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THE following General Order, dated 9th July, 1897, with reports regarding the attack made by Madda Khels on the Political Officer's Escort at Maizar on the 10th June, 1897, has been received from the Government of India :—

**GENERAL ORDER.**

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

*Simla, the 9th July, 1897.*

**FIELD OPERATIONS.—TOCHI.**

No. 773.—THE Right Honourable the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council directs the publication of the subjoined letter from the Adjutant-General in India, submitting, under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief, reports from Lieutenant-Colonel W. du G. Gray, Commanding the Troops in the Tochi Valley, relating to the attack made by Madda Khels on the Political Officer's Escort at Maizar on the 10th June, 1897.

These reports are to be regarded as despatches.

2. The Governor-General in Council entirely concurs with His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in his appreciation of the gallantry and devotion of the British officers, and of the coolness, bravery and discipline of all ranks when deprived of their leaders and compelled to retire under the most difficult conditions.

The conduct of both officers and men on this trying occasion was worthy of the best traditions of the Punjab Frontier Force, and will add to the high reputation for soldierlike conduct which the force has ever enjoyed.

No. 181-T, "Field Operations, Tochi," dated Simla, the 8th July, 1897, from the Adjutant-General in India to the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.

I HAVE the honour, by direction of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward the enclosed letters from Lieutenant-Colonel W. du G. Gray, Commanding Tochi Valley Troops,\* reporting on the attack on the Political Officer's Escort at Maizar on the 10th June, 1897.

2. His Excellency feels assured that there can be but one opinion as regards the behaviour of all ranks after the attack commenced. The report describes in graphic language the gallantry and devoted example of the British officers who, though wounded, continued to direct the withdrawal of the force until incapacitated by their injuries; the coolness and heroic conduct of the

\* Nos. 230 and 233, dated 16th and 20th June, 1897, respectively.

native officers, non-commissioned officers and men; the determined stand at the garden wall, where those who fell gave their lives to cover the withdrawal of their wounded comrades; and the admirable discipline exhibited in the deliberate and systematic withdrawal of the force, carried out as it was under a heavy fire and under most trying circumstances. These are some of the leading characteristics of the combat, and it is with a deep sense of satisfaction that His Excellency submits this record of a gallant deed of arms, second to none in the annals of the Indian Army.

3. The march performed by the reinforcements from Datta Khel, who traversed a distance of 9 miles in an hour and half under the burning sun of a June afternoon, shows the stamina and soldierlike spirit of the party and deserves marked commendation.

4. His Excellency desires also to express his hearty concurrence in the remarks made by Lieutenant-Colonel Gray on the valuable assistance rendered to the troops by Mr. Gee, Political Officer, during the retirement.

5. The staunchness and devotion of the whole force, and particularly the excellent conduct of the native officers when thrown on their own resources, are worthy of the highest praise; and, while deploring the loss of so many brave soldiers, it is with a deep sense of admiration and appreciation of their conduct that His Excellency directs the submission of these reports, with a strong recommendation that they may be regarded as despatches and published under the orders of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

No. 230. "Disturbances," dated Datta Khel, the 16th June, 1897, from Lieutenant-Colonel W. du G. Gray, Commanding Tochi Valley Troops; to the Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Frontier Force.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report\* on the occurrences of the 10th instant.

2. An escort consisting of 12 sabres, 1st Punjab Cavalry, two guns, No. 6 Bombay Mountain Battery, 200 rifles, 1st Sikhs, and 100 rifles, 1st Punjab Infantry, under command of Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Bunny accompanied Mr. Gee, Political Officer, to one of the Maizar villages. Mr. Gee's object in going there was partly to discuss with the tribesmen the realization of a fine, but mainly to select a site for a levy post.

\* Enclosures, one sketch map, three casualty lists.

Each infantry soldier carried 22 rounds in pouch, and there were altogether 10 boxes of ammunition in reserve.

Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, and Lieutenant Cruickshank, Royal Artillery, accompanied the guns, Lieutenant Higginson, the 1st Sikhs, and Lieutenant Seton-Browne, the 1st Punjab Infantry. Surgeon-Captain Cassidy, also accompanied the party.

3. Maizar is a group of villages, 12 miles from Datta Khel camp, situated on the right banks of the Shawal and Tochi at the junction of these two rivers and on the Bannu-Ghazni road. It does not appear on the map as Maizar, but there are some names of villages (Khaji Khel, Dilpural, &c.) entered on the site. These names, however, seem to be incorrect. The village by which the treacherous attack began is probably that shown as Dilpural in the map. On the accompanying sketch map of the scene of the affair, it is marked A.

The road from Datta Khel camp to Maizar passes close to Sheranni.

The sketch map attached is by Lieutenant Seton-Browne, 1st Punjab Infantry, from memory.

4. Maizar was reached at 9.30 A.M. The Malik, who were believed to be perfectly friendly and loyal, pointed out a spot under some trees, about 100 yards from a Dreplari village, for the force to halt. (B on sketch map.)

It will be seen from the sketch map that there are more villages to the south and east of the halting place, at a distance of 200 to 400 yards.

The guns had been placed quite close to a garden of the first mentioned village.

Guards were posted. Arms were not piled by Infantry.

5. Directly after arrival Mr. Gee, with Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, and Lieutenant Higginson, visited Dotoi (a village a few miles further up the Tochi), escorted by the 1st Punjab Cavalry Sowars, and accompanied by Malik. They returned at 11.30 A.M.

A meal was now provided by the Malik for Mussulman Sepoys.

6. About 2 P.M., while the pipers of the 1st Sikhs were playing, a man was observed to wave a sword from the top of a tower of the Dreplari village. This was apparently a preconcerted signal, as those villagers, who were among the officers and men, cleared off towards the village.

Two shots were now fired from the Dreplari village, the second of which wounded Lieutenant Seton-Browne in the thigh. Firing now commenced from the villages to the south and east, and a hot fire was opened from the Dreplari village (north).

The fire was directed on the British officers, and Colonel Bunny was almost immediately wounded mortally through the stomach while looking for a position to hold, and issuing orders to his men.

There was a large number of men at the gate of the Dreplari village who were firing and were about to charge the guns. On them the guns opened with case at a range of about a hundred yards.

Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, was now wounded in the upper arm by a bullet which severed the artery (this proved fatal); and Lieutenant Cruickshank, Royal Artillery, was shot twice in the right arm.

Sixteen rounds per gun had been carried.

By the Political Officer.

The Dreplaris are a Madda Khel Section.

The shrapnel was fired reversed. The ammunition was very shortly expended.

7. At the commencement of the firing there was a general stampede among the baggage mules, and it was this that caused the very large loss of property that ensued. All the men's great-coats tied up in mule-loads, most of the reserve ammunition, 1st Punjab Infantry, drums, mess-plates, etc., mule-gear, pakhals, and many other things had to be abandoned. Immediate withdrawal was imperative, and the mules were not present to be loaded.

8. It seems that the retirement, which now commenced under such very trying conditions, was carried out with great deliberation and in the most stubborn and gallant manner.

As it began Lieutenant Higginson was shot through the arm, and Surgeon-Captain Cassidy in the knee.

The enemy now appeared on all sides in great force.

All British military officers were now wounded, two of them mortally, yet they all continued to carry out their duties and lead their men. The circumstances must be admitted to have been trying in the extreme for the troops, and their staunchness is worthy of the highest praise. Subadars Narain Singh, 1st Sikhs, Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, and Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikhs, behaved with the greatest gallantry. Getting together a party of their men they made a most determined stand by the wall of a garden (the point is marked C in the sketch), and from it they covered the first withdrawal, themselves under heavy fire, remaining till the enemy closed with them. Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, was now killed, and by far the greater number of the casualties of the day took place here.

Under cover of this stand the wounded were carried and helped away, and the guns withdrawn, along a lane, to a low Kotal about 300 yards distant, where a fresh position was occupied. The survivors of the party at the garden wall then withdrew.

The retirement was continued by successive units, very deliberately and with complete regularity, positions being held on the ridges stretching from south to north (*vide* sketch), until the Sheranni plain was reached (about two miles). All this time the enemy was constantly enveloping the flanks. The main road which had been taken in the morning had been abandoned, as it was commanded on both sides, and parties of the enemy were advancing from Sheranni.

Lieutenant Higginson was, during this part of the retirement, again shot in the arm.

Eventually, about 5.30 P.M., a good position was found about a mile from the last of the above-mentioned ridges. Reinforcements began to appear in sight, and the enemy was beaten off.

The fact that the retreat over a distance of three miles occupied three-and-a-half hours shows how stubbornly the enemy was resisted.

9. The number of the enemy at first is estimated at 500, but constant reinforcements during the retirement raised their numbers to probably much over 1,000. They are understood to have lost 90 killed and many wounded.

10. From the Kotal sowars had been sent to camp to call for reinforcements, which reached the force in the last-mentioned position about 6.15 P.M. They consisted of two companies, 1st Sikhs, under Lieutenant de Brett, Royal Artillery, accompanied by Lieutenant Stockley, Royal Engineers, and brought fresh ammunition. They

had covered the distance from camp (nine miles) in less than an hour-and-a-half.

With the ammunition now received the height around and the village of Sheranni were shelled (the latter at 1,400 yards), with the result that the enemy finally retired, and the village was partially set on fire.

11. The remainder of the withdrawal was unmolested, and the rear-guard reached camp at 12.30 A.M.

12. Some help was given by Khidder Khels, who brought water for the wounded during the retreat, and who, during the following two days, brought in the bodies of all killed, except two which could not be found.\*

The bodies so brought in had been horribly mutilated, irrespective of their religion.

13. Colonel Bunny and Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, died of their wounds on the road, and their bodies, with that of Lieutenant Cruickshank, Royal Artillery, and all the wounded, were brought in with the retirement.

#### Total casualties.

British officers—Killed, 3; wounded, 3.

Native officers—Killed, 1.

Non-commissioned officers and men—Killed, 22; wounded, 25.

Several mules and horses also killed and wounded.

14. The news reached me at Miran Shah at 11 P.M. on the 10th, and I arrived at Datta Khel, with Surgeon-Captain Ozzard, at 8 A.M. the next morning.

The first matter for consideration was the recovery of the dead left on the field, and the Government and private property. As they were all left on, and close to the scene of the first assault, which could hardly have been reached without much loss (with the available troops), and as the Khidder Khels promised to bring in the bodies, and as there was small chance of finding any of the property still lying there, I was obliged to abandon the idea.

15. A statement of lost property will follow as soon as it can be compiled. It includes eight rifles (of killed).

16. It has already been said that Colonel Bunny and Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, continued to carry on their duties after being mortally wounded, and this they continued to do until the near approach of death stopped them; and it has also been said that Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, was killed while fighting in the most gallant and self-sacrificing manner.

The behaviour of Lieutenants Seton-Browne and Higginson, in leading their men, and, after the death of their seniors, conducting the retreat, though themselves severely wounded, is worthy of high praise.

17. The behaviour of the whole force throughout was splendid, and I propose to bring to notice the very fine conduct of some individuals, without which the account of the event would be incomplete, in a supplementary letter.

18. A list of casualties is attached on field service forms.

No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

Return of Casualties in action at Datta Khel on June 10, 1897.

#### Summary.

Officers—killed, 2; wounded, nil; missing, nil.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men—killed, 2; wounded, 3; missing, nil.

Followers—killed, nil; wounded, 1; missing, nil.

\* Since this was written these two bodies have also been recovered.—W. G.

#### Nominal Return of Officers Killed.

Captain J. F. Browne, Royal Artillery, flesh wound, right arm, artery severed, death from loss of blood.

Lieutenant H. A. Cruickshank, Royal Artillery, shot in left arm and breast, death instantaneous.

#### Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed.

