Mary, in the county of Devon, a Lieutenant-Colonel on the Retired List of the Madras Army, deceased (who died on or about the 15th day of November, 1875, and whose will was proved by Philip Protheroe Smith, and the Reverend Thomas Freke Arthur, two of the executors therein named, on or before the 1st day of April instant, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next; and notice is hereby given, that after the expiration of that time, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

SMITH and PAUL, Truro, Solicitors to the said Executors.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Master of the Rolls.—1874, M., No. 74.—Between the Montrozier Asphalt and Cement Concrete Paving Company Limited, Plaintiffs; Richard Berridge, William Elliott Duncan, Thomas Snowdon, Jules Buttin, Jacques Chambaz, and Arthur Barron, made party by Order of Revivor, dated 1st April, 1876, Defendants.

TAKE notice, that this Honourable Court will be moved before his Honour the Master of the Rolls, on Friday, the 5th day of May 1876, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, by Mr. Thomas Southgate, Q.C., as Counsel on the part of the plaintiffs, that the plaintiffs' Bill, as amended, may be taken pro confesso against the defendant, Jacques Chambaz, at the hearing of this cause.—Dated this 5th day of April, 1876.

WALTER WEBB, 23, Queen Victoria-street, London,
E.C., Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

To the Defendant, Jacques Chambaz.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause of Chambers v. Wallington, and in a cause of Chambers v. Chambers, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls by Mr. Frank Statham Hobson, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 11th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in three lots:—

Certain leasehold premises, being Nos. 30, 32, and 34, Saint James's-street, Islington, Middlesex, respectively held subject to a ground-rent of £4 4s. for a term of 62 years and three-quarters (less 10 days, from 24th June, 1863).

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Rooks, Kenrick, and Company, 16, King-street, Cheapside, E.C.; Solicitors; of Messrs. Ashurst, Morris, and Company, 6, Old Jewry, E.C., Solicitors; of R. J. Child, Esq., 11, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C., Solicitor; of H. Montagu, Esq., 5 and 6, Bucklersbury, E.C., Solicitor; of the Auctioneer, at 20, Coleman-street, E.C.; and at the place of sale.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause Bevington v. Batey, 1875, H., 306, the creditors of William Batey, late of 216, Kingsland-road, in the county of Middlesex, Ginger Beer Manufacturer, who died on or about the 3rd day of

April, 1868, are, on or before the 29th day of Mar, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Thomas Beard, of the firm of Messrs. Beard and Son, of 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, the Solicitors for the defendants, Charles Job Hastings Batey and John Emmens, the surviving executors 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 Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situate in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of William Wheeler, deceased, and in a cause of Kingham against Cowland, the creditors of William Wheeler, late of 3, Buckingham-villas, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, who died in or about the month of April, 1865, are, on or before the 3rd day of June, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Roy and Cartwright, of No. 4, Lothbury, in the city of London, Solicitors, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 12th day of June, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Albert Charles Clements Henry, of 8, Warrford-court, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, and of Blythedale House, Thornton Hill, Wimbledon, in the county of Surrey, Stock and Share Broker, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Johnstone, Cooper, Wittle, and Co., No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, in the city of London, on Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1876, and the following Saturday, between the hours of eleven and two.

JAMES COOPER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A DIVIDEND of 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Charlton Conyers Rainbow, and Edmund Robert Holberton, both of No. 15A, St. Helen's-place, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, trading there in partnership together as Merchants, under the style or firm of Rainbow, Holberton, and Co., and will be paid by me, at No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Friday, the 5th day of May, 1876, and on every succeeding Friday, between the hours of twelve and two.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

J. WEISE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A DIVIDEND of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Nathaniel William Westwood, of 73, High-street, Kingsland, in the county of Middlesex, Provision Dealer, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Harry Brett, Milford, Pattinson and Co., 150, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1876, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven A.M. and one P.M.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

JOHN PATTINSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

A FIRST Dividend of 1s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of George Mullings, of Bute-street, Treherbert, and of Tom, both in the parish of Ystradgofwg, in the county of Glamorgan, Hay Merchant and Greengrocer, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 20, High-street, Cardiff, on and after Monday, the 24th day of April, 1876, between the hours of ten A.M. and one P.M.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

JOHN JENKINS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.
A SECOND Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Richard Iliff, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Iron Ship Builder and Repairer and Saw Mill Proprietor, and will be paid by us, at the offices of Mr. Henry Rawlings, 59, John-street, Sunderland, on after the 3rd day of May, 1876.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

WM. NICHOLSON,
 HENRY RAWLINGS, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Mead, of Church-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Furniture Dealer, and will be paid at the office of the Registrar, Smith's-court, Ulverston, on and after the 29th day of April instant.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

THOS. POSTLETHWAITE, Registrar, acting as Trustee

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 12s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Martin, of the Duke of Edinburgh Hotel, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Hotel Keeper, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. G. B. Nalder, Solicitor, 68, Duke-street, Barrow-in-Furness, on and after the 24th day of April instant.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

JOHN PINDAR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A SECOND Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of John Greenwood, of the Steam Corn Mill, in Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Corn Miller and Factor, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 1, Cambridge-chambers, 77, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on and after the 25th day of April, 1876.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

H. CARMICHAEL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan.

A SECOND Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by James Taylor, of Water Hayes, Wigan, Iron Founder, and will be paid by me, at my offices, Leader's-buildings, King-street, Wigan, on and after Tuesday, the 9th day of May, 1876 between the hours of nine A.M. and six P.M.—April, 21st, 1876.

GEORGE JAMES HEALY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.

A DIVIDEND of 3s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Ephraim Aston, of the Green, Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, Nut and Bolt Manufacturer, and will be paid by Messrs Slater and Marshall, at their offices, Butcroft, Darlaston aforesaid, on and after Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, 1876, between the hours of ten A.M. and one P.M.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1876.

EDWD. B. SCHOLEFIELD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Edward Squires, of Lowesmoor, in the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler and Builder, and will be paid by me, at my office, Pierpoint-street, in the city of Worcester, on and after the 3rd day of May, 1876.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

DAVID SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Robert Peel, of 339, High-street, Attercliffe, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Plumber, Glazier, and Gas Fitter, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 6, George-street, Sheffield, on and after this day between

the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four in the afternoon.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

T. G. SHUTTLEWORTH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Pullen Seagrave, of 46, Rochester-row, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Zinc Worker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hill and Goudge, 45, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, Public Accountants, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

W. J. HOBBS, Solicitor for the said James Pullen Seagrave.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Collins, of No. 33, Leader-street, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Marine Store Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Law Institution, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

KISCH, SON, and HANBURY, 120, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Goddick, of 11, Crown-street, Hoxton-square, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Tin Plate Worker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Masons' Hall, Masons'-avenue, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

FRANCIS FEULLADE, 8, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Turner Thomson, of 201, St. John-street-road, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Stationer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Noon and Clarke, Solicitors, situate No. 16, Blomfield-street, in the city of London, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

NOON and CLARKE, 16, Blomfield-street, London Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Cornelius Williams Blyton, of No. 67, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Marchant and Purvis, No. 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, in the city of London, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

MARCHANT and PURVIS, 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, E.C., and Deptford, Solicitors for the said Cornelius Williams Blyton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Carter the elder, of 78, Tottenham-court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Hope, junior's offices, 35, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

HY. EDRIDGE RICE, Solicitor for the said Robert Carter the elder.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Goodman, of No. 219, High-street, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 1, High-street, Erith, in the county of Kent, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 120, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

KISCH, SON, and HANBURY, 120, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Percy Arthur, of 249, Upper-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Wine Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the Creditors' Association of Wholesale Dealers, No. 4, Arthur-street East, London Bridge, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1876.

J. TICKLE, Solicitor for the said Benjamin Percy Arthur.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Stone, of 21, Chippenham-terrace, Harrow-road, Middlesex, previously of 46, Chippenham-terrace aforesaid, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, and Pianoforte Repairer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Louis Lewis, No. 9, Hatton-garden, Holborn, Middlesex, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1876.

LOUIS LEWIS, 9, Hatton-garden, Holborn, Solicitor for the said Edwin Stone.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Julian Sherloch Bult Hicks, of 12, Lyndhurst-grove, Lyndhurst-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Scenic Artist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Wright and Abrahams, Solicitors, Gray's-inn-chambers, 20, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

WRIGHT and ABRAHAMS, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Christian Harry Lange, of No. 17, Wilson-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Lathe and Tool Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 37, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 6th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1876.

E. F. MARSHALL, 37, Bedford-row, W.C., Solicitor for the said Christian Harry Lange.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frank Brinewood Potts, of No. 18, Reedworth-street, Kennington-road, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Grecian-chambers, Devereux-court, Temple, in the county of Middlesex, on the 22nd day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOHN HAYNES, Grecian-chambers, Devereux-court, Temple, Solicitor for the said Frank Brinewood Potts.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Olding Hancock, of Nos. 26, 27, and 28, Fen-church-street, and of the Queen Victoria Hotel, Queen Victoria-street, both in the city of London, and of the Town Bridge Vaults, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Masons' Hall Tavern, Masons'-avenue, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

RAMSDEN and AUSTIN, 150, Leadenhall-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Eugenio Lopez, of 55, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, and of Villa Madrid, Epsom, in the county of Surrey, Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the City Terminus Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

H. MONTAGU, 5 and 6, Bucklersbury, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Eugenio Lopez.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Adamson, of No. 89, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Peckham, Maitland, and Peckham, 17, Knight Rider-street, Doctors'-commons, in the city of London, on the 17th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

PECKHAM, MAITLAND, and PECKHAM, Solicitors for the said James Adamson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas James Mason, of No. 12, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, Warehouseman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Hudgell and Del's offices, No. 37, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

J. D. MARSDEN, 74, Little Britain, E.C., Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmondton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Purglove, of No. 46, Cowper-road, South Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, Cabinet Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. R. B. Barrett, No. 8, Bell-yard, Doctors'-commons, London, E.C., on the 10th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1876.

ROBT. B. BARRETT, 8, Bell-yard, Doctors'-commons, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin William Botham, of No. 6, Marlborough-place, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and of the Oxford Theatre of Varieties, New-road, Brighton aforesaid, Music Hall Proprietor and Retailer of Wines and Beer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Old Ship Hotel, Brighton, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

THOMAS A. GOODMAN, 19, Prince Albert-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said Benjamin William Botham.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George French, of Bedford Cottage, Yiewsley, West Drayton, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the London Warehousemen's Association, 111, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Edwin Roberts, of Bracknell, in the county of Berks, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Wheeler and Sargeant, Solicitors, at Bracknell, in the county of Berks, on the 19th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

WHEELER and SARGEANT, Solicitors for the said Arthur Edwin Roberts.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Beriah Harvey Drew, of East Griustead, in the county of Sussex, Inspector of Nuisances.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Harrison, No. 2, New-inn, Strand, London, on the 1st day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

ARTHUR A. L. HARRISON, 2, New-inn, Strand, London, Solicitor for the said Beriah Harvey Drew.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Dombain, of Mayfield, in the county of Sussex, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 1, Dyott-terrace, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JNO. BURTON, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick James Howard, of the city of Canterbury, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Doyle, 25, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

THOS. THORPE DELSAUX, 23, Saint George's-place, Canterbury, Solicitor for the said Frederick James Howard.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles John Freed, of Little Chart, in the county of Kent, Bricklayer and Painter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hallett, Creery, and Furley, Solicitors, North-street, Ashford, Kent, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

HALLETT, CREERY, and FURLEY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Shrubsole, of No. 1, London road, Westborough, Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Wheelwright and Blacksmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bell Hotel, Week-street,

Maidstone, in the county of Kent, on the 24th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

WEEKS and SON, 118 and 119, Cheapside, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said William Shrubsole.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Bevis, of No. 87, Church-street, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Rose Cottage, Saint John's-grove, Croydon aforesaid, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

G. W. DENNIS, Saint John's-grove, Croydon, Solicitor for the said Charles Bevis.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Pearce Lidgold, of Mill-street, Kingston, in the county of Surrey, Cattle Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Cricketers' Inn, Fairfield, Kingston, in the county of Surrey, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

E. F. MARSHALL, Solicitor for the said James Pearce Lidgold.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry George Bowers, of 3, Thornhill-villas, Thornbury, near Bradford, in the county of York, Merchant's Salesman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 9, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said Henry George Bowers.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Musham, of Belle-vue-terrace, Scarborough, in the county of York, formerly Wine and Spirit Merchant, but now of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Nethersole, of No. 15, New-inn, Strand, London, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Fenton, of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Coal and Lime Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Learoyd, Learoyd, and Morrison, in Buxton-road, in Huddersfield, in the county of York, Solicitors, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

LEAROYD, LEAROYD, and MORRISON, Buxton-road, Huddersfield, Solicitors for the said Richard Fenton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Richardson, of Ravensthorpe, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, Machinist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Alfred Ridgway, in Church-street, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

ALFD. RIDGWAY, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Emanuel Hall, of Dewsbury, in the county of York, Marie Mason, trading under the style or firm of E. Hall and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. James Arthur Stapleton, Solicitor, Union-street, Dewsbury, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

J. A. STAPLETON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Clegg, of Batley, in the county of York, Woolen Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Talbot Hotel, in Batley aforesaid, on the 17th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

F. S. WOOLER, Solicitor for the said Thomas Clegg.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Silas Usher, of No. 2, High Eldon-street, the Groves, in the suburbs of the city of York, Jobbing Gardener.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of William Thompson the younger, of Lendal, in the city of York, Solicitor, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

W. M. THOMPSON, Jun., Lendal, York, Solicitor for the said Silas Usher.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Marriott, of 77, Sheffield-road, in Barnsley, in the county of York, Furniture Broker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Coach and Horses Hotel, in Barnsley, in the county of York, on the 18th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

GEORGE MARRIOTT, the above-named Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Slater, of Barnsley, in the county of York, Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of W. E. Parker, Solicitor, No. 1, Regent-street, Barnsley, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

W. E. PARKER, Barnsley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Brearley, of New Bank, in Halifax, in the county of York, General Millwright, and Edwin Brearley, of Halifax aforesaid, Millwright, and lately trading in copartnership at Halifax aforesaid, under the style or firm of W. and E. Brearley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the White Swan Hotel, in Princess-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

J. W. LONGBOTTOM, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Williams, of Castleford in the county of York, Grocer.

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

Solicitor, 15, Carlton-street, Castleford, in the county of York, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

C. A. PHILLIPS, Solicitor for the said Samuel Williams.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Moore, late of High-street, Dronfield, in the county of Derby, Grocer, but now in lodgings at No. 190, Ecclesall-road, in Sheffield, in the county of York, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Auty and Son, of 66, Queen-street, in Sheffield aforesaid, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

AUTY and SON, 66, Queen-street, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Amos Mason, of No. 1 House, No. 10 Court, Shalesmoor, Sheffield, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Edward Gee, Solicitor, Fig Tree-chambers, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

EDMUND KNOWLES BINNS, Fig Tree-chambers, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Amos Mason.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Wilson Topham, of Bramley, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Worsted Coating Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our office, No. 20, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

SIMPSON and BURRELL, Solicitors for the said Wilson Topham.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Grierson, of No. 23, Saint Alban's-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Cooper Malcolm, Solicitor, No. 20, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 18th day of May, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JNO. C. MALCOLM, Solicitor for the said James Grierson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ann Briley, of No. 119, North-street, Leeds, and of Woodhouse, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Tobaccoist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Benjamin Collett Pullan, Bank-chambers, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

BENJ. C. PULLAN, Solicitor for the said Ann Briley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Smith, of Vicar-lane, in Leeds, in the county of York, Earthenware Dealer, trading as J. F. Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Saracen's Head Hotel, in Hauley, in the county of Stafford, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

EDWARD LODGE, Solicitor for the said John Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Isaac Rosengard, of Leeds, in the county of York, Cap Manufacturer's Foreman, previously of Leeds aforesaid, Cap Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Charles Whiteley, Solicitor, No. 19, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

CHAS. WHITELEY, 19, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Watson Wright and George Samuel Twidale, of No. 26, Charlotte-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, trading in copartnership as Cabinet Makers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Charlotte-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 4th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

WALKER and SPINK, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Watson Wright and George Samuel Twidale, of No. 26, Charlotte-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, trading in copartnership as Cabinet Makers, and in the matter of the Separate Estate of the said George Samuel Twidale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named George Samuel Twidale, has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Charlotte-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 4th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

WALKER and SPINK, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Button, of No. 4, Savile-street, in the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Machinist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Charlotte-street, in the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