2438 Havildar Umar Din, wound, left shoulder, and shot through forehead. Death instantaneous from second wound.

766 Driver Alif Khan, shot through stomach.

#### Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

2432 Lance-Naick Utam Chand, severe, shot wound through right elbow, missing bone. Shot wound in right thigh, missing bone. Latter bullet still in wound.

2530 Gunner Chet Singh, severe, bone of upper portion of nose shot away.

796 Driver Gurdit Singh, slight, bullet wound, superficial, upper part, right arm.

Kahar Budhai, 1st P.C., slight, bad contusion, left calf.

H. S. DE BRETT, Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, Commanding No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery. Datta Khel, June 11, 1897.

Roll of Animals belonging to No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery killed and wounded on June 10, 1897.

#### Killed.

Ordnance Mule, 28.

Ordnance Mule, 15.

Ordnance Mule, 42.

Baggage Mule, 61.

#### Wounded.

Ordnance Mule, 10.

Ordnance Mule, 40.

Ordnance Mule, 71.

Ordnance Mule, 107.

Ordnance Mule, 63.

H. S. DE BRETT, Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, Commanding No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

1st Regiment of Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force.

Return of Casualties in action at Maizar (Tochi Valley) on June 10, 1897.

#### Summary.

British Officers—killed, 1; wounded, 2; missing, nil.

Non-Commissioned Officers, Men and Followers—killed, 13; wounded, 20; missing, nil.

#### Nominal Return of Officers Killed.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) A. C. Bunny, gunshot through body.

#### Wounded.

Surgeon-Captain C. C. Cassidy, severe, gunshot in knee.

Lieutenant A. J. M. Higginson, severe, gunshot (twice in left arm).

#### Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed.

4497 Sepoy Shakar Khan, gunshot.

4759 Sepoy Muhammad Khan, gunshot.

274 Sepoy Roshan Khan, gunshot.

4595 Sepoy Sundar Singh, gunshot.

4411 Lance-Naick Atar Singh, gunshot.

4613 Sepoy Bishen Singh, gunshot.

3872 Lance-Naick Kesar Singh, gunshot.

3992 Lance-Naick Achhar Singh, gunshot.

4474 Lance-Naick Sawan Singh, 1st, gunshot.

4583 Sepoy Sant Singh, 4th, gunshot.

4814 Sepoy Sawan Singh, 3rd, gunshot.

- 157 Sepoy Bisa Singh, gunshot.  
 1465 Kahar Ganda, gunshot.  
 (Gen. No.) Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.  
 Subadar Nawab Khan, slight, gunshot, twice in leg.  
 Jemadar Najja Khan, slight, gunshot, rib.  
 4990 Sepoy Imam Ali, severe, gunshot, hand.  
 405 Sepoy Tika Khan, slight, gunshot, shoulder.  
 4647 Sepoy Sukha Singh, severe, gunshot, right thigh and left knee.  
 183 Sepoy Lal Singh, severe, gunshot, heel.  
 227 Sepoy Hazura Singh, severe, gunshot, right shoulder.  
 209 Sepoy Bir Singh, severe, gunshot, hip.  
 4116 Naick Ganda Singh, severe, contusion L. E. (knee).  
 4281 Lance-Naick Karm Singh, severe, gunshot, buttock.  
 4706 Sepoy Ganesha Singh, severe, gunshot, thigh.  
 4918 Sepoy Sahib Singh, severe, gunshot, thigh.  
 384 Sepoy Prem Singh, severe, gunshot, neck.  
 4776 Sepoy Ganda Singh, 2nd, slight, gunshot, neck.  
 3659 Havildar Gurmukh Singh, slight, gunshot, foot.  
 3991 Halvidar Nawab Khan, slight, gunshot, foot.  
 3767 Sepoy Labh Singh, slight, gunshot, thigh.  
 38 Sepoy Makhmud, severe, gunshot, arm.  
 369 Sepoy Hasham Khan, slight, gunshot, chest.  
 446 Sepoy Saidullah, severe, gunshot, thigh and chest.  
<sup>1391</sup>/<sub>1278</sub> R.P. Mule Driver, Chur Muhammad, dangerous, gunshot, head.  
 J. A. H. POLLOCK, Major,  
 Commanding 1st Sikh Infantry,  
 Punjab Frontier Force.  
 Datta Khel, June 10, 1897.

1st Regiment of Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force.

Return of Casualties in action at Maizar (Tochi Valley), on June 10, 1897.

Summary.

- British Officers—Killed, nil ; wounded, 1 ; missing, nil.  
 Native Officers—Killed, 1 ; wounded, nil ; missing, nil.  
 Non-Commissioned Officers and Men—killed, 7 ; wounded, 6 ; missing, nil.

Nominal Return of Officers Killed.

Subadadar Sundar Singh, gunshot wound.  
 Wounded.

Lieutenant C. L. S. Seton-Browne, severe, gunshot wound of thigh.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed.

- 295 Naick Bur Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.  
 4663 Lance-Naick Kanaiya Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.  
 245 Sepoy Dalel Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.  
 809 Sepoy Dyal Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.  
 1025 Sepoy Indar Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.  
 1027 Sepoy Wariam Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.  
 1031 Sepoy Nand Singh, gunshot wound, locality not known.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

- 651 Sepoy Fakir Khan, slight, gunshot wound of leg.  
 654 Sepoy Rassul Khan, severe, gunshot wound of thigh.  
 993 Sepoy Alla Singh, slight, gunshot wound of back.  
 1026 Sepoy Dhulip Singh, slight, gunshot wound of back.  
 1022 Sepoy Shere Singh, slight, gunshot wound of hand.  
 774 Sepoy Nur Dad, severe, gunshot wound of calf.  
 W. Du G. GRAY, Lieutenant-Colonel,  
 Commanding 1st Punjab Infantry.  
 Dhatta Khel, June 15, 1897.

No. 233, "Disturbances," dated Datta Khel, the 20th June, 1897, from Lieutenant-Colonel W. Du G. Gray, Commanding Tochi Valley Troops, to the Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Frontier Force.

IN continuation of my letter No. 230, dated 16th instant, I have the honour to report further on several instances of individual conduct.

2. After the two Royal Artillery officers had fallen, that is almost immediately after the attack began, the gunners continued to fire under the orders of their non-commissioned officers, until their ammunition was expended ; in No. 3 Sub-division firing blank by the Havildar's orders when the shells were expended, until the mules were ready. The men serving this gun were—Havildar Nihal Singh, Naick Utam Chand, Gunners Jowala Singh, Chet Singh and Diwan Singh (II). The carriage mule being wounded, Havildar Nihal Singh, Naick Utam Shand and Gunner Jowala Singh carried the gun-carriage to the relief line (about 150 yards). Gunner Chet Singh was wounded in the face when limbering up, and was taken away by Gunner Diwan Singh (II).

In No. 4 Sub-division, although the gun twice turned over backwards, and two lanyards broke, the men continued to fight their gun. They were—Naick Sharaf Ali, Lance-Naick Phulla Khan, Gunner Dulla Khan and Havildar Umar Din (killed). The gun-mule in this Sub-division was wounded just after being limbered up, and threw the gun and bolted. The gun was then carried away by Havildar-Major Muhammad Ismail, Gunner Dulla Khan, and Gunner Lakhu as far as the relief line.

Driver Havildar Rudh Singh gave great help in sending back the wounded, and Salutri Kewal dressed Captain Browne's wound under fire. The drivers all behaved excellently, even loading up the greatcoats on the relief line mules until ordered by Captain Browne to desist. Those whose mules were shot or broke away all helped other drivers, or took their share in carrying the wounded. The Havildar-Major seems to have conducted the retirement of the section in a cool and able manner.

During this first withdrawal Lance-Naick Shah Sowar, 1st Sikhs, behaved with much gallantry, keeping the enemy off with his fire, while he accompanied and helped those carrying Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, who had been wounded.

It is to be remembered that the guns, while being fought as above described, were at a distance of only 100 yards from a threatening enemy, and were under a converging fire from different sides.

3. The stand made at the point C (in the sketch with the previous report) has already been

described. This was under the direction of Subadars Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry,\* and Narain Singh, 1st Sikhs. The latter officer, also, with great presence of mind, removed a large quantity of ammunition from the reserve ammunition boxes of his regiment, and rapidly distributed it. Some was also carried away by Bugler Bela Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry. The value of this ammunition to the force cannot be over-estimated; had it not been rescued, it is difficult to think how the enemy could have been kept off at all.

The following men had been sent under heavy fire to fetch away the ammunition boxes by Subadar Narain Singh: Naick Lachman Singh, 1st Sikhs; Sepoy Shiv Singh, 1st Sikhs, who went back twice, and was afterwards twice wounded; Sepoy Isar Singh, 1st Sikhs; Lance-Naick Atar Singh, 1st Sikhs (killed); and Langri Jhanda Singh, 1st Sikhs.

The conduct of Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, at the place where he died was most heroic.

4. At this place (C) many other men also behaved with great heroism. All those who fell there gave their lives to cover the withdrawal of their comrades. Among the survivors Lance-Naick Ishar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, fought the enemy hand to hand very gallantly there, killing several with his bayonet, and generally rendering great help; and Bugler Bela Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, who has been mentioned above, was again conspicuous, fighting bravely and effectively with a rifle he saved from one of the killed, and later in distributing under fire the ammunition which had been saved.

5. During the first withdrawal to the Kotal, Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikhs, carried Lieutenant Higginson, wounded, away under a very heavy fire. A little later, taking a rifle and ammunition from a dead sepoy, he covered the retreat of a party (consisting of Havildar Muhammad Bakhsh, Naick Khwaja Muhammad and Sepoy Isar Singh, 1st Sikhs), who were carrying Surgeon-Captain Cassidy, wounded, to the rear. He also carried Surgeon-Captain Cassidy part of the way.

Sepoy Allahyar Khan, 1st Punjab Infantry, carried Lieutenant Seton-Browne, wounded, to the Kotal.

Subadar Nawab Khan, 1st Sikhs, was one of the last to leave the scene of the outrage, and both there, and throughout the subsequent retirement, he worked in a very cool and admirable way.

6. During the general retirement from the Kotal towards the place where the reinforcements were met, the ability and coolness of Subadar Narain Singh, 1st Sikhs, mentioned above, were of the greatest value. Lance-Naick Assa Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, did good work in helping Lieutenant Seton-Browne along when the enemy was pressing the retreat.

Sepoy Nurdad, 1st Punjab Infantry, repulsed an attack of a party of the enemy. After shooting down two at a very short distance, he led a successful counter-charge against them, being himself severely wounded.

7. Reference was made in the previous report to the most gallant conduct of the deceased officers—Colonel Bunny, Captain Browne, Royal Artillery, and Subadar Sundar Singh. At the time it was written I was not aware that Lieutenant Cruickshank, Royal Artillery, had also behaved in a most conspicuous manner, getting up and continuing to fight his guns, after being once shot down, until he was killed by another bullet.

\* Killed.

8. The sudden and treacherous way in which the attack began, and the fact that at the very first the men saw all their British officers shot down, make the staunchness and gallantry of the native officers, non-commissioned officers and men, even more praiseworthy than they might otherwise have been.

The indomitable spirit of No. 6 Bombay Mountain Battery is beyond all praise.

9. The conspicuous behaviour of Lieutenants Higginson and Seton-Browne in conducting the retirement, while severely wounded, has been mentioned before.

10. I trust the General Officer Commanding may see fit to recommend these two British officers and all native officers, non-commissioned officers and men mentioned by name above for a signal reward for their gallantry. And I would also ask permission to submit a list of those killed at the garden wall (the point C), with a view to the recognition of their splendid conduct being extended to their widows or heirs.

11. When the previous report was written the casualties were under-stated. They were as follows:—

#### Killed.

1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) Punjab Cavalry—Horses and Mules, 3.

No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery—British Officers, 2; Non-commissioned Officers and Men, 2; Horses and Mules, 4.

1st Sikhs—British Officers, 1; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, 12; Followers, 1; Officers' Chargers, 3.

1st Punjab Infantry—Native Officers, 1; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, 7; Officers' Chargers, 1.

Total—British Officers, 3; Native Officers, 1; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, 21; Followers, 1; Officers' Chargers, 4; Horses and Mules, 7.

#### Wounded.

1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) Punjab Cavalry—Non-Commissioned Officers and Men (slightly), 1.

No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery—Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, dangerously, 1, severely, 2; Followers, slightly, 1; Horses and Mules, 5.

1st Sikhs—Followers, dangerously, 1\*; British Officers, severely, 2; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, severely, 11; Native Officers, slightly, 2; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, slightly, 7.

1st Punjab Infantry—British Officers, severely, 1; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, severely, 2, slightly, 4.

Total—Dangerously: Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, 1; Followers, 1. Severely: British Officers, 3; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, 15. Slightly: Native Officers, 2; Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, 12; Followers, 1; Horses and Mules, 5.

Total—Killed, 26, and 11 horses and mules; Wounded, 35, and 5 mules.

Also 24 baggage mules missing.

12. Lists of property lost are now attached.†

13. Though it is not my business to report on civil officers, it would be unjust to omit mentioning that Mr. Gee's exertions and presence of mind were of great value in the help he rendered during the retirement and in sending to call up the reinforcements.

\* Since dead.

† These lists are not printed.

*Foreign Office, August 28, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the following Consular Officers of the United States of America:—Mr. J. P. Bray as Consul-General at Melbourne; Mr. J. G. Foster as Consul-General at Halifax, N.S.; Mr. C. E. Turner as Consul-General at Ottawa; Mr. S. M. Taylor as Consul at Glasgow; Mr. W. J. Touville as Consul at Belfast; Mr. D. T. Phillips as Consul at Cardiff; Mr. W. P. Smythe as Consul at Hull; Mr. J. Johnston as Consul at Sheffield; Mr. H. W. Metcalf as Consul at Newcastle-on-Tyne; Mr. J. G. Stevens as Consul at Plymouth; Mr. J. C. Higgins as Consul at Dundee; Mr. W. W. Henry as Consul at Quebec; Mr. I. B. Myers as Consul at St. John, N.B.; Mr. A. E. Smith as Consul at Victoria, B.C.; Mr. L. E. Dudley as Consul at Vancouver; Mr. F. Dillingham as Consul at Auckland; Mr. W. L. Sewell as Consul at Toronto; Mr. O. Bedell as Consul at Fort Erie; Mr. J. M. Shepard as Consul at Hamilton, Ont.; Mr. W. H. Bradley as Consul at Tunstall; Mr. C. Deal as Consul at St. John's, Quebec; Mr. P. Lang as Consul at Sherbrooke, Quebec; Mr. M. J. Burke as Consul at Port Stanley and St. Thomas; Mr. D. J. Vail as Consul at Charlottetown; Mr. R. H. Ford as Consul at Yarmouth, N.S.; Mr. G. N. West as Consul at Sydney, N.S.; Mr. F. C. Denison as Consul at Woodstock, N.B.; Mr. R. Wildman as Consul at Hong Kong; and Mr. L. A. Dent as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica.

*Foreign Office, August 28, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. P. Kempermann as Consul-General of Germany at Sydney for Australia; of Mr. A. Viollier R. to be Consul of Chile at Southampton; of Mr. L. R. Bunster as Consul of Chile at Bristol; of Mr. P. A. Ewing as Consul of Chile at Hull; of Mr. C. May as Consul of Liberia at Freetown, Sierra Leone; of Mr. W. E. Heard as Consul of Venezuela at Newport; of Mr. C. C. Relph as Consul of the Greater Republic of Central America at Liverpool; of Mr. A. C. Dunlop as Consul of the Greater Republic of Central America at Southampton; of Mr. W. H. Phillipps as Consul of Belgium at Adelaide; of Mr. S. D. Young as Consul of Siam at Colombo; of Mr. Visart de Bury as Vice-Consul of Belgium at St. John, N.B.; and of Mr. J. B. Taylor as Vice-Consul of Colombia at Dundee.

*Downing Street, September 6, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of George Ruthven Le Hunte, Esq., Barrister-at-Law (Colonial Secretary of Barbados), to be Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Mauritius.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Ralph Champney Williams, Esq. (Colonial Treasurer of Gibraltar), to be Colonial Secretary of the Island of Barbados.

*Downing Street, September 7, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the re-appointment of James Jonathan Thomas, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Lagos.

*Education Department, Whitehall,*

*September 3, 1897.*

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,  
1870-1893.**

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Borough:—

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*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),  
London, September 6, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, reporting that arrivals from Tor, in Egypt, and Djeddah, in Arabia, are excluded from the Rules set forth in the Notice of 14th April last.

*Admiralty, 3rd September, 1897.*

Staff Paymaster Joseph William Chaster has been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 3rd September, 1897.

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Second Lieutenants. Dated 1st September, 1897:—

Richard Foster Carter Foster.  
Charles Arthur Bishop.  
Frederick George Tanqueray-Willaume.  
Harold Dening.  
Edwin Harold Barr.  
George Cyril Woodcock.  
Maurice Leader Knight.  
Basil Alexander Hill.  
Arthur Frederick Salkeld.  
Edwin Wright.  
Oswald Copley Harrington Harrington.

*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Second Lieutenants. Dated 1st September, 1897:—

Bernard Calwoodley Gardiner.  
Frank Valiant Temple.  
Richard Noel White.  
Cyrus Hunter Regnart.  
Hugh Salusbury Lloyd.  
Gerald Robert Stedall Hickson.  
Harold Ozaune.  
Lewis Charles Lampen.  
Charles Shelton.  
John Gilbert Horne.  
Egerton Willoughby Still.  
Lawrence Norcock.

*Admiralty, 4th September, 1897.*

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

Lieutenant Edward Leroux Wilson has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 1st September, 1897.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 30th April, 1877—

Fleet Engineer William Robert McAvoy has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Inspector of Machinery. Dated 31st August, 1897.

*Admiralty, 6th September, 1897.*

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

Commander James Browning Young has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 6th September, 1897.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lennox Davis has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th November, 1896.

*War Office, Pall Mall,**7th September, 1897.*

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant William Alexander C. Cockburn to be Captain, vice W. H. Persse, seconded. Dated 9th July, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Joseph Hopkins, from 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Quartermaster, vice Honorary Captain F. H. Charters, who exchanges. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*4th Dragoon Guards*, Second Lieutenant Ralph B. H. Gibbins resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Frank H. Charters, from 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Quartermaster, vice Honorary Lieutenant J. Hopkins, who exchanges. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*6th Dragoon Guards*, Second Lieutenant M. M. Moncrieff to be Lieutenant, vice H. J. Smith, resigned. Dated 1st September, 1897.

*10th Hussars*, Lieutenant Lord George W. Montagu-Douglas-Scott to be Captain, vice the Honourable Everard Baring, seconded. Dated 25th June, 1897.

Second Lieutenant C. W. H. Crichton to be Lieutenant, vice Lord George W. Montagu-Douglas-Scott. Dated 25th June, 1897.

*11th Hussars*, Lieutenant Harold Vernon Barnard Byles, from 4th Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, vice G. T. Williams, promoted. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*16th Lancers*, Captain Herbert C. Dugdale retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*Remount Establishment*, Major M. F. Rimington, 6th Dragoons, to be a Staff Captain, vice Major D. E. Wood, 8th Hussars, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st September, 1897.

*Royal Malta Artillery*, Second Lieutenant C. A. Denaro to be Lieutenant (with local and temporary rank), to complete establishment. Dated 11th August, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants (with local and temporary rank) to be Lieutenants (with local and temporary rank), to complete establishment. Dated 11th August, 1897:—

- O. M. Carbonaro.
- J. M. O. De Domenico.
- V. C. Micallef.
- J. Salomone.
- H. Sammut.

*Royal Engineers*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 17th August, 1897:—

- Arthur ff. Garrett.
- John D. Monro.

- Malcolm R. Elles.
- James R. E. Charles.
- Frank G. Turner.
- Maurice E. Sowerby.
- William R. G. Wollen.
- Bertram W. Y. Danford.
- Alfred S. Holme.
- Conrad C. H. Hogg.
- Herbert T. G. Moore.

*Grenadier Guards*, Second Lieutenant the Honourable Ferdinand C. Stanley to be Lieutenant, vice F. E. G. Ponsonby, seconded. Dated 30th July, 1897.

*Coldstream Guards*, Lieutenant Randal C. E. Skeffington-Smyth to be Captain, vice C. A. A. Frederick, appointed to Command the Guards' Depot. Dated 1st August, 1897.

*Scots Guards*, Second Lieutenant M. Barne to be Lieutenant, vice F. G. J. Manners, promoted. Dated 5th May, 1897.

## REGIMENTAL DISTRICT.

Colonel George A. Lee, on completion of his period of service in command of the 16th Regimental District (the Bedfordshire Regiment), is placed on half-pay. Dated 1st September, 1897.

Brevet Colonel Sir G. A. de Hoche-pied-Lar-pent, Bart., from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, to be Colonel to Command the 16th Regimental District (the Bedfordshire Regiment), vice Colonel G. A. Lee. Dated 1st September, 1897.

## LINE BATTALIONS.

*The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Captain A. V. D. FitzGerald to be Major, vice E. P. Morgan-Payler, promoted. Dated 21st August, 1897.

*The King's (Liverpool Regiment)*, Captain Henry J. W. Guise to be Major, vice S. H. Harrison, promoted. Dated 11th August, 1897.

Captain Hugh Elliot is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 1st September, 1897.

Supernumerary Captain Harington Swann to be Captain, vice H. Elliot. Dated 1st September, 1897.

*The Norfolk Regiment*, Second Lieutenant G. R. P. Wheatley to be Lieutenant, vice P. S. Mathews, deceased. Dated 3rd August, 1897.

*The Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Lieutenant Edward P. W. Cobb is placed temporarily on the Half-pay List. Dated 5th September, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Henry E. White is placed on retired pay. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*The South Wales Borderers*, Lieutenant Francis G. C. M. Morgan is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 9th January, 1897.

The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are ante-dated as follows:—

- H. W. Stevens to 16th November, 1896, vice F. I. Day, seconded.
- R. B. Airey to 9th January, 1897, vice F. G. C. M. Morgan.
- C. S. Stooks to 8th April, 1897, vice E. W. Jones, promoted.

The restoration to the establishment of Supernumerary Lieutenant E. C. Margesson is vice M. J. B. de la Poer Beresford, promoted, and not as previously stated.



*The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers*, The under-mentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Edward J. Buckley, vice T. G. C. Reynolds, seconded. Dated 7th June, 1897.

Ambrose St. Q. Ricardo, vice G. E. Matthey, deceased. Dated 6th August, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. Coast, vice E. J. Buckley. Dated 7th June, 1897.

J. Evans, vice A. St. Q. Ricardo. Dated 6th August, 1897.

*The Worcestershire Regiment*, Lieutenant Charles H. Bennett to be Captain, vice J. G. R. Swanson, resigned. Dated 11th August, 1897. Second Lieutenant B. O. Richards to be Lieutenant, vice C. H. Bennett. Dated 11th August, 1897.

*The East Lancashire Regiment*, Captain Philip B. MacAdam retires on retired pay. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*The East Surrey Regiment*, The first Christian name of Second Lieutenant T. I. N. Mears is Trevor and not as stated in the Gazette of 23rd March, 1897.

*The Hampshire Regiment*, Lieutenant Arthur B. Ennis to be Captain, in succession to Major C. de Winton, Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 30th June, 1897.