WALKER and SPINK, 9, Parliament-street, Hull, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Thompson, formerly of Milnrow, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler, and now of Railway-street, in the borough of Rochdale, in the said county of Lancaster, Tin Plate Worker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of T. Baker Ashworth, Solicitor, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

T. BAKER ASHWORTH, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Hetherington Bell, of Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, Coal Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Temperance Hall, in Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

S. HART JACKSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Davies and Evan Davies, carrying on business in copartnership at 65, Great George-street, and 53, Brunswick-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Drapers, under the style or firm of Davies Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Barrell and Rodway, Commerce-court, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

HARRELL and RODWAY, 11, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James McGrath, residing at 42, Grey Rock-street, Liverpool, and carrying on business at 172, West Derby-road, and 137, Spencer-street, Everton, Liverpool, all in the county of Lancaster, Baker and Flour Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Parsons Harris, Solicitor, 7, Union court, Castle-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

J. P. HARRIS, 7, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Archibald Watson Gibbs, of 99, Gladstone-road, Edge Hill, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, late a Publisher, but now a Commercial Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Woodburn, J. Pemberton, and Sampson, Solicitors, 13, Harrington-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

WOODBURN, J. PEMBERTON, and SAMPSON, 13, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Thompson, of 1 and 3, Rainford-square, and of Redcross-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Commission and Provision Merchant, trading as James Thompson and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Law Association Rooms, Cook-street, Liverpool, on the 17th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

THOS. BELLINGER, 24, North John-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Stout, of No. 170, Friargate, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. William Blackhurst, Solicitor, 9, Fox-street, Preston, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

WILLIAM BLACKHURST, 9, Fox-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said Robert Stout.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ellen Martin Oliver, of No. 62, Moss-lane West, Moss Side, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Richard Hankinson, No. 5, Saint James's-square, Manchester, on the 1st day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

RICHD. HANKINSON, No. 5, Saint James's-square, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Harrop, of No. 243, Broad-street, Pendleton, and of No. 11, Dean-villas, Swinton, both near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer and Factor,

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Marriott and Woodall, No. 12, Norfolk-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 3rd day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

MARRIOTT and WOODALL, 12, Norfolk-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Lee, late of Embden-street, Hulme, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Beer Retailer, and now of No. 38, Warde-street, Hulme, in the said city and county, in lodgings.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of John Law, Solicitor, 18, King-street, Manchester, on the 18th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

JOHN LAW, 18, King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Levi Bebbington, late of No. 100, Tipping-street, Ardwick, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Baker and Provision Dealer, and now of No. 95, Embden-street, Hulme, in the said city and county, in lodgings.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of John Law, Solicitor, 18, King-street, Manchester, on the 19th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

JOHN LAW, 18, King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Gillibrand, of 164, Oldham-road, Manchester, and also of 9, Ellor-street, Pendleton, both in the county of Lancaster, Baker and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Edward Heath and Sons, Solicitors, 41, Swan-street, Manchester, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

EDWD. HEATH and SONS, 41, Swan-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hetherington, of 21 and 23, Clarendon-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, House Furnisher, trading under the style of the Clarendon Furnishing Company, and lately carrying on business in partnership with Samuel Burgess, at 21 and 23, Clarendon-street, and 105, Oxford-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock aforesaid, under the style or firm of Burgess and Hetherington, as House Furnishers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Addleshaw and Warburton, Solicitors, No. 67, King-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

ADDLESHAW and WARBURTON, Royal Insurance-buildings, 67, King-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by

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Samuel Mason, of Longford-street, Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, situate at No. 14, Ridgefield, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

ORTON and BRYAN, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Cobb, of Newton-upon-Trent, in the county of Lincoln, Shoemaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 8, Bank-street, in the city of Lincoln, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

JOHN HUGHES, 8, Bank-street, Lincoln, Solicitor for the said Francis Cobb.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Great Grimsby.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Crossley, of No. 4, Trinity-terrace, in Clew, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Saint Mary's-chambers, West Saint Mary's-gate, in Great Grimsby aforesaid, on the 13th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

GRANGE and WINTRINGHAM, Saint Mary's-chambers, West Saint Mary's-gate, Great Grimsby, Solicitors for the said John Crossley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Robinson, late residing at 132, Larches-street, in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, now in lodgings at Gladstone-terrace, South-road, Sparkbrook, in the said borough, and carrying on business as a Hardwood Turner, at Emily-street, Highgate, in the said borough.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of George Frederick James, Solicitor, 37, Temple-street, Birmingham, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

G. F. JAMES, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Simpson, residing in lodgings at No. 9, Upper Dean-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Fallows, Solicitor, No. 12, Cherry-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1876.

WM. FALLOWS, 12, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Thomas Simpson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Warren, of 248, Great Lister-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Leather Seller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Maher and Poncia, Solicitors, 41, Temple-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

MAHER and PONCIA, 41, Temple-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Collins, of 4, Alfred-street, Warstone-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Silversmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John M. Green, 43, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

JOHN M. GREEN, 43, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Carl Strauss, trading as Strauss and Co., of 80, Charlotte-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Export Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Midland Hotel (No. 6 Room), New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

SARGENT and SON, Argyle-chambers, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Moxon, of 84½, Great Hampton-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Crowther Davies, Solicitor, 25, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

CROWTHER DAVIES, 25, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Smith, of 19, Hingeston-street and Ivy-place, Chisold-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 148, Moor-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

THOS. CHAS. CHESTON, 148, Moor-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Nicholas Ward, in lodgings at No. 5, Hunter's-vale, Hunter's-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business and employment, late of 52, Baker-street, Smallbeath-juxta-Birmingham aforesaid, Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Buller and Bickley, Solicitors, No. 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

BULLER and BICKLEY, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Lee, of 71, Kent-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Duke, 11

Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 5th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

ROBERT DUKE, 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hawkins, of Miss Grove Villa, in the parish of Oystermouth, in the county of Glamorgan, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Beor and Kennard Bill, 17, York-place, Swansea, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

BEOR and KENNARD BILL, 17, York-place, Swansea, Solicitors for the said George Hawkins.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Giles, of No. 36, Commercial-place, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Beddoe, Solicitor, Canon-street, Aberdare, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

WM. BEDDOE, Aberdare, Solicitor for the said Edward Giles.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Merthyr Tydfil.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Rees Morgan, of No. 32, Victoria-street, Dowlais, in the county of Glamorgan, Shoemaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. C., F., and G. James, Solicitors, situate at No. 134, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 16th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

CHAS. H. JAMES, 134, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitor for the said Rees Morgan.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John L. Williams, of No. 1, Spencer-street, Ebbw Vale, in the parish of Bedwellty, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. C., F., and G. James, Solicitors, situate at No. 134, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

C., F., and G. JAMES, 134, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitors for the said John L. Williams.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Francis, of Bridge-street, Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 17th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

E. J. C. DAVIES, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Josiah Smith, of Ludlow, in the county of Salop, Book-seller and Stationer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the New Buildings, Ludlow, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

ANDERSON and DAVIES, Solicitors for the said Josiah Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Brooks, of No. 67, Millbrook-street, in the city of Hereford, Potato Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 4, Saint Owen-street, Hereford, on the 1st day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

R. W. ARTHY, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Josiah Palmer, of Ewias Harold, in the county of Hereford, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 37, High Town, Hereford, on the 13th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

JAMES CORNER, 37, High Town, Hereford, Solicitor for the said Josiah Palmer.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Masters, of Netherend, in the parish of Cradley, in the county of Worcester, Machine Clerk and Haulier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. G. W. Prescott, of No. 132, High-street, Stourbridge aforesaid, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

G. W. PRESCOTT, 132, High-street, Stourbridge, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Parkes, of Colley-lane, Cradley, in the parish of Halesowen, in the county of Worcester, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 87, High-street, Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of May, 1876.

THOMAS HOMER, 87, High-street, Brierley Hill, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Sivil Weaver, formerly of Grafton Manor, Bromsgrove, in the county of Worcester, and afterwards of Whiteladies, Aston, in the said county of Worcester, Farmer, Dealer and Chapman, and now of Whiteladies, Aston aforesaid, Farm Bailiff and Chapman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Hop Market Hotel, situate in the city of Worcester, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

MILLER, CORBET, and CO., of Kidderminster, Worcestershire, Solicitors for the said Thomas Sivil Weaver.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Perry; of No. 16, Highfields-road, Highfields, in the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, Builder, Carpenter, and Undertaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Pipe Hall Hotel, Hall-street, Bilston, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

JNO. E. FELLOWS, Mount Pleasant, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Solicitor for the said Thomas Perry.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mary Matilda Turner, of the Pear Tree Inn, Gornal Wood, in the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, Beerseller and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Priory-street, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, on the 5th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1876.