Second Lieutenant H. L. C. Turner to be Lieutenant, vice A. B. Ennis. Dated 30th June, 1897.

*The Welsh Regiment*, Supernumerary Captain Edward G. Wynyard, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice J. R. P. Clarke, retired. Dated 22nd August, 1897.

*The Essex Regiment*, Captain Launcelot R. Carleton is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 14th August, 1897.

*The King's Royal Rifle Corps*, Captain Francis M. Beaumont to be Major, vice H. Vere, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel on half-pay. Dated 21st August, 1897.

Captain Hugh Blomfield Nicholson is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 26th August, 1897.

Supernumerary Captain Norman N. Bedingsfeld to be Captain, vice H. B. Nicholson. Dated 1st September, 1897.

*The Royal Munster Fusiliers*, Lieutenant Ernest E. B. Bruno to be Captain, vice A. F. Mann, appointed Adjutant, 4th Battalion. Dated 2nd August, 1897.

Second Lieutenant G. A. Perreau to be Lieutenant, vice E. E. B. Bruno. Dated 2nd August, 1897.

*The Hong Kong Regiment*, Jemadar Khwaj Baksh to be Subadar, vice Saif Ali Khan, retired. Dated 11th July, 1897.

Pay Havildar Najib Ali Khan to be Jemadar, vice Khwaj Baksh. Dated 11th July, 1897.

*Staff*, Brevet Colonel J. R. Slade, C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay Royal Artillery, to be a Colonel on the Staff for Royal Artillery, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Colonel H. St. J. V. Le M. Thomas-Le Marchant, retired. Dated 24th August, 1897.

Captain J. H. R. Bailey, Grenadier Guards, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General H. Trotter, Commanding the Troops Home District. Dated 16th July, 1897.

*Royal Military College*, The undermentioned Officers to be Instructors. Dated 25th August, 1897:—

Captain N. W. Cuthbertson, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), vice Captain A. H. C. Kenney-Herbert, the Northamptonshire Regiment, whose period of service in that appointment has expired.

Captain C. Moofe, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), vice Major A. F. Gatliff, Royal Marines, whose period of service in that appointment has expired.

Captain Sir Charles Cuyler, Bart., the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, vice Captain E. G. Wynyard, D.S.O., the Welsh Regiment, whose period of service in that appointment has expired.

*Army Medical Staff*, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel James FitzGerald Brodie, M.D., retires on retired pay. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*Army Ordnance Department*, Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Watson, now an Inspector, to be a Chief Inspector, vice Honorary Commissary-General of Ordnance and Honorary Colonel J. T. Barrington, retired pay, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 5th September, 1897.

Lieutenant G. Etherington, Coast Battalion, Royal Engineers, to be Assistant to the Inspector of Royal Engineer Stores, vice Captain W. Montgomery, Coast Battalion Royal Engineers, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 1st April, 1897.

*Army Pay Department*, Staff Paymaster and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Maunsell is placed on retired pay. Dated 4th September, 1897.

Captain G. G. O'N. Ray, from the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, having resigned his Combatant Commission, to be Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 5th September, 1896.

*Half-Pay*, Major Charles Crutchley, Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General for Recruiting at Head-Quarters, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th September, 1897.

#### BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:— Lieutenant-Colonel Charles M. Keighley, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps. Dated 3rd April, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lewis Dening, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps. Dated 11th May, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel James H. F. Nutt, Royal Artillery. Dated 19th August, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis W. Robinson, half-pay. Dated 19th August, 1897.

Captain Richard Alfred Poer O'Shee, Royal Engineers, to be Major, in recognition of his services during the recent punitive expedition to Benin. Dated 22nd July, 1897.

#### INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel George A. Jacob is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 21st August, 1897.

#### INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned Colonels to be Major-Generals. Dated 12th August, 1897:—

Frank H. B. Marsh, Bengal Infantry.

Vincent W. Tregear, C.B., Bengal Infantry.

Major-General Frank H. B. Marsh, Bengal Infantry, is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 12th August, 1897.



## MEMORANDA.

Colonel Henry J. W. Gehle, Colonel on the Staff, Commanding Royal Engineer, Eastern District, is placed on retired pay. Dated 3rd September, 1897.

Colonel Oswald R. Middleton, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 4th September, 1897.

The undermentioned Officers on completion of their period of service on the Staff are placed on half-pay:—

Brevet Colonel the Honourable Frederick William Stopford. Dated 1st September, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel Jasper Selwyn Tupper. Dated 31st August, 1897.

Major M. J. Meade, Indian Staff Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed in Persia. Dated 10th June, 1897.

Riding-Master and Honorary Captain John Wilken, Royal Artillery, is granted the honorary rank of Major on appointment to the Riding Establishment, Royal Artillery. Dated 16th August, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant James White, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 31st August, 1897.

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The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 8th September, 1897:—

*Royal Horse Guards*, Charles Stewart Henry, Viscount Castlereagh, vice the Honourable R. F. Molyneux, promoted.

Harold Ernest Brassey, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable A. H. C. Hanbury-Tracy, seconded.

*1st Dragoon Guards*, Duncan Mackinnon Gray, vice H. F. Wickham, promoted.

*3rd Dragoon Guards*, George Trevor-Roper Cook, vice J. Ferguson, resigned.

*6th Dragoon Guards*, Aubrey du Plat Thorold Cole, vice M. M. Moncrieff.

*7th Dragoon Guards*, William Reginald Haldane Jenkins, vice W. Taylor, promoted.

*8th Hussars*, Guy Macaulay Mort, vice R. S. V. Dyas, promoted.

*9th Lancers*, Frederick William Lawrence Shepard Hart Cavendish, on augmentation.

Stanley Reay Theobald, on augmentation.

*13th Hussars*, James Denis Lyons, vice the Honourable H. W. W. Horsley-Beresford, resigned.

*15th Hussars*, Percy Greenwood Molyneux, vice O. B. Walker, promoted.

*21st Lancers*, Edward Ashford Martin, vice C. G. G. Hutchison, promoted.

*Grenadier Guards*, Humphrey St. Leger Stucley, vice the Honourable E. D. Loch, promoted.

Aymer Edward Maxwell, in succession to Lieutenant F. E. G. Ponsonby, seconded.

*Coldstream Guards*, William Harry Verelst Darell, on augmentation.

Philip Arthur Macgregor, on augmentation.

George Windsor Clive, vice the Honourable G. V. Baring, promoted.

The Honourable Charles Douglas-Pennant, vice H. A. Chandos-Pole-Gell, promoted.

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## LINE BATTALIONS.

*The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Charles Lempriere Price, vice J. C. Henderson, resigned.

Charles de Veulle Autridge, vice C. G. Hutchinson, promoted.

*The Buffs (East Kent Regiment)*, Henry Hume Chisholm Baird, vice L. C. E. Knight, promoted.

William George Frederick Barnard, vice F. J. Engelbach, promoted.

*The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment)*, Charles Edward McIver Morrison, vice R. G. Parker, promoted.

William Ernest Streatfeild Woodgate, vice E. M. Townsend, resigned.

*The Lincolnshire Regiment*, Philip Douglas Earle, vice F. W. Stringer, promoted.

*The Devonshire Regiment*, Sherard Osborn, vice W. M. Goodwyn, promoted.

*The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)*, Octavius Henry Lothian Nicholson, vice W. D. Surtees, placed on temporary half-pay.

*The East Yorkshire Regiment*, Arthur Ingram Musson, vice W. E. Campion, promoted.

*The Royal Irish Regiment*, John Gaylard Lawrence, vice C. de J. Luxmoore, promoted.

Dudley Barton, vice L. J. Lipsett, promoted.

*The South Wales Borderers*, Charles Edward Kitchin, vice C. L. Taylor, promoted.

Basil George Bagot Paton (Honorary Queen's Cadet), vice R. B. Airey, promoted.

*The King's Own Scottish Borderers*, William Thornton Wilkinson, in succession to Lieutenant R. I. Chamberlain, seconded.

George Butler Stoney, vice H. F. Pipe-Wolferstan, promoted.

John Henry Woodside Morgan (Honorary Queen's Cadet), vice J. D. Stirling, promoted.

*The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Mark Kerr, vice S. Laurence, promoted.

*The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers*, Algernon Cautley Jeffcoat, vice J. A. Byrne, promoted.

*The Gloucestershire Regiment*, Eustace Ball Maunsell, vice A. H. Radice, promoted.

Archibald Alastair McLeod (Honorary Queen's Cadet), vice K. Williams, promoted.

*The Worcestershire Regiment*, John Dashwood Buller, vice H. Crawshay, promoted.

*The East Lancashire Regiment*, Herbert Laurence Wethered, vice C. E. Wilson, promoted.

*The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, Harry Dundas Goldsmith, vice C. B. Norton, promoted.

Charles Stanton Boulton, vice R. W. Young, promoted.

*The Border Regiment*, George Ernest Beaty-Pownall, vice H. Nelson, promoted.

*The Hampshire Regiment*, John Clementi, vice J. Grattan, promoted.

*The Dorsetshire Regiment*, Ivan Harwood Kitchin, vice F. W. Radcliffe, promoted.

Henry Kelso Utterson, on augmentation.

*The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Harold Robert Kane, vice D'O. B. Dawson, promoted.

Charles William Melvill (Honorary Queen's Cadet), vice W. O. Grant, promoted.

*The Welsh Regiment*, Christopher Robert Berkeley, vice F. A. Wyllie, promoted.

*The Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, Cyril Halsted Frith, vice S. F. Hammick, promoted.

*The Northamptonshire Regiment*, Frederick Thesiger Williams, vice H. R. H. Drew, promoted.

*Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment)*, Gerald Ponsonby Sneyd Hunt, vice H. Street, promoted.

*The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Richard Murray Gregorie Tulloch, vice R. B. Hope, promoted.

Lionel Henry Hickson, vice C. Druce, promoted.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment)*, Lindsay Elliott Lumley Burne, vice C. H. K. Chauncy, promoted.

*The Manchester Regiment*, Francis Holland Dorling, vice G. A. J. Godbold, promoted.

Arthur Frank Bunbury, vice J. A. Willington, promoted into the West India Regiment.

Charles FitzGerald Hamilton Trueman, vice B. A. Wright, promoted.

*The York and Lancaster Regiment*, Hugh Roger Headlam, vice C. E. J. Brown, resigned.

*Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's)*, William Montgomerie Thomson, vice R. R. Stewart, resigned.

*The Royal Irish Rifles*, Ernest George Dunn, vice R. A. C. Daunt.

Ernest Howie Saunders, vice J. W. Alston, promoted.

Adrian Francis Theodore Hughes, vice S. K. Flint, seconded.

*Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers)*, Reginald John Kentish, vice A. L. W. Hughes, promoted.

*The Connaught Rangers*, James Pearson Stockley, vice K. G. Crockett, deceased.

*Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Gervase Thorpe, vice H. H. G. Hyslop, promoted.

*The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians)*, Richard Montague Kaynsford, vice H. G. R. Wakéfield, promoted.

William Graham Montgomerie (Queen's India Cadet), vice J. R. Moffatt, promoted.

*The Royal Munster Fusiliers*, George Julian Ryan, vice G. T. Bradford, promoted.

*The Royal Dublin Fusiliers*, Lewis Frederick Renny, vice G. N. Cory, promoted.

*The West India Regiment*, Montgomerie Caulfeild Leathley Caulfeild-Stoker, vice A. C. S. Durnford, deceased.

Louis Kossuth Brounlie, on augmentation.

John Arthur Greer, on augmentation.

War Office, 7th September, 1897.

#### MILITIA.

##### ROYAL ARTILLERY.

*The Kent Artillery (Eastern Division)*, Captain H. A. H. F. Lennard is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division)*, George Matthews Lindsay Irvine-Moore, Gent., late Lieutenant 3rd Battalion the Royal Irish Rifles, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*The Fife Artillery (Southern Division)*, Robert Digmores Morris Keate, Gent., is re-appointed Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

William Vere Brandram Webb, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*The Londonderry Artillery (Southern Division)*, Lieutenant D. Stewart is seconded for service in the Straits Settlements. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*The Waterford Artillery (Southern Division)*, John Joseph O'Neill-Power, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

#### ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

*Royal Anglesey*, Lewis Harry Goring Lloyd, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

#### INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, *the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Lieutenant M. W. G. Bell to be Captain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

3rd Battalion, *the Northumberland Fusiliers*, Captain R. J. Roddam is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th September, 1897.

4th Battalion, *the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel H. N. B. Good is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 8th September, 1897.

4th Battalion, *the Devonshire Regiment*, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry J. FitzL. Horner to be Captain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

3rd Battalion, *the Leicestershire Regiment*, Captain and Instructor of Musketry H. R. R. Robertson-Cuninghame, from the 3rd Battalion the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), to be Captain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

4th Battalion, *the South Wales Borderers*, Francis Lucas Clements Scott, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

3rd Battalion, *the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Lieutenant F. Wood resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

3rd Battalion, *the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Trevor Lloyd Blunden Soutry, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

4th Battalion, *the Royal Irish Rifles*, Leslie George de Rune Barclay, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

5th Battalion, *the Connaught Rangers*, The promotion of Lieutenant M. F. Murray to be Captain, which appeared in the London Gazette of the 25th June, 1897, should have borne date the 31st May, 1897, and not as therein stated.

#### YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Derbyshire*, Major R. W. Chandos-Pole is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*Montgomeryshire*, Captain J. C. Munro resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire)*, Geoffrey Nicolas Charlton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

#### VOLUNTEER CORPS.

##### ARTILLERY.

2nd Hampshire (*Southern Division, Royal Artillery*), Acting Chaplain the Reverend Cosmo Gordon Lang, M.A., from the 1st Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

1st Forfarshire, William Stewart Sandeman, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*7th Lancashire (the Manchester Artillery)*, Surgeon-Captain D. Macneilage resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Glamorganshire*, Captain R. C. M. Ingram resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*1st Newcastle-on-Tyne (Western Division, Royal Artillery)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. Coxon. Dated 8th September, 1897.

H. J. C. Firth. Dated 8th September, 1897.

**ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).**

*1st Durham*, Major J. B. Furneaux to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Tower Hamlets ("East London")*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

O. R. B. Johnstone. Dated 8th September, 1897.

F. E. Timewell. Dated 8th September, 1897.

G. W. Walters. Dated 8th September, 1897.

**THE ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS.**

John Joseph Francis O'Shaughnessy, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

**RIFLE.**

*6th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Captain D. W. Anderson is appointed Instructor of Musketry under the provisions of paragraph 59 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment*, Captain Godfrey Massy, the Norfolk Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain H. C. Godley, the Northamptonshire Regiment, whose period of service expires. Dated 15th September, 1897.

*Cadet Corps attached to the 1st (Exeter and South Devon) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, Alfred Robert Johnson, Gent., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment*, Cyril Claude Tuck, Esq., formerly Captain, to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment*, Captain H. J. Edwards is appointed Instructor of Musketry under the provisions of paragraph 59 of the Volunteer Regulations 1896. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Alexander Hanbury Sparrow, Esq., formerly Lieutenant, to be Captain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Second Lieutenant R. C. Greig to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. J. Shiles. Dated 8th September, 1897.

S. S. Marling. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment*, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Captain A. Kenyon. Dated 8th September, 1897.

Second Lieutenant A. M. Sinclair. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Lieutenant A. E. Atkinson to be Captain. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd (Westmoreland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. H. Heelis. Dated 8th September, 1897.

T. Jones. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*1st (City of Dundee) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Lieutenant D. H. Brand resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Captain W. Denton is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*, Captain and Honorary Major J. P. Goodair resigns his Commission. Dated 8th September, 1897.

Second Lieutenant W. Swindlehurst to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Northamptonshire Regiment*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. T. Page. Dated 8th September, 1897.

W. A. Swannell. Dated 8th September, 1897.

H. Butlin. Dated 8th September, 1897.

H. H. Staton. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. H. Valentine. Dated 8th September, 1897.

S. D. Duck. Dated 8th September, 1897.

Second Lieutenant J. McCall resigns his Commission and is appointed Quartermaster. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*6th Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment*, The undermentioned Majors are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel:—

J. R. H. Jones. Dated 8th September, 1897.

G. H. Hollingworth. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment*, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. Bamforth resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 8th September, 1897.

*5th (Glasgow Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry*, Captain and Instructor of Musketry A. Birrell resigns the appointment of Instructor of Musketry under the provisions of paragraph 59 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 8th September, 1897.

Captain W. G. Fleming is appointed Instructor of Musketry under the provisions of paragraph 59 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 8th September, 1896.

*6th Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders*, Captain W. Grant is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th September, 1897.

**COAL MINES REGULATION ACT, 1887.**  
**METALLIFEROUS MINES REGULATION ACTS, 1872 AND 1875.**

**QUARRIES ACT, 1894.**

**FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACTS, 1878 TO 1895.**

THE Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal

Secretaries of State, has appointed Arthur Darlin Nicholson, Esq., to be an Assistant Inspector of Mines under the Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1887, and has directed him to act also as an Inspector for the purposes of the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Acts, 1872 and 1875, and of the Quarries Act, 1894; and has, further, appointed him to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops for the purposes of the Factory and Workshop Acts, 1878 to 1895.

Whitehall, September 6, 1897.

ORDER of the Local Government Board:  
Altering General Accounts Order: Appointment of Stocktaker:—

Petworth Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Petworth Union:—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by General Orders of the Poor Law Board, dated respectively the 14th day of January, 1867, and the 16th day of February, 1869, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the Petworth Union (amongst others), it is required that certain Accounts relating to the provisions, clothing, and other stores in the Workhouse, when made up and balanced, shall be submitted to the Visiting Committee or to some Member thereof, who shall enter a memorandum at the foot of such Accounts, certifying to the same having been submitted, and to the correctness, or otherwise, of such Accounts as regards the stock remaining in store:

And whereas it is expedient to empower the said Guardians to appoint a competent person or persons to examine the stores at the Workhouse belonging to the said Union, and to perform the other duties hereinafter set forth:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—The Guardians of the Poor of the said Petworth Union may, as and when they shall think fit to do so, appoint a competent person or persons to perform the duties of a Stocktaker as hereinafter set forth.

ARTICLE II.—Every such appointment shall be made in the manner prescribed by the Regulations, as to the appointment of Officers, in force in the said Union for the time being.

ARTICLE III.—The Guardians shall pay to the person or persons appointed under this Order such salary or remuneration as We may from time to time direct or approve.

ARTICLE IV.—Every person appointed under this Order shall hold office until he shall die, or resign, or be dismissed by the Guardians, subject to Our consent; or be removed by Us, or be proved to be insane by evidence which We may deem sufficient; and the said Guardians shall give notice to Us of every such death or resignation, and state the cause of such resignation, so far as it may be known to them.

Provided nevertheless, that the Guardians may, if they think fit, with Our assent, appoint a person or persons to discharge the duties hereby prescribed for the Stocktaker for a limited period only.

ARTICLE V.—The Stocktaker shall, on the day next after the termination of each quarter, and at any other time when required by the Guardians to do so, examine the stores at the Workhouse and compare the same with the quantities of stock remaining in store as shown by the entries in the proper columns in the Accounts termed respectively the "Quarterly Balance of the Provisions Account"

and the "Quarterly Balance of the Necessaries and Miscellaneous Account."

He shall also, on the day next after the termination of each half-year, and at any other time when required by the Guardians to do so, examine the stock of clothing at the Workhouse and compare the same with the balance appearing in the Accounts termed respectively the "Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Account" and the "Clothing Receipt and Expenditure Account."

ARTICLE VI.—After making the examination and comparison referred to in Article V, the Stocktaker, if he find the stock to be correct, shall sign a certificate at the foot of each of the aforesaid Accounts in the following form:—

"Submitted to me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_, and found to be correct as regards the quantities of stock remaining in "store.

"(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
"Stocktaker."

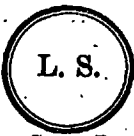
If he find the stock to be in any respect incorrect, he shall make such addition to the said certificate as he may deem necessary, specifying the particulars in which he finds the quantities of stock to be incorrectly stated.

ARTICLE VII.—The Master of the Workhouse shall, when required by the Stocktaker to do so, on the days and at the times referred to in Article V, submit to him the stores and Accounts therein mentioned, and render to him such assistance as may be necessary for the purpose of such examination and comparison as aforesaid.

ARTICLE VIII.—The Master of the Workhouse shall lay each of the said Accounts before the Guardians at their next meeting after the date of the entry therein of any such certificate as aforesaid.

ARTICLE IX.—So long as a Stocktaker is appointed it shall not be necessary for the Visiting Committee to examine the stores or to enter in any Account the memorandum required by the above-cited Order dated the fourteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this fourth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.



*M. W. Ridley,*  
One of the Ex-officio Members  
of the Local Government Board.

*S. B. Provis,* Assistant Secretary.

#### THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

Ralph Paget has resigned his appointment as Temporary Assistant Inspector of the Board of Agriculture for the purposes of the above-mentioned Acts.

Board of Agriculture, 6th September, 1897.

#### ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 6TH SEPTEMBER 1897.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The provisions of the Markets and Fairs

(Swine-Fever) Order of 1896 dated the eleventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six shall not extend or apply to the Districts named in the Schedule to this Order, and the Order of the Board of the same date applying the provisions of the first-mentioned Order to certain Districts and parts of Districts named in the Schedule to that Order shall be read and have effect as if the Districts named in the Schedule to this Order were not included in the Schedule to that Order.

2. Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, such Order before the commencement of this Order.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the ninth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this sixth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.



J. T. Tennant,  
Assistant Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE.

*Districts to which this Order applies.*

County of Forfar.  
Burgh of Arbroath.  
Burgh of Brechin.  
Burgh of Dundee.  
Burgh of Forfar.  
Burgh of Montrose.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

*Civil Service Commission, September 7, 1897.*

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

*September 2, 1897.*

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Admiralty: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor),* George William Percy Martin.

*General Prisons Board, Ireland: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor),* John Armstrong.

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London,* Florence Vince.

*Female Telegraph Learner in the London Postal Districts,* Ellen Kate Brittan.

*Female Learner, Glasgow,* Agnes Catherine Milne Chalmers.

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Post Office: Skilled Lineman,* Alfred Stiles.

*Postmen,* James Charles Maguire (Heywood), William Frederick Moss (Woolwich), Harry Poynter (Southampton), Thomas Griffith Pugh (Rhyl), Harry Reeves (Exeter), Henry Scott (Rochdale), Michael Sheehan (Killarney).

*September 3, 1897.*

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Science and Art Department: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors),* William Hampson, Peter Kirkaldy.

*Post Office: Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank Department,* Nancie Blanche Avent.

*Female Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London,* Edith Kate Emma Hodgson, Mary Eleanor Delany Lawlor.

*Female Telegraph Learner in the London Postal Districts,* Esther Florence Hayes.

*Female Sorter, London,* Edith Annie Freeman.

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Post Office: Postman, London,* Herbert Reddall.

*Porter, London,* William Henry McFeely.

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Birmingham,* William Kestell Arnold, Frederick Henry French, Harry Grove.

*Postmen,* William James Beere (Newton-le-Willows), George Eli Churcher (Tunbridge Wells), Augustus Ginder (Oldham), Charles McDonald (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

*September 4, 1897.*

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Home Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor),* Robert Robinson.

*Navy: Engineer Student,* Thomas Henry Greenwood.