WM. WALDRON, No. 1, Priory-street, Dudley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frank Winfield, of Hingham, in the county of Norfolk, Chemist and Druggist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Emerson and Sparrow, Solicitors, No. 6, Rampant Horse-street, Norwich, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

EMERSON and SPARROW, 6, Rampant Horse-street, Norwich, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Plow, of Hardley, in the county of Norfolk, Cattle Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Stanley, Solicitor, Bank-plain, in the city of Norwich, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOSEPH STANLEY, Bank-plain, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Winkley the younger, of No. 4, Cornhill, Wisbech, in the county of Cambridge, Clothier and Glover.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ollard, Welchman, and Carrick, 21, Union-place, Crescent, Wisbech, Solicitors, on the 3rd day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

OLLARD, WELCHMAN, and CARRICK, Solicitors for the said John Winkley the younger.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Robson and Christopher Haswell, of the Steam Mills, Bedlington, in the county of Northumberland, Corn Millers, trading under the style or firm of Robson and Haswell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Nicholson, Solicitor, Bridge-street, Morpeth, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

THOS. NICHOLSON, Bridge-street, Morpeth, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Taverner Anscumb, of Collingwood-street, Felling, in the county of Durham, formerly of Belle Vue Cottage, Low Fell, Gateshead, in the said county, Beer Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Shaftoe Robson, Solicitor, Townhall, Gateshead-on-Tyne, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

SHAFTOE ROBSON, Townhall, Gateshead, Solicitor for the said John Taverner Anscumb.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Troit, otherwise Ball, of No. 20, Southgate-street, Gloucester, Tailor and Outfitter, carrying on business under the style of J. Bryon and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bell Hotel, Gloucester, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

TAYNTON and SON, Clarence-chambers, Gloucester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Prigg, of Lawrence Hill, in the city of Bristol, late of Maria-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Greengrocer, formerly of New Bread-street, in the said city of Bristol, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Fernyhough, Accountant, No. 1, Bridge-street, in the city of Bristol, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

JOHN PRICE, Castle Bank-chambers, Wine-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Alexander Wood, late of No. 10, Sim's-alley, in the city and county of Bristol, but now of No. 12, Lower-arcade, in the said city and county of Bristol, Confectioner, Newsagent, and Tobacconist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. F. G. Sherrard, Solicitor, No. 21, Baldwin-street, Bristol, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

FRANCIS GEORGE SHERRARD, 21, Baldwin-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Fleetwood, of the Thresholds, Leebotwood, in the county of Salop, Gentleman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Banks and Kendall, 46, Church-street, Liverpool, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

BANKS and KENDALL, Solicitors for the said George Fleetwood.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas William Appleton, of 156, Oxford-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Glass Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Barrow, Solicitor, 48, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, on the 20th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

CHARLES BARROW, 48, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Clinton, of Market-place, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, News Agent, Hair Dresser, and Tobacconist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Vaughan, Solicitor, Market-place, Willenhall aforesaid, on the 12th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

GEO. VAUGHAN, Market-place, Willenhall, Solicitor for the said James Clinton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Bridgewater Fox, of No. 3, Newland-street, High Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, Baker, Greengrocer, and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Council Chamber of the Town-hall, High Wycombe, Bucks, on the 13th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

D. CLARKE, Eastor-street, High Wycombe, Solicitor for the said William Bridgewater Fox.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Austin, of Ringstead, in the county of Northampton, Baker, Butcher, Grocer and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Burnham and Henry, Solicitors, High-street, Wellingborough, in the said county, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

BURNHAM and HENRY, of Wellingborough, Solicitors for the said Thomas Austin.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Henry Willis, of Rothwell, in the county of Northampton, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, trading as T. Willis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Burnham and Henry, Solicitors, High-street, Wellingborough, in the said county, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

BURNHAM and HENRY, Wellingborough, Solicitors for the said Thomas Henry Willis.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Reading, formerly of Burton-road, in the borough of Derby, then of Rawden-street, New Normanton, in the county of Derby, but now of 52, Crompton-terrace, Green-lane, in Derby aforesaid, and carrying on business in copartnership with Charles White, in Sacheverel-street, Derby aforesaid, in the name of Charles White, as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Brigg, Solicitor, No. 2, Amen-alley, Derby, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

WM. ARTHUR GRETTON, 7½, Corn Market Derby, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Carrick, of the Market-place, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at High Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, on the 3rd day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

GEO. MAW, Jun., High Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Thomas Carrick.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Foster, of No. 6, the Grove, in the borough of Sunderland, Mechanical Engineer and Metal Broker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Holmes and Brewis, No. 62, John-street, Sunderland, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

HOLMES and BREWIS, 62, John-street, Sunderland, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James William Cordery, of No. 2, Nile-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Wholesale and Retail Paper Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Robinson, 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland aforesaid, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

JOHN ROBINSON, 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said James William Cordery.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Thomas Strickland, of Sharnford, in the county of Bedford, Baker and Pork Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Hotel, in the town of Shefford, in the county of Bedford, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1876.

HORACE BARKER, Hitchin, Herts, Solicitor for the said George Thomas Strickland.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Joynton, of Hartford and Castle Northwich, in the county of Chester, Joiner, Builder, and Timber Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Town Bridge Lecture Room, Northwich, in the county of Chester, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

ALGERNON FLETCHER, Solicitor for the said William Joynton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Stubbs, of Witton, in the parish of Witton-cum-Twambrook, near Northwich, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the undersigned, William Pointon, in Market-street, Crewe Town, in the county of Chester, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

W. POINTON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Hughes, of West-street, Crewe, in the township of Monkscoppenhall, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision Dealer, Cattle Dealer, and Coal and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, in Nantwich-road, Crewe, in the township of Monkscoppenhall, in the county of Cheshire aforesaid, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

W. POINTON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Collins, of No. 26, Broad-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Maker.

TAKE notice, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of the Trustee, No. 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of agreeing to or dissenting from the following resolutions:—1. That the close of this liquidation shall take place on and from the

8th day of May, 1876. 2. That the discharge of the said James Collins be granted to him. 3. That Edmund Charles Chatterley, the Trustee, be released.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

E. C. CHATTERLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Turner, of Cedar House, Banbury-road, South Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at Albion-chambers, opposite Moorgate-street Station, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 11th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to fix the close of the liquidation, grant the debtor's discharge, and the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

LEAROYD and CO., Albion-chambers, Moorgate, E.C., Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Henry Lea, of the Swan Hotel, Bridge-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Charles Henry Lea will be held at the offices of Messrs. William Tricks, Son, and Co., City-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol, on Monday, the 8th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Trustee, fixing his remuneration, declaring a First and Final Dividend, fixing the close of the liquidation, and granting the Trustee his release.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

GEO. SNOW TRICKS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David White, of Dedham, in the county of Essex, Tailor, Woollen Draper, and Clothier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named David White will be held at my offices, Head-street, Colchester, in the said county of Essex, on Saturday, 6th May, 1876, at eleven o'clock A.M., for the following purposes, viz:—1st. To pass the accounts of the Trustee. 2nd. To vote the remuneration and grant the release of the Trustee. 3rd. To declare a Dividend. 4th. To close the liquidation. 5th. To consider and if thought expedient to grant the discharge of the said David White.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

EDMUND JAMES CRASKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hollingworth, of Witton, near Northwich, and of Knutsford, both in the county of Chester, Favior and Builder.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor is summoned to be held at the Town Bridge Lecture Room, Northwich aforesaid, on Friday, the 5th day of May next, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and the objects of the meeting and the business proposed to transacted thereat are as follows:—To authorise the Trustee to assent to an offer made by the said debtor for the payment of a composition of two shillings in the pound in satisfaction of the debts due to the creditors, payable as follows, one shilling in the pound in one month from this date, and the further sum of one shilling in the pound in three months from this date; also to consider the grant of the debtor's discharge, the Trustee's remuneration and his release, and the closing of the liquidation, and for the general purposes of the said matter.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1876.