*Post Office: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors),* William John Coverley, Charles Harvey Crisp, Herbert Innocent, Harold Owen Morgan, Joseph Winfield.

*Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank Department,* Lilian Russell.

*Female Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London,* Margaret Mary Gallally, Florence Rush.

*Male Learner, Liverpool,* Thomas Frederick McCrory.

*Female Learners, Glasgow,* Julia Stewart Aitchison, Jessie McAulay Macrae, Euphemia Jessie Robertson.

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I,* Ernest Lewis James Marsh.

*Post Office: Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners,* Percy Arthur Cornish (Bristol), Mabel Criswell (Uckfield), Henry Gifford (Downpatrick), Charlotte Elizabeth McLees (Brighton), Alfred Richard James Mee (Gravesend), Percival Vernon Scott (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

*Postmen,* Ernest George Austin (Watford), George William Brown (Cheltenham), Michael Browne (Ennis), James Cassie Davidson (Fraserburgh), Albert James Fletcher (Bristol).

#### NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 527 to 584 of the year 1897.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 527.—ICELAND—S.W. COAST.

*Faxe Bugt—Lights.*

THE Danish Government has given notice, that, on 1st September, 1897, the undermentioned alterations would be made in the lights of Faxe Bugt (Faxe fiord):—

1. Skagi (Skagen) Light would be altered from fixed white to a sixth order, flashing white light every five seconds, elevated 50 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles.

It is shown from a tower 47 feet high, square in section, and painted white with a red band.

Approximate position on Chart No. 2733, lat. 64° 4' 50" N., long. 22° 40' 30" W.

2. A light would be exhibited from a light-

house recently erected on the site of Grötta Beacon:—

Grötta Light is a fourth order, dioptric, fixed light, showing the following sectors:—green from N. 60° E., through east, to S. 78° E.; white from S. 78° E., through south, to S. 72° W.; red from S. 72° W., through west, to N. 44° W.; and green from N. 44° W. to N. 31° W.

It is elevated 37 feet above high water, and in clear weather the white light should be visible from a distance of 10 miles, the red 8 miles, and the green 7 miles.

The lighthouse is a tower 36 feet high, square in section, and painted white with a red band.

Approximate position, on plan on Chart No. 2733, lat. 64° 9' 45" N., long. 21° 58' 50" W.

3. A light would be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on the coast southward of Reykjavik in a position about N. 77° E., distant 530 yards from the Observatory.

Reykjavik Light is a fourth order, catoptric, occulting light every fifteen seconds, thus:—light, thirteen seconds; eclipse, two seconds; showing the following sectors:—red from S. 1° E., through south, to S. 4° W.; green from S. 4° W. to S. 17° W.; white from S. 17° W. to S. 25° W.; and red from S. 25° W. to S. 34° W.

It is elevated 43 feet above high water, and in clear weather the white and red lights are each visible 11 miles, and the green light 9 miles.

The light is shown from the gable of a white, wooden building, with a red belt.

Approximate position, on plan on Chart No. 2733, lat. 64° 8' 35" N., long. 21° 52' 20" W.

4. Engey Light (fixed white and red) on the northern end of Engey Island, north-eastward of Reykjavik, has been discontinued.

[Variation 35° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Atlantic Ocean, No. 2060a; Iceland and the Farø Islands, No. 2740; Iceland, western portion, No. 565; Portland to Snæfells Jokel, &c., with Plan of Reykjavik, No. 2733. Also, List of Lights, Part VII, 1897, Nos. 690, 696, page 168.

#### No. 528.—FRANCE—WEST COAST.

*Penmarc'h Point—Intended Alteration in Light and Establishment of Fog Signal.*

THE French Government has given notice, that in October, 1897, Penmarc'h Light (fixed and flashing white) will be discontinued, and a new light will be shown from a lighthouse (Eckmühl) recently erected in a position bearing S. 86° E., distant 400 feet from the old lighthouse:—

Penmarc'h (Eckmühl) Light will be an electric white flashing light every five seconds, elevated 197 feet above high water, 194 feet above the ground, with great illuminating power, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 20 miles.

Approximate position lat. 47° 47' 55" N., long. 4° 22' 30" W.

Also, a fog signal will be established on the upper gallery of the lighthouse, consisting of a siren, giving two blasts, each of three seconds duration, separated by a silent interval of three seconds; and alternating every ninety seconds with one blast, of a different note, also of three seconds duration.

The electric light may be shown, and the fog signal sounded, experimentally, while the works for the alterations are being carried out.

Further notice will be given as necessary.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Atlantic Ocean, No. 2060a; British Islands to the Mediterranean Sea, No. 1;

Bay of Biscay, No. 1104; I. de Groix to Raz de Sein, No. 2645; Anse de Benodet to Chaussée de Sein, No. 2351. Also, List of Lights, Part IV, 1897, No. 207; and Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1891, page 55.

#### No. 529.—AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

*Wollongong Harbour—Amended Colours of Lights.*

INFORMATION has been received through the Captain in charge of Naval Establishments, Sydney, dated 10th July, 1897, that the light shown from the extremity of Wollongong Breakwater is a fixed white light, and not fixed red, as shown in the Admiralty publications.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 25' 20" S., long. 150° 56' 0" E.

Also, that the light, shown from lower part of the north-east side of the lighthouse when it is dangerous for vessels to enter the harbour, is a green light and not a red light.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Rame Head to Port Jackson, No. 1211; Beecroft Head to Port Jackson, with Plan of Wollongong Harbour, No. 1020. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1897, No. 702; and Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1897, page 809.

#### No. 530.—NORWAY—WEST COAST.

*Alterations in Smørhavn and Aarandholm Lights.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 159 of 1897:—

The Norwegian Government has given further notice, dated 10th August, 1897, that the under-mentioned alterations have been carried out:—

1. Smørhavn Light now shows the following sectors:—fixed white from S. 57° E. to S. 65° E.; flashing light from S. 65° E. (northward of Norefu), through east, to N. 69° E. (southward of the Frøi skerries); fixed white from N. 69° E. to N. 5° E.; red from N. 5° E., through north, to N. 12° W. (over Olaskjær and the Vingens); and fixed white from N. 12° W., through west, to S. 76° W. (southward of Haamandnes).

Approximate position, lat. 61° 45' 45" N., long. 4° 56' 10" E.

2. Aarandholm (Aarandsund) Light is now an occulting light showing the following sectors:—red from N. 86° E. (northward of Nystöfluerne), through east, to S. 34° E. (northward of Bleka); white from S. 34° E., through south and west, to N. 80° W.; red from N. 80° W. (southward of Katteskjær) to N. 55° W. (southward of Sövdeholmen); and white from N. 55° W., to N. 39° W. (eastward of rocks of Espenes).

It is elevated 19 feet above high water and 13 feet above the ground.

Approximate position, lat. 62° 12' 0" N., long. 5° 30' 10" E.

[Variation 16° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Sea, No. 2339; the Naze to the North Cape, No. 1479; Stav Fiord to Romsdals Islands, No. 2305. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1897, Nos. 471, 480; and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, pages 236, 256.

#### No. 531.—ADRIATIC—WESTERN SHORE.

*Brindisi—Intended Alterations in Lights.*

INFORMATION has been received from Her Britannic Majesty's Consul, Brindisi, that, on 16th October, 1897, the undermentioned alteration will be made in the lights at Brindisi:—

1. The light at the extremity of Fort Mare Breakwater will be altered in colour from red to

green, the new light being visible in clear weather from a distance of about 3 miles.

Approximate position, lat.  $40^{\circ} 39' 10''$  N., long.  $17^{\circ} 58' 15''$  E.

2. The light on the south-west side of S. Andrea (Lazaretto Island), fixed red, will be discontinued.

3. The light of the light buoy, moored about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  cables south-westward of the extremity of Fort Mare Breakwater, will be altered in colour from green to red.

4. The two lights, placed vertically, on the north side of the entrance to the harbour, will be altered in colour from red to green; and the two lights, placed vertically, on the south side of the entrance to the harbour will be altered from green to red.

5. The light on Pigonati Quay, south-westward of Pigonati Mole, will be altered in colour from green to red, and be visible over an arc of  $211^{\circ}$  or from S.  $27^{\circ}$  W., through south and east, to N.  $4^{\circ}$  W.

6. A new light, fixed green, elevated 28 feet above the sea, and visible over an arc of  $202^{\circ}$ , or from S.  $47^{\circ}$  W., through west and north, to N.  $69^{\circ}$  E., will be shown from the inner end of the N.W. quay at a point opposite light (5).

NOTE.—When these alterations have been carried out, a vessel, entering Brindisi Harbour from seaward, should leave all green lights on the starboard hand and all red lights on the port hand.

The quays forming the sea face of the town of Brindisi are now illuminated by twelve electric arc lamps (each 1,200 candle power) shown from high iron columns.

[Variation  $8^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Brindisi to Ortona, No. 199; Gulf of Cattaro to Corfu, No. 2701; Brindisi Harbour, No. 1492. Also, List of Lights, Part V, 1897, Nos. 471, 472, 472a, 474, 474a, page 86; Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. III, 1890, pages 60, 61; and Supplement, 1894, relating to that work, pages 4, 32.

#### No. 532.—NORWAY—SOUTH COAST.

##### *Alteration in Ryvingen Light.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 159 (4) of 1897:—

The Norwegian Government has given further notice that, on 25th August, 1897, Ryvingen Light was altered to an electric group flashing light with a period of twenty seconds, showing four flashes in quick succession in each group; visible seaward and from Manne Fiord; and elevated 170 feet above high water. The distance visible in clear weather is not stated.

Approximate position on Chart No. 2327, lat.  $57^{\circ} 58' 5''$  N., long.  $7^{\circ} 29' 30''$  E.

Also, that, on the same date, a fog signal was established at this lighthouse, consisting of a siren, which, during thick or foggy weather, will give one blast every minute.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Naze to the North Cape, No. 1479; North Sea, Nos. 2339, 2182b; Baltic Sea, No. 2842a; the Skagerrak or Sleeve, No. 2289; the Naze to Christiansand, No. 2327. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1897, No. 385; and Norway Pilot, Part I, 1897, page 89.

#### No. 533.—AFRICA—WEST COAST.

##### *Walfisch Bay—Amended Position of South Beacon.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 579 of 1896:—

Information has been received from the Government of the Cape of Good Hope that the Southern

Beacon at Walfisch Bay is 30 feet in height, and situated, not as hitherto shown on the charts and given in the above notice, but on the western side of the entrance to the lagoon at the head of the bay, in a position with church spire, Walfisch Settlement, bearing S.  $81^{\circ}$  E., distant  $10\frac{1}{2}$  cables; and Observation Spot N.  $7^{\circ}$  W.

Approximate position, lat.  $22^{\circ} 58' 15''$  S., long.  $14^{\circ} 27' 40''$  E.

[Variation  $26^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Walfisch Bay, No. 629. Also, Africa Pilot, Part II, 1893, page 287; Hydrographic Notice, No. 2 of 1897, page 6.

#### No. 534.—BAY OF FUNDY—EASTERN SHORE.

##### *Yarmouth Sound—Alteration in Position of Cat Rock Bell Buoy.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 410 of 1897:—

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given further notice that Cat Rock bell buoy, western side of entrance to Yarmouth Sound, has been moved, and is now moored in a depth of 12 fathoms, 3 cables, S.S.W. from Cat Rock, or approximately in latitude  $43^{\circ} 46' 5''$  N., longitude  $66^{\circ} 9' 30''$  W.

[Variation  $18^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Fundy, sheet I, No. 352; Pubnico to Yarmouth, No. 2537. Also, Sailing Directions for the S.E. Coast of Nova Scotia and Bay of Fundy, 1894, page 237.