GEO. J. KNIGHT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Rheese, of Bellestone, Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Corn Dealer and Ale and Porter Merchant.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Henry Morris, Solicitor, Swan Hill,

Shrewsbury, on Tuesday, the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely. The objects of such meeting and the business proposed to be transacted thereat, being by special resolution:—1. To grant the debtor's discharge. 2. To fix the Trustee's remuneration. 3. To order the payment of the Solicitor's costs. 4. To order the declaration of a First and Final Dividend. 5. To fix the date of the close of the liquidation, and the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

CHAS. MATHEWS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Carr, of Penn, in the county of Buckingham, Miller, but now out of business.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors is hereby summoned to be held at the Red Lion, Tyler's Green, Penn, in the county of Bucks, on Tuesday, the 9th day of May next, at four o'clock in the afternoon. The object of the meeting and the business proposed to be transacted thereat are as follows:—1. To declare a First and Final Dividend. 2. To fix a day for the close of the liquidation. 3. To grant the debtor's discharge. 4. To release the Trustee, and decide whether any and what remuneration shall be paid to him. And for any other matters that may be necessary to close the liquidation.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

JOHN GARLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Arthur, of No. 140, Holland-road, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex.

THE creditors of the above-named William Arthur who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 3rd day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Stephen Evans, of No. 5, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

THOS. S. EVANS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Miles, of 6, High-street, and 12 and 13, Blossom-street, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Lead, Glass, Oil, and Colour Merchant, also lately carrying on the same businesses at 240 and 241, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London.

THE creditors of the above-named James Miles who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur James Hill, of No. 1, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

ARTHUR J. HILL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Roche, of 9 and 10 Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wine and Spirit and Tea Merchant, trading as a Wine and Spirit Merchant, under the name, style, or firm of the Lismend Irish Whiskey Company, and as a Tea Merchant, under the name, style, or firm of Campbell and Company, and of 26, Cook-street, in the city of Cork, Ireland, Wine and Spirit and Tea Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named John Roche who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Thomas Snell, of 85, Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1876.

JAMES T. SNELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of the Reverend Robert Henry Wyld, of Southwell, in the county of Nottingham, Clerk and Banker, and Campion Calvert, of Southwell aforesaid, Surgeon and Banker, trading as Bankers' under the style or firm of Wyld and Co., at Southwell aforesaid, and at Mansfield, in the said county of Nottingham.

THE separate creditors of the above-named Reverend Robert Henry Wyld who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Waddell, of 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JAMES WADDELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of the Reverend Robert Henry Wyld, of Southwell, in the county of Nottingham, Clerk and Banker, and Campion Calvert, of Southwell aforesaid, Surgeon and Banker, trading as Bankers, under the style or firm of Wyld and Co., at Southwell aforesaid, and at Mansfield, in the said county of Nottingham.

THE separate creditors of the above-named Campion Calvert who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Waddell, of 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JAMES WADDELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Alfred Howe, of No. 7, Peverill-street, in the town of Nottingham, Hay and Corn Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Alfred Howe who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Richards, of Bobbers Mill, in the county of Nottingham, Miller, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

W. RICHARDS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Shepherd Smith, of No. 6, Sedgwick-street, White Abbey, Bradford, in the county of York, Tripe Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Shepherd Smith who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Mitchell, of Bowland-street, in Bradford, in the county of York, Joiner, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

JOHN MITCHELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Gibson, of Little Fenton, in the parish of Church Fenton, in the county of York, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Gibson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John James Walker Saville, of 34A, Bond-street, Leeds, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

J. J. W. SAVILLE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Morrill, of No. 68, Petergate, in the city of York, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Morrill who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Leonard William Sedgwick, the Trustee under the liquidation, addressed to me, at the offices of Mr. George Crambie, Solicitor, No. 46, Stonegate, in the said city of York, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

LEOND. WM. SEDGWICK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ann Hill, of Shireoaks, in the county of Nottingham, Widow.

THE creditors of the above-named Ann Hill who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Hudson, of Shireoaks, in county of Nottingham, Farmer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

WILLIAM HUDSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robinson Boak Brown, formerly of Harvest-lane, but now of 93, St. Philip's-road, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Robinson Boak Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Harrison of the firm of Messrs. Harrison and Sutton, of 30, Church-street, Barnsley, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

CHAS. HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Wilson, of Gateford-road, Worksop, in the county of Nottingham, Plasterer.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Wilson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick Edwin Leggoe, of 17, 19, and 21, George-street, Sheffield, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

F. E. LEGGOE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Waters Eldridge, of 152, North-street and 12, Buckingham-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Surveyor and Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named William Waters Eldridge who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick George Clark, of No. 7, Union-street, Ship-street, Brighton, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

F. G. CLARK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Austin, of the city of Lincoln, Chemist.

THE creditors of the above-named John Austin who have not proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send their names

and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Jay, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

GEORGE JAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Perkins, of Coningsby, in the county of Lincoln, Baker.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Perkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Jay, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

GEORGE JAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Wood, of Tattershall Thorpe, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Cattle Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Wood who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Jay, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

GEORGE JAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Kidderminster.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Alfred Knott, of 30A, Mill-street and Park Butts, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Knott who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Timothy Starkey, of 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

CHARLES TIMOTHY STARKEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Hipkins, David Alexander Hipkins, and William Edward Hipkins, all residing at West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at the Victoria Iron Works, Swan Village, West Bromwich aforesaid, as Ironmasters, under the style or firm of David Hipkins and Sons.

THE creditors of the above-named David Hipkins, David Alexander Hipkins, and William Edward Hipkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred L. Davey, at the Court-house, Oldbury, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

A. L. DAVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Hipkins, David Alexander Hipkins, and William Edward Hipkins, all residing at West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at the Victoria Iron Works, Swan Village, West Bromwich aforesaid, as Ironmasters, under the style or firm of David Hipkins and Sons.

THE creditors of the separate estate of the above-named David Hipkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred L.

Davey, at the Court-house, Oldbury, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

A. L. DAVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Hipkins, David Alexander Hipkins, and William Edward Hipkins, all residing at West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at the Victoria Iron Works, Swan Village, West Bromwich aforesaid, as Ironmasters, under the style or firm of David Hipkins and Sons.

THE creditors of the separate estate of the above-named William Edward Hipkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred L. Davey, at the Court-house, Oldbury, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

A. L. DAVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Davies, of 10, Glamorgan-terrace, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Fitter, late of the Bear Inn, Llandovery, in the county of Carmarthen, Publican.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Davies who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas D. C. Leyeritt, of 19, Union-street, Swansea, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

THOS. D. C. LEVERITT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Evans, of Raglan, in the county of Monmouth, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Evans who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph Gibbs, of No. 10, Tredegar-place, Newport, Monmouthshire, Solicitor to the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1876.

JOSEPH GIBBS, Solicitor to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Jones the younger, of Cardiff-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth Painter.

THE creditors of the above-named William Jones who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Williams, of No. 136, Commercial-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

ROBT. WILLIAMS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Turner, of No. 9, Pilgrim-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Fine Arts Publisher and Print Seller.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Turner who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Young Strachan, of the firm of T. Y. Strachan, Ormond, and Taylor, 18, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

T. Y. STRACHAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jonathan Charlton, of No. 9, Pilgrim-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and residing at Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Provision Merchant, and also carrying on business at Hepburn Quay, as Rice Forsyth, as a Grocer and Provision Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Jonathan Charlton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Young Strachan, of the firm of T. Y. Strachan, Ormond, and Taylor, 18, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

T. Y. STRACHAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by the Reverend Walter Marcon, of Edgefield, in the county of Norfolk, Clerk in Holy Orders.

THE creditors of the above-named Walter Marcon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Parke, of Hoir, in the said county of Norfolk, Wine Merchant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

W. PARKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hunter, of the Star Music Hall, Forshaw-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Hunter who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Ellis (Ellis and Carter), of Cornwallis-street, Barrow-in-Furness, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

ROBERT ELLIS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bell, of 13, Daisy Bank-terrace, Victoria Park, formerly of 44, Plymouth-grove, both in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and formerly of 1, Lambert-villas, Greenwich, near the city of London, Scotch Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Bell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of June, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Walton Gillibrand, of 56, George-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

T. W. GILLIBRAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Hartley and Thomas Sharples, both of No. 3, Exchange-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Wine and Spirit Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Hartley and Sharples.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Hartley and Thomas Sharples who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Lund, of No. 6, Richmond-terrace, within Blackburn aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

JOHN LUND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Penberthy, of Longstone, in the parish of Uny Lelant, in the county of Cornwall, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named James Penberthy who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Chirgwin, of 26, River-street, Truro, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

T. CHIRGWIN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Yeovil. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Baunton, of Wincanton, in the county of Somerset, Publican and Baker.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Baunton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 5th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. James Richards, of Wincanton, in the county of Somerset, Auctioneer and Appraiser, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1876.