By command of their Lordships,

*W. J. L. Wharton*, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
2nd to 3rd September, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Chapel situated at Haddenham in the civil parish of Haddenham in the county of Buckingham in the registration district of Aylesbury being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the first day of September 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 1st day of September 1897.

F. B. PARROTT Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Primitive Methodist Chapel situated at Legbourne in the civil parish of Legbourne in the county of Lincoln in the registration district of Louth being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the first day of September 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this first day of September 1897.

F. C. CHARD Deputy Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named the Temple situated at the Groes in the civil parish of Guilsfield (Within) in the county of Montgomery in the registration district of Llanfyllin being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the first day of September 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this first day of September 1897.

W. A. PUGH Superintendent Registrar.



## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Beaufort Excelsior Benefit Society, Register No. 291, held at Miners' Arms Inn, Beaufort, in the county of Brecon, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 25th day of August, 1897, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. D. STUART SIM, Acting Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 25th day of August 1897.

## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Female Friendly Society, Register No. 311, held at General Baptist Chapel, Thurlaston, in the county of Leicester, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 25th day of August, 1897, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. D. STUART SIM Acting Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 25th day of August, 1897.

## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Benevolent Trent Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Manchester Unity Friendly Society, Register No. 477, held at White Hart Inn, Owston Ferry, Rotherham, in the county of Lincoln is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 1st day of September, 1897, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Lodge to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. D. STUART SIM, Acting Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 1st day of September 1897.

## Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the National Temperance Nurses' Co-operation Limited, Register No. 3440 R held at 8, Great Marylebone-street, Portland-place, W., in the county of London, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 18th day of August, 1897, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same is set aside accordingly.

J. D. STUART SIM, Acting Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 18th day of August 1897.

**STATEMENT** showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of **BRITISH CORN**, Imperial Measure\*, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the Week ended 4th September, 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	6,457	3	33	7
Barley	2,205	3	25	11
Oats...	8,388	0	17	0

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT** for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1893 to 1896.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1893	55,044	6	21,957	1	15,052	1	25	7	27	2	17	4
1894	22,571	5	2,503	0	6,563	0	21	7	24	11	16	6
1895	24,116	7	4,212	0	8,955	4	23	1	23	4	14	4
1896	61,187	5	14,815	6	11,240	6	23	1	21	11	13	11

\* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the local inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure that officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,  
September 4, 1897.

J. T. TENNANT.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 4th September, 1897.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London	34 3	...	19 4	Horsham	Nil.	...	...
Uxbridge	33 5	...	...	Pulborough	36 3	...	17 6
Romford	32 3	...	...	Chichester	36 3	...	16 5
Chelmsford	33 10	...	15 11	Newport (Hants)	Nil.	...	...
Colchester	33 7	29 8	16 0	Fareham	30 3	...	17 6
Braintree	31 11	...	16 0	Southampton	Nil.	...	...
Saffron Walden	33 3	...	...	Winchester	35 0	33 0	17 3
Bishop's Stortford	32 4	32 6	...	Basingstoke	33 3	17 2	16 2
Hertford	31 8	...	...	Andover	32 8	19 0	16 0
Royston (Herts)	30 3	...	...	Ringwood	Nil.	...	...
Hitchin	32 11	25 11	15 9	Wimborne	33 4	...	...
Luton (Bedford)	34 3	28 8	15 1	Wareham	35 9	...	...
Bedford	32 4	27 6	...	Dorchester (Dorset)	32 2	...	...
St. Neots (Hunts)	33 9	...	17 8	Blandford	Nil.	...	...
Huntingdon	Nil.	...	...	Bridport	Nil.	...	...
St. Ives (Hunts)	35 3	...	21 4	Honiton	Nil.	...	...
Wisbeach	32 1	28 10	16 5	Liverton (Devon)	28 2	...	13 8
Ely (Cambridge)	32 11	21 6	17 1	Barnstaple	Nil.	...	...
Cambridge	33 10	...	16 8	Exeter	34 10	20 6	14 8
Haverhill	33 11	28 0	...	Newton Abbot	32 1	...	19 10
Sudbury (Suffolk)	33 3	28 0	...	Totnes	30 10	...	...
Hadleigh (Suffolk)	33 5	28 8	...	Kingsbridge	32 1	...	...
Ipswich	34 1	33 4	...	Plymouth	31 9	...	15 7
Woodbridge	33 2	...	...	Olshampton	...	...	15 1
Stowmarket	32 10	27 9	...	Liskeard	Nil.	...	...
Bury St. Edmunds	32 5	31 4	15 10	Wadebridge	31 9	...	16 6
Saxmundham	32 6	...	18 0	Truro	33 0	...	18 11
Framlingham	32 8	...	...	Bridgwater	35 3	25 5	13 8
Eye (Suffolk)	34 4	29 0	...	Taunton	34 4	...	...
Halesworth	31 5	...	16 5	Yeovil	32 5	...	...
Bungay	Nil.	...	...	Frome	35 1	...	...
Beccles	32 2	...	14 10	Bath	30 5	...	...
Diss	32 6	36 0	17 8	Bristol	34 10	28 6	...
Harleston (Norfolk)	30 0	23 7	16 0	Warminster	33 10	...	...
Yarmouth (Norfolk)	33 1	...	...	Salisbury	34 8	28 0	17 2
Norwich	31 1	25 3	15 8	Devizes	36 7	27 6	19 6
North Walsham (Norfolk)	...	24 0	...	Swindon (Wilts)	34 10	...	...
Holt (Norfolk)	Nil.	...	...	Girencester	33 4	...	...
Fakenham	32 5	...	...	Gloucester	33 5	...	...
East Dereham	32 11	...	15 10	Cheltenham	32 7	...	...
Watton (Norfolk)	Nil.	...	...	Tewkesbury	33 5	...	...
Lynn	33 2	...	18 2	Chepstow	Nil.	...	...
Spalding	33 9	25 6	17 4	Newport (Mon.)	31 1	...	...
Stamford	32 4	...	19 0	Monmouth	Nil.	...	...
Grantham	33 5	17 0	...	Ross	32 9	...	...
Sleaford	35 5	...	17 8	Hereford	30 10	...	17 9
Boston	32 9	...	17 3	Evesham	35 6	...	...
Louth	33 8	...	17 9	Worcester	32 9	...	...
Lincoln	34 1	...	17 10	Ludlow	Nil.	...	...
Gainsborough	34 11	...	...	Bridgnorth	32 3	...	17 6
Brigg	33 11	...	...	Shrewsbury	31 8	...	...
Hull	32 11	...	...	Oswestry	30 9	...	...
Howden	Nil.	...	...	Market Drayton	34 1	27 1	15 10
Beverley	Nil.	...	...	Wolverhampton	30 7	...	...
Bridlington	31 11	...	17 7	Stafford	31 9	...	...
Retford	33 5	...	...	Burton-on-Trent	Nil.	...	...
Worksop	Nil.	...	...	Derby	Nil.	...	...
Mansfield	32 7	...	18 8	Sheffield	Nil.	...	...
Newark	33 1	21 2	17 2	Doncaster	35 9	...	17 7
Nottingham	34 1	17 10	18 1	Goole	33 3	...	19 4
Loughborough	33 3	17 5	17 4	Pontefract	32 10	25 0	17 6
Leicester	34 5	23 9	18 7	Wakefield	...	27 1	...
Melton Mowbray	Nil.	...	...	Leeds	32 11	...	19 5
Oakham	Nil.	...	...	Knarborough	Nil.	...	...
Peterborough	33 6	...	17 7	Ripon	37 9	...	16 2
Kettering	33 7	...	...	York	33 0	...	...
Northampton	33 0	...	...	Easingwold	Nil.	...	...
Daventry	Nil.	...	...	Malton	32 10	...	19 6
Coventry	34 4	...	...	Scarborough	33 4	...	19 1
Birmingham	36 10	...	18 4	Thirsk	Nil.	16 11	20 7
Warwick	32 5	...	...	Bedale	34 3	...	...
Stratford-on-Avon	33 8	...	...	Northallerton	Nil.	...	...
Banbury	33 5	...	...	Darlington	Nil.	...	...
Oxford	32 7	...	20 2	Stockton-on-Tees	Nil.	...	...
Bicester	32 7	...	...	Bishop Auckland	34 0	...	...
Newport Pagnell	32 7	...	16 5	Sunderland	34 5	...	...
Aylesbury	33 6	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne	31 3	...	...
Abingdon	34 7	...	...	Alnwick	Nil.	...	...
Didcot	Nil.	...	...	Berwick	30 1	23 9	21 6
Wallingford	Nil.	...	...	Carlisle	Nil.	...	...
Hungerford	35 6	...	...	Egremont (Cumberland)	Nil.	...	...
Newbury (Berks)	35 0	20 0	18 0	Penrith	Nil.	...	...
Reading	33 1	19 0	...	Kendal	Nil.	...	...
Farnham (Surrey)	Nil.	...	...	Garstang	Nil.	...	...
Guildford	35 10	...	...	Preston (Lancashire)	Nil.	...	...
Reigate	Nil.	...	...	Manchester	35 8	...	...
Kingston (Surrey)	32 3	...	...	Warrington	34 10	...	15 7
Croydon (Surrey)	33 10	...	...	Chester	Nil.	...	...
Dartford	Nil.	...	...	Llangefni (Anglesey)	...	...	14 11
Rochester (Kent)	31 1	...	...	Carnarvon	...	...	14 6
Sandwich	37 0	...	...	Denbigh	Nil.	...	...
Canterbury	35 11	...	16 0	Wrexham	Nil.	...	...
Ashford (Kent)	37 9	...	...	Welshpool	Nil.	...	...
Maidstone	Nil.	...	...	Cardigan	Nil.	...	...
Unbridge	Nil.	...	...	Haverfordwest	Nil.	...	...
Lewes	35 10	...	...	Carmarthen	Nil.	...	...
Brighton	34 4	...	...	Cardiff	32 11	...	...
Hayward's Heath	33 5	...	16 6	Brecon	Nil.	...	...

RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1897, and the 4th September, 1897.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Estimate for the Year 1897-98	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from		EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES.	Estimate for the Year 1897-98. (including Supplementary Estimates).	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet Payments from	
		1st April, 1897, to 4th September, 1897.	1st April, 1896, to 5th September, 1896.			1st April, 1897, to 4th September, 1897.	1st April, 1896, to 5th September, 1896.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£		£	£	£
Bank of England... ..	—	9,122,935	8,163,964				
Bank of Ireland ... ..	—	744,198	811,237				
		9,867,133	8,975,201				
<b>REVENUE.</b>				<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>			
Customs ... ..	21,500,000	8,759,000	8,513,000	Permanent Charge of Debt... ..	25,000,000	11,499,064	12,015,127
Excise ... ..	27,750,000	11,379,000	11,005,000	Other Consolidated Fund Services ... ..	1,650,000	739,608	716,363
Estate, &c., Duties ... ..	9,700,000	4,964,000	5,107,000	Supply Services ... ..	76,087,000	29,592,690	29,170,290
Stamps ... ..	7,000,000	3,327,000	3,271,000		102,737,000		
Land Tax and House Duty ... ..	2,400,000	460,000	445,000	<b>EXPENDITURE ... ..</b>		41,831,362	41,901,780
Property and Income Tax ... ..	16,900,000	3,589,000	3,538,000				
Post Office ... ..	11,935,000	4,230,000	4,180,000	<b>OTHER ISSUES.</b>			
Telegraph Service ... ..	2,919,000	1,280,000	1,235,000	For Advances for Bullion, &c. ... ..		100,000	210,000
Crown Lands ... ..	415,000	145,000	145,000	For Supply purposes (net amount)... ..		3,325,000	1,300,000
Interest on Suez Canal Shares, &c. ... ..	750,000	442,421	438,487	Under Barracks Act, 1890 ... ..		100,000	100,000
Miscellaneous ... ..	1,775,000	841,713	950,790	„ Telegraph Acts, 1892 and 1896 ... ..		80,000	88,000
<b>REVENUE ... ..</b>	<b>103,044,000</b>	<b>39,567,134</b>	<b>38,828,277</b>	„ Public Offices (Acquisition of Site) Act, 1895 ... ..		150,000	—
				„ Uganda Railway Act, 1896 ... ..		228,000	—
<b>Total, including Balance ... ..</b>		<b>49,434,267</b>	<b>47,803,478</b>	Surplus Revenue of 1895-96 applied under the Naval Works Act, 1896 ... ..		—	712,590
				Surplus Revenue of 1896-97 applied under the Military Works Act, 1897 ... ..		160,000	—
						45,974,362	44,312,370
<b>OTHER RECEIPTS.</b>							
Repayment of Advances for Bullion, &c. ... ..		33,655	32,667				
Under Telegraph Act, 1892 ... ..		—	547,114				
Uganda Railway Act, 1896 ... ..		—	147,000				
<b>Totals ... ..</b>		<b>49,467,922</b>	<b>48,530,259</b>				
				Balances in Exchequer—			
				Bank of England ... ..	1897. 4th September, £	1896. 5th September, £	
				Bank of Ireland ... ..	2,931,595	3,662,954	
					561,965	554,935	
							3,493,560
				<b>Totals ... ..</b>			<b>48,530,259</b>
							49,467,922