RICHARD NICHOLAS HOWARD, Solicitor to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Wood and George William Watts, of Taunton, in the county of Somerset, Licensed Victuallers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, and Ale and Porter Dealers and Co-partners, trading under the style or firm of Wood and Company, at Taunton aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named John Wood and George William Watts who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edwin Wotton, of 28, East-street, Taunton, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

EDWIN WOTTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Henry Lea, of the Swan Hotel, Bridge-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Henry Lea who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to the undersigned, George Snow Tricks, of the Albion-chambers, Bristol, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

GEO. SNOW TRICKS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Henry Snell, of Queen-square, in the city of Bristol, Tailor and Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Henry Snell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Hudson Smith, of the Exchange, Bristol, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOHN HUDSON SMITH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Herbert Duncan, of Nos. 1 and 2, Combe Hill-villas, Clevedon, in the county of Somerset, Tailor and Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Herbert Duncan who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 1876, to send

their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Hudson Smith, of the Exchange, Bristol, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOHN HUDSON SMITH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harmer Walls, formerly of No. 101, London-wall, in the city of London, then of 35A, Wilson-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, in copartnership with Henry Gardner, trading under the firm or style of Walls and Gardner, as Dealers in Druggists' Sundries, now of 35A, Wilson-street aforesaid, Dealer in Druggists' Sundries, having a private residence at No. 1, St. John's villas, Albert-road, South Norwood, Surrey.

JOHAN HENRY ROCHESTER BRECKLES, of No. 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Bilham, of 25, Jouson-place, Harrow-road, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, and formerly of 8, Westbourne Park-place, Paddington aforesaid, Surgeon and Apothecary.

JAMES HANVEY, of 25, Lower Seymour-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor, in the place of James Southwood Burge, deceased. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Robinson, of 95, Haggerstone-road, in the county of Middlesex, and previously of 15A, Stratford-place, Camden-square, in the same county, and 29, York-street, London-road, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

EDWARD JONES, of 3, Barnard's-inn, Holborn, in the city of London, Accountant and Surveyor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Alonzo Everett, now of 38, Poultry, in the city of London, but formerly of 120, Chancery-lane, in the city of London, and 34, Euston-square, in the county of Middlesex, and Bolton Lees, Anerley Park, Anerley, in the county of Surrey, Engineer.

JOSEPH GEORGE RAVEN, of 16, Abchurch-lane, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Samuel Weston, of 32, Park-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, late of 30, High-street, Bow, in the said county, Ironmonger.

CHARLES TAYLOR, of 16, Walbrook, in the city of London, Accountant and Auditor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must

deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Stephen Hoare, of 88, Denbigh-street, Pimlico, and 13, Douglas-street, Westminster, both in the county of Middlesex. Builder and Decorator.

ROBERT GIFFORD, of 10, Crescent-terrace, Milbank, in the county of Middlesex, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Elizabeth Juel Nicoll, of No. 424, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex. Boot and Shoe Maker.

JOHN PATERSON, of No. 35, Walbrook, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Moore, of 102, Raglan-road, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, Grocer, Greengrocer, and Meat Carrier.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS HORTON, of 118, Plumstead-road, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Turnor, of Baker-street, Enfield, in the county of Middlesex, Clothier and Furniture Dealer.

JOHN DANIEL VINEY, of 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Alcock Farrar, of Grange-road, Shanklin, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Dealer in Fish, Game, and Poultry.

JOHN LOE, of Shanklin, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Butcher, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Joseph Smith, of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, Printer and Stationer.

FREDERICK CAPE, of No. 61, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Bennet Harris, of Shillington, in the county of Bedford, Grocer.

HENRY LEATHERDALE, of the firm of Nicholls and Leatherdale, of 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Public Accountants, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Sampson Gilbard, of 10, West-street, Horsham, in the county of Sussex, Tailor.

BENEZER CHAMBERS FOREMAN, of 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jabez Reeson, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Butcher, Farmer, and Grazier.

CHARLES LUCAS, of Boston aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jane Tingle, of Cinderford, in the county of Gloucester, Grocer and Draper.

JAMES COLLINS, Jun., of 39, Broad-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Battely, of Harwich, in the county of Essex, Coal and Bottled Beer Merchant.

EDMUND JAMES CRASKE, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by the Reverend Henry Halsall Bishop, of St. Andrew's Vicarage, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Clerk in Holy Orders, Master of Arts.

ROBERT THOMAS WILKINSON, of Sunderland, Solicitor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Clough, of Brownley Colliery, in the county of Durham, Grocer.

THOMAS FREDERICK WILSON, Accountant, and Benjamin John Sutherland, Provision Merchant, both of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, have

been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Searth, Junior, of Hinderwell, near Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the North Riding of the county of York, Tailor, Draper, and Grocer.

JAMES LOMAS, of Leeds, in the county of York, Hat and Cap Manufacturer, and Thomas Calvert, of Malton, in the county of York, Draper, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustees.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Charlton, lately residing at No. 6, Belle-grove, and now at No. 11, Saint Thomas-crescent, both in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

JOSEPH GREENER, of Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Stanton Harris, of No. 15, High-street, Rotherham, Clothier, trading under the style or firm of Harris and Co., at No. 15, High-street, Rotherham aforesaid, and also at Mexbrough, both in the county of York.

JOHN WEIB, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Burgess, of No. 3, Abbey-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Coal Merchant.

FREDERICK THOMPSON, of No. 34, Hamilton-square, Birkenhead, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cooper, of Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, Hatter.

JOSEPH PRIESTLEY, of 119, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Richards, otherwise William Stephen Richards, of Treorkey, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Draper.

WILLIAM COURTENAY CLARK, of Cardiff, Accountant, and James Collins, Junior, of Bristol, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property

of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Evan Morgan, of Llantwit, in the parish of Llantwit Varde, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Draper.

DAVID THOMAS ALEXANDER, of St. Mary-street, Cardiff, in the said county, Accountant and Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Briggs, of No. 25, Darwin-street, within Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Saddler.

THOMAS MOTTERSHEAD, of 2, Victoria-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, and Charles Lomax Tiplady, of Blackburn aforesaid, Public Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Nicholas, of 90, Brunswick-street, late of 17, Grosvenor-street, both in Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Artificial Hair Manufacturer and Engineer.

WILLIAM SISSON, of 49, Shakespeare-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, Agent, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. by transfer from the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Henry Berry, of No. 51, Windham-street, in Bury, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business in the New Market Hall, in Bury aforesaid, as a Jeweller and Hardware Dealer.

EDWIN BANKS HARDING, of Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, and Thomas Whitehead, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Auctioneer, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bell, of 13, Daisy Bank-terrace, Victoria Park, formerly of 44, Plymouth-grove, both in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and formerly of 1, Lambert-villas, Greenwich, near the city of London, Scotch Draper.

THOMAS WALTON GILLIBRAND, of 56, George-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James McEwen, of 21, Thomas-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Fent Daeler.

JOHAN JOSEPH GRAHAM, of Albert-square, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Parle, of 4, Crooked-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Export Bottler.

HENRY BOLLAND, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton. To John Farrin, of Montobello-terrace, Phillip-lane, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Butcher.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Thomas Woodley, of 105, Avenue D, Metropolitan Meat Market, in the city of London, Meat Salesmen, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice that the said Petition will be heard at this Court, on the 18th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on which day you are required to appear, and, if you do not appear, the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

A MEETING of the Creditors of Thomas Haynes, of Shortwood, in the parish of Pucklechurch, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer and General Dealer, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 12th day of January, 1876, will be held at No. 4 Room of the Athenaeum, Corn-street, in the city and county of Bristol, on the 17th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of sixpence in the pound, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Lenthal Davids, of No. 4, Park-place, Saint James's, in the county of Middlesex, late a Captain in Her Majesty's Army, and Secretary to the British Service Club, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 20th day of June, 1872.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the offices of Messrs. Layton, Son, and Lendon, 29, Budge-row, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Friday, the 12th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the objects of such meeting and the business proposed to be transacted thereat, being:—1. To consider the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of an offer made on behalf of the bankrupt to pay the whole of the creditors of the said bankrupt a composition of 5s. in the pound upon the amount due, and in full discharge of their respective debts, such composition to be paid within seven days from the date of the order of the Court confirming such a scheme being granted, together with the charges and expenses of the said Trustee, and the costs, charges, and expenses of his Solicitors; 2. To order the annulling of the bankruptcy; 3. The terms of such composition or scheme to be approved by and embodied in an order of the Court; and, lastly, to consider and resolve upon all other resolutions and things necessary or expedient for effectuating and carrying out all or any of the above-mentioned objects, and otherwise relating to the said bankruptcy, which the said

meeting can lawfully consider and resolve upon, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, and the orders made in pursuance thereof.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.
EDWARD MOORE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth.

A MEETING of the Creditors of Nathaniel Ayling, of High-street, Wandsworth, and 2, Ravenswood-place, Balham, both in the county of Surrey, Bootmaker, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 23rd day of July, 1875, will be held at the offices of Messrs. G. T. Parker and Locke, Milners-buildings, Finsbury, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and fixing the remuneration to be paid to the Trustee appointed herein.

G. T. PARKER and LOCKE, Milner's-buildings, Finsbury Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury.

A MEETING of the Creditors of William Rowland Potter, of Polemere, in the parish of Pontesbury, in the county of Salop, Farmer, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 10th day of July, 1875, will be held at the offices of Mr. Clarke, Solicitor, 17, Swan-hill, Shrewsbury, on the 6th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—1. To determine the remuneration to be paid to the Trustees for their services; 2. To declare a First and Final Dividend.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

EVAN HARRIS DAVIES,
R. EDWARD CLARKE, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Dolman, of Sion Hill Mews, and Grosvenor Mews, and residing at the Suspension Bridge Inn, in the parish of Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol, Livery Stable Keeper, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 27th day of August, 1876.

A MEETING of the Creditors of this bankrupt will be held at my offices, Albion-chambers, Small-street, Bristol, on Thursday, the 11th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the following purposes:—1. To fix the remuneration of the Receiver and Trustee; 2. To consider certain allegations of concealment of goods by the bankrupt, and the advisability of a prosecution or otherwise.—Dated 26th April, 1876.

E. G. CLARKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of John Cliffe, of Knottingley, in the county of York, Ship Builder, a Bankrupt, under a Petition filed in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 14th day of September, 1869, the proceedings under which Petition has been suspended.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the said bankrupt will be held on Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Mr. John Gordon, No. 1, Bond-street, Leeds, in the said county of York, the Manager appointed to wind up the estate, when and where the assignee will submit a statement of the property received and of the property outstanding, and the meeting will declare by resolution whether any and what part of the produce of the estate shall be divided amongst the creditors. And all creditors who have not already proved their debts are required to do so, and to forward their proofs before the meeting to the undersigned Charles Tempest, or to attend to prove at the said meeting, otherwise they will be excluded from the benefit of the said Dividend.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

CHARLES TEMPEST, 10, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitor.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 9½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Leopold Hoffenbach, of 72, Watling-street, in the city of London, Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of December, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 7, Trump-street, in the city of London, on and after the 28th day of April, 1876.—Dated this 22nd April, 1876.

CHARLES E. SOPPET, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 6s. 7d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Julia Rawson, of Crossley-street, Halifax, in the county of York, General Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of August, 1875, and will be paid by me, at Nos. 227 and 229, Old-street, City-road, in the city of London, on and after the 3rd day of May, 1876.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

ALEXANDER LEFEVER, Trustee.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.
A FIRST Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alexander Hutchison, of No. 14, Pritchard-street, in the city and county of Bristol, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of January, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Gamble and Harvey, No. 1, Gresham-buildings, Finsinghall-street, in the city of London, on and after the 10th day of May, 1876.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

W. C. HARVEY Trustee.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.
A DIVIDEND of 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joshua Hackett Townsend, of Victoria-street, in the city of Bristol, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of September, 1872, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. W. H. Williams and Co. Exchange, Bristol, on and after the 2nd day of May, 1876. Dated—this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOHN HUDSON SMITH, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
A FIRST Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Bury Westall, of Collier-street, Liverpool-road, in the city of Manchester, Dyer and Yarn Polisher, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of January, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my office, Manchester-chambers, 46A, Market-street, Manchester, on and after the 2nd day of May 1876.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

GEO. WILLIAMSON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

A FINAL Dividend of 1½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Charles Williams, of Cleveland-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Upholsterer and Cabinet Maker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of July, 1870, and will be paid by me, at No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on and after the 26th day of April, 1876.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

J. D. VINEY, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
A FIRST Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alfred Purdy, of Greengates, in the township of Eccleshill, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of December, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 10, Cheapside, Bradford, in the county of York, between the hours of ten A.M. and four P.M., on and after the 4th day of May, 1876.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

A. B. KEMP, Trustee.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 10½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of John Augustus Melton, of No. 11, Hamond-place, and No. 16, Military-road, Chatham, in the county of Kent, and also of No. 69, West-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Photographer, Carver, and Gilder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of October, 1873, and will be paid by me, at the office of the Court, in Eastgate, Rochester, on and after the 28th day of April, 1876, between the hours of ten and one.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

G. BRINDLEY ACWORTH, Registrar and Official Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.
 In the Matter of James Kearsley, of the Coach Works, Derby-street, Cheetham, Manchester, Coach Builder and Proprietor, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said James Kearsley, an order of adjudication was made on the 13th day of December, 1875. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 25th day of April, 1876.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frank Lyon, of 59, Watling-street, in the city of London, Soap Maker and Druggist.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioners, and of the trading, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Frank Lyon, having been given, it is ordered that the said Frank Lyon, be, and

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he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frank Lyon is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 17th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock of the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Sir Gilbert Edward Campbell, Bart., of No. 117, Ladbroke Grove-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Sir Gilbert Edward Campbell, Bart., having been given, it is ordered that the said Sir Gilbert Edward Campbell, Bart., be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Sir Gilbert Edward Campbell, Bart., is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Harriet Elizabeth Whatman, of 40, Cambridge-road, Maida Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Widow.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Harriet Elizabeth Whatman having been given, it is ordered that the said Harriet Elizabeth Whatman be, and she is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Harriet Elizabeth Whatman is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of her affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry John Beckett, of 16 and 17, Bread-street, in the city of London, Silk Merchant and Agent.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Henry John Beckett having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry John Beckett be, and he is hereby, adjudged

bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry John Beckett, is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Blanchford, of No. 59, High-street, Exeter, in the county of Devon, Stock and Share Broker.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Henry Blanchford, having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Blanchford be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

R. R. M. Daw, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Blanchford is hereby summoned to be held at the Castle of Exeter, at Exeter, on the 15th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Elijah Pryce, of G 17, Exchange-buildings, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and of No. 22, Ullet-road, Prince's Park, near Liverpool aforesaid, Merchant.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Elijah Pryce having been given, it is ordered that the said Elijah Pryce be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 25th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

James F. Watson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Elijah Pryce is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Priestley and Simeon Priestley, of Halifax, in the county of York, trading in copartnership as Woolstaplers, under the style or firm of Simeon Priestley.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas Priestley and Simeon Priestley having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas Priestley and Simeon Priestley be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 25th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

John W. de L. Giffard, Judge.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Priestley and Simeon Priestley is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court-house in Halifax aforesaid, on the 13th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the

forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Herutz Leon, of No. 1, Claverton-street, in the city of Bath, Jeweller and Importer of Foreign Cigars and General Commission Agent.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Herutz Leon having been given, it is ordered that the said Herutz Leon be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of April, 1876.

By the Court,

Edwd. G. Smith, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Herutz Leon is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Court, No. 4, Abbey-street, Bath, on the 8th day of May, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of James Eady, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

William Henry Cobb, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Colchester, on the 10th day of May, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Frederick Thomas Young, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Brewer, Maltster, and Wine and Spirit Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Alfred Thomas, of No. 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, Brewers' Auctioneer and Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Shirehall, Bedford, in the county of Bedford, on the 8th day of June, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon. In the Matter of William Henry Mutter, of Effingham Hill Lodge, Effingham, in the county of Surrey, Farmer, a Bankrupt.

Edward Butcher, of Dorking, in the county of Surrey, Auctioneer, Surveyor, and Valuer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on the 22nd day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington. In the Matter of Jonathan Wright, of Frodsam, in the county of Chester, Farm Labourer, a Bankrupt.

William Grice, of Mickledale, near Frodsam, in the county of Chester, Farmer, has been appointed Trustee

of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, situate in Upper Bank-street, in Warrington aforesaid, on the 18th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Martin Francis Donegan, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Pig Dealer and Salesman, a Bankrupt.

Henry Bolland, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 19th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of John James Venn, of 2, Mersey-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

Henry Bolland, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 19th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bridgewater.

In the Matter of Charles Bishop, of No. 29, Regent-street, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Eating-house Keeper, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Cogle, of Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Butcher, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court, Bridgewater, on the 4th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Joseph Bickford, formerly of Moseley Hall, Bushbury, near Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Farmer, but now residing in lodgings at No. 8, Wood-street, Bath-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business, a Bankrupt.

Thomas James Agar, of Ann-street, Birmingham, Accountant, and William Henry Brown, of Ann-street, Birmingham, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 31st day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Kidderminster.

In the Matter of Thomas James Milnes, of the Rose and Crown Inn, Blackwell-street, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

Ebenezer Guest, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the

Registrar's Office, Kidderminster, in the said county, on the 24th day of May, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of William Lewis, of Dinas, near Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Ironmonger, a Bankrupt.

George John Alexander, of Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd, on the 11th day of May, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Christopher Bateson, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

John Braithwaite, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court-house, in Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, on the 9th day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1876.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston.

On the 23rd day of May, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, James Taylor, of Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of January, 1874, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Henry Warwick Pemberton Javan, of 18, Lever-street, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, Jeweller, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of February, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 15th day of May, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

Thomas Leighton, Trustee.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Molesworth, of Burton Street Mills, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Elastic Web Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of February, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 5th day of May, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

Henry Tarratt, Trustee.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Oliver Howitt, of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer, trading as Howitt and Son, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of August, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of May, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

Jno. Thornton, Trustee.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of George Bridgett, of Carrington Bridge Mill, in the town of Nottingham, Yarn Agent and Wine Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of February, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of May, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

Jno. Thornton, Trustee.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Charles Caspers, of No. 4, St. Nicholas-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, No. 119, High-street East, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, and of East Boldon, in the said county of Durham, Merchant, Exporter, and Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of Charles Caspers and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of September, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 10th day of May, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 23th day of April, 1876.

John G. Benson,
Robert Buak, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Richard Wakefield Harrison, of Askew Lodge, Askew-road, Shepherd's Bush, and of 21, Archer-street, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 6th day of November, 1873.

WHEREAS the notices of intention to declare and of the declaration of the Final Dividend of 6d. in the pound was not duly inserted in the London Gazette prior to the payment thereof, notice is hereby given, that any creditor who has not received such dividend must, within fourteen days of this date, forward to the undersigned, Joseph Kinnerley Jackson, of 60, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, the Trustee of the property of the above-named bankrupt, a proof of his debt, or in default thereof he will be excluded from the benefit of the said dividend.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOS. K. JACKSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of John Thomas Robson, of Easington-lane, in the county of Durham, Draper and Boot and Shoe Maker, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 12th day of October, 1870.

WHEREAS notice of the declaration of the First Dividend of 9d. in the pound (which has been paid) was not gazetted, notice is hereby given, that any creditor who has not received such dividend can receive the same upon application, at my offices, No. 62, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on and after the 1st day of May, 1876.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOS. GREENER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Noble Carr Richardson, of Willington-on-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, and now at furnished lodgings at West-grove, Saint Lawrence, in the Island of Jersey, Ship Owner, and also carrying on business in copartnership with Edward Robson, at Bombay, in the Presidency of Bombay, as Ironfounders, under the style or firm of Richardson and Robson, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 17th day of October, 1870.

WHEREAS notice of the declaration of the First Dividend of 5s. in the pound (which has been paid) was not gazetted, notice is hereby given, that any creditor who has not received such dividend can receive the same upon application, at my offices, No. 62, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on and after the 1st day of May, 1876.—Dated this 26th day of April, 1876.

JOS. GREENER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Dividend Meetings.

Meetings of the Creditors of the Bankrupts hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the times and places hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, before the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, Registrar:

Demetrio Pappa, of No. 31, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, late Manager of the Oriental Commercial Bank Limited, adjudicated bankrupt on the 2nd day of July, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

Henry John Maclean, of No. 168, Albany-road, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, lately a Clerk in Her Majesty's Customs, but now out of employment, previously staying at Parker's Hotel, No. 27, Surrey-street, Strand, Middlesex, previously of the Hotel du Commerce, Rue

Royale, Calais, France, previously of No. 18, Dorchester-place, Blandford-square, Middlesex, previously of No. 43, Southampton-row, Russell-square, Middlesex, Clerk in Her Majesty's Customs, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of June, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Richard Pearse and Herbert Edward Beer, of No. 34, Saint George's-street, Canterbury, in the county of Kent, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Tobacco Dealers, and Co-partners, adjudicated bankrupts on the 16th day of November, 1868. A Dividend Meeting under the joint estate of the said bankrupts will be held on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Richard Pearse and Herbert Edward Beer, of No. 34, Saint George's-street, Canterbury, in the county of Kent, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Tobacco Dealers, and Co-partners, adjudicated bankrupts on the 16th day of November, 1868. A Dividend Meeting under the separate estate of the said Herbert Edward Beer will be held on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupts' estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of James Robert Rawley, of 515, Kingsland-road, in the county of Middlesex, Oil and Colour Man and Lead Merchant, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was this day granted to James Robert Rawley, of 515, Kingsland-road, in the county of Middlesex, Oil and Colour Man and Lead Merchant, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of February, 1873.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1875.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of William Lording, of the British Oak Public-house, Shooters Hill, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was this day granted to William Lording, of the British Oak Public-house, Shooter's Hill, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of April, 1875.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1876.

THE estates of David Scott, Saddler, London-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 25th April, 1876, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 25th April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Friday, the 5th day of May, 1876, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 25th day of August, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

A. GEMMILL and MACLACHLAN, Writers,
18, Renfield-street, Glasgow, Agents.

NOTICE.

THE estates of Robert Parker, Farmer, Culhorn Parks, Stranraer, were sequestrated on the 21st day of April, 1876, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway.

The first deliverance is dated 11th April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, 1876, within the George Hotel, Stranraer.

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 21st day of August, 1876.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WM. BLACK, Jr., Solicitor, Stranraer,
Agent.

THE estates of John Reid, Merchant and Commission Agent, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 24th April, 1876, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 24th April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 5th day of May, 1876, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 24th day of August, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

A. GEMMILL and MACLACHLAN, Writers,
18, Renfield-street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of Murdo Mackay, Cattle Dealer, Rose-street, Inverness, were sequestrated on 21st April, 1876, by the Sheriff of the county of Inverness.

The first deliverance is dated the 21st day of April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock, A.M., on Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, 1876, within the Faculty-hall, Castle, Inverness.

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 21st day of August, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, against arrest or imprisonment for civil debt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

GEORGE G. TAIT, Solicitor, Inverness,
Agent.

THE estates of Charles Scott, Coal Merchant, Mansefield-street, Govan, were sequestrated on the 25th day of April, 1876, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 13th day of April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1876, within the Faculty-hall, St. George's-place, in Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 25th day of August, 1876.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

CUNNINGHAM and HENDERSON, Writers,
Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of Drysdale and Brodie, Drapers, No. 130, Nethergate, Dundee, as a Company, and Adam Drysdale, Draper, residing at No. 43, Castle-street, Dundee, and John Graham Brodie, Draper, also residing at No. 43,

Castle-street, Dundee, sole Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 25th day of April, 1876, by the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills.

The first deliverance is dated 25th April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of May, 1876, within the British Hotel, Castle-street, Dundee.

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 25th day of August, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupts.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

D. MILNE, S.S.C.,
74, George-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of John George Rainbow, Boot and Shoe Maker, No. 163, West Port, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 22nd day of April, 1876, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated 22nd April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Thursday, the 4th day of May, 1876, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 29th August, 1876.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ROBT. MILVRIDE, L.A.,
4, North St. Andrew-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of C. and A. Woodrow, Drapers and Ladies' Outfitters, High-street, Portobello, and Catherine Woodrow and Alice Eugenie Woodrow, both residing there, the Individual Partners of said Company, were sequestrated on 22nd April, 1876, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 22nd April, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Friday, the 5th day of May, 1876, within Whitefield Hall, Leith.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 22nd August, 1876.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Edinburgh; and a Warrant of Personal Protection granted to the bankrupts Individually.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JAS. BARTON, S.S.C., Agent,
47, York-place, Edinburgh.

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