Treasury, September 7, 1897.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 4th September, 1897, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		Quantities.	
		1896.	1897.
<b>Animals living :—</b>			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	Number	10,720	12,029
Sheep and Lambs	"	11,234	9,837
Swine	"	—	—
<b>Fresh Meat :—</b>			
Beef	cwts.	51,694	57,802
Mutton	"	28,690	31,554
Pork	"	6,617	3,951
<b>Salted or Preserved Meat :—</b>			
Bacon	"	111,587	90,847
Beef	"	4,852	3,902
Hams	"	27,721	45,244
Pork	"	3,381	3,293
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	"	3,980	5,664
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	"	10,773	12,530
<b>Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—</b>			
Butter	"	63,449	67,967
Margarine	"	18,069	21,865
Cheese	"	101,974	69,613
Milk, Condensed	"	14,108	16,370
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk		Galls. 722	Cwts. 176
Eggs	Great Hundred	290,145	346,244
Poultry and Game	Value £	1,178	956
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	cwts.	5,402	9,221
Lard	"	41,711	19,968
<b>Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—</b>			
Wheat	"	1,401,500	916,000
Wheat Meal and Flour	"	392,420	361,100
Barley	"	220,430	432,215
Oats	"	440,800	406,600
Pease	"	37,135	43,600
Beans	"	48,000	49,700
Maize or Indian Corn	"	1,459,400	1,254,500
<b>Fruit, Raw :—</b>			
Apples	Bush.	68,261	38,223
Oranges	"	359	4,371
Lemons	"	15,497	17,836
Cherries	"	—	—
Plums	"	27,377	86,726
Pears	"	35,436	82,017
Grapes	"	36,978	32,174
Unenumerated	"	22,163	54,320
Hay	Tons	2,116	1,676
Hops	cwts.	289	372
<b>Vegetables :—</b>			
Onions, raw	Bush.	105,524	160,424
Potatoes	cwts.	13,121	8,906
Unenumerated	Value £	28,500	35,404

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,  
September 6, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

The American and Foreign Maypole Soap Syndicate Limited. (In Liquidation.)  
NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 11th day of October 1897 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 John Sadler-Wood of 80 Coleman-street in the city of London one of the Liquidators of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and

prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. And notice is further given that after the said 11th day of October 1897 the Liquidators will proceed to deal with the assets having regard only to such debts or claims as have then been proved or admitted.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

J. SADLER-WOOD for self and co-Liquidator.

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1865.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 35 Weeks ended 2nd September, 1897.

Ports.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 2nd September, 1897.												
Liverpool ... ..	2,445	124	...	...	21	2,590	3,159	...	120	194	63	3,536
London ... ..	...	...	512	...	19	531	...	...	776	...	...	776
Hull ... ..	...	...	...	4,598	...	4,598	1,010	...	...	10	...	1,020
Manchester ... ..	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	239	...	54	...	...	293
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>2,447</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>4,598</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>7,721</b>	<b>4,408</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>5,625</b>
35 Weeks ended 2nd September, 1897.												
Liverpool ... ..	1,297,503	67,892	52,373	158,890	35,408	1,612,066	91,034	2,975	7,443	43,062	11,701	156,215
London ... ..	7,056	...	34,723	...	623	42,402	11,762	...	33,776	...	132	45,670
Hull ... ..	50,986	...	3,054	14,667	...	68,707	67,765	500	2,543	14,504	692	85,004
Manchester ... ..	123,539	...	...	48,551	...	172,090	15	...	...	469	...	484
Other Ports ... ..	40,365	1,316	3	...	158	41,842	36,898	...	395	...	53	37,346
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>1,519,449</b>	<b>69,208</b>	<b>90,153</b>	<b>222,108</b>	<b>36,189</b>	<b>1,937,107</b>	<b>207,474</b>	<b>3,475</b>	<b>44,157</b>	<b>58,035</b>	<b>12,578</b>	<b>325,719</b>

Dated September 3, 1897.

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

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES OF COTTON Imported, Exported, forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns, and returned to Ports, during the Month and 8 Months ended 31st August, 1897, compared with the corresponding Months of the Years 1896 and 1895.

Description of Cotton.	Imports.			Exports.			Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1897	1896	1895	1897	1896	1895	1897	1896	1895	1897	1896	1895
Month ended 31st August.												
American... ..	10,449	53,613	23,019	30,964	13,617	19,912	155,293	146,142	200,315	301	229	439
Brazilian ... ..	147	...	5,743	...	1,996	2,582	4,612	2,046	3,430	...	...	...
East Indian ... ..	7,936	5,293	20,796	7,783	10,805	12,932	4,680	4,607	4,420	...	...	...
Egyptian ... ..	12,274	6,484	7,310	2,605	4,611	8,896	13,398	11,704	7,182	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ... ..	5,751	11,046	5,649	192	381	6,818	3,904	4,542	4,993	33	115	117
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>36,557</b>	<b>76,436</b>	<b>62,517</b>	<b>41,544</b>	<b>31,410</b>	<b>51,140</b>	<b>181,887</b>	<b>169,041</b>	<b>220,340</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>556</b>
8 Months ended 31st August.												
American... ..	1,517,271	1,460,658	2,154,460	205,812	128,450	165,376	1,678,988	1,705,537	1,848,591	2,090	1,897	3,035
Brazilian ... ..	69,208	29,313	25,472	3,475	8,926	10,541	45,031	32,387	16,424	...	7	...
East Indian ... ..	90,153	122,978	84,966	44,031	46,311	36,887	46,679	38,303	24,327	...	4	...
Egyptian ... ..	222,108	206,996	207,685	57,941	60,602	56,861	185,590	180,758	158,714	40	49	10
Miscellaneous ... ..	36,169	35,469	41,069	12,515	15,354	23,741	64,897	63,922	65,100	271	676	590
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>1,934,909</b>	<b>1,855,414</b>	<b>2,513,652</b>	<b>323,774</b>	<b>259,648</b>	<b>293,406</b>	<b>2,021,185</b>	<b>2,020,907</b>	<b>2,113,156</b>	<b>2,401</b>	<b>2,633</b>	<b>3,635</b>

Dated September 6, 1897.

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

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 ended Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1897.

## PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank ... ..	Ashford ... ..	Pomfret and Co. ... ..	4017
Aylesbury Old Bank ... ..	Aylesbury ... ..	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co. ... ..	7016
Banbury Bank ... ..	Banbury ... ..	Gillett and Co. ... ..	4721
Banbury Old Bank ... ..	Banbury ... ..	T. R. Cobb and Son ... ..	3922
Bedford Bank ... ..	Bedford ... ..	Barnard and Co. ... ..	12158
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank ... ..	Bicester ... ..	Tubb and Co. ... ..	8362
Buckingham Bank ... ..	Buckingham ... ..	Bartlett and Co. ... ..	6458
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ... ..	Foster and Co. ... ..	19754
Canterbury Bank ... ..	Canterbury ... ..	Hammond and Co. ... ..	6290
City Bank, Exeter ... ..	Exeter ... ..	Milford and Co.... ... ..	4037
Derby Bank ... ..	Derby ... ..	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..	6373
Exeter Bank ... ..	Exeter ... ..	Sanders and Co.... ... ..	7275
Faversham Bank ... ..	Faversham ... ..	Hilton and Co. ... ..	1829
Ipswich Bank ... ..	Ipswich ... ..	Bacon and Co. ... ..	10955
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Smith Brothers and Co. ... ..	9494
Kington and Radnorshire Bank ... ..	Kington ... ..	Davies and Co. ... ..	9730
Leeds Old Bank ... ..	Leeds ... ..	Beckett and Co. ... ..	39839
Leeds Bank ... ..	Leeds ... ..	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co. ... ..	19252
Lincoln Bank ... ..	Lincoln ... ..	Smith, Ellison, and Co.... ... ..	45849
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan-dilo Banks... ..	Llandovery ... ..	D. Jones and Co. ... ..	11392
Naval Bank ... ..	Plymouth ... ..	Harris, Bulteel, and Co. ... ..	4624
Newark Bank ... ..	Newark ... ..	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..	4515
Newmarket Bank ... ..	Newmarket ... ..	Hammond and Co. ... ..	5850
Nottingham Bank ... ..	Nottingham ... ..	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..	13428
Oxford Old Bank ... ..	Oxford ... ..	Parsons and Co. ... ..	13330
Oxfordshire Witney Bank ... ..	Witney ... ..	Gillett and Co. ... ..	3634
Reading Bank ... ..	Reading ... ..	Simonds and Co. ... ..	10440
Reading Bank ... ..	Reading ... ..	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ... ..	9476
Richmond Bank ... ..	Richmond ... ..	Roper and Co. ... ..	3250
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford ... ..	Peacock and Co. ... ..	9032
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring ... ..	Butcher and Sons ... ..	7968
Uxbridge Old Bank ... ..	Uxbridge ... ..	Woodbridge and Co. ... ..	652
Wallingford Bank ... ..	Wallingford ... ..	Hedges, Wells, and Co.... ... ..	1203
Wellington Somerset Bank ... ..	Wellington ... ..	Fox, Fowler, and Co. ... ..	4058
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank ... ..	Wakefield ... ..	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ... ..	18330
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank ... ..	Worcester ... ..	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ... ..	18215
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	Lacons, Youell, and Co. ... ..	3761
York and East Riding Bank ... ..	Beverley... ..	Beckett and Co.... ... ..	29427



JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.	Average Amount.
	£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited ... ..	Whitehaven ... 10500
Bradford Banking Company Limited ... ..	Bradford ... 15790
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Bradford ... 10591
Burton Union Bank Limited ... ..	Burton-upon-Trent 14534
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited ... ..	Carlisle ... 21068
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Carlisle ... 33816
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Derby ... 3768
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ... 5512
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ... 6982
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ... 12786
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited ... ..	Harrogate... 17393
Lancaster Banking Company Limited ... ..	Lancaster ... 46299
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Leicester ... 26356
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited ... ..	Lincoln ... 39548
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Nottingham ... 10509
North and South Wales Bank Limited ... ..	Liverpool ... 34199
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Nottingham ... 19299
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Leicester ... 20528
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited ... ..	Sheffield ... 6378
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Sheffield ... 11263
Sheffield Banking Company Limited ... ..	Sheffield ... 12615
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited ... ..	Stamford ... 30476
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited ... ..	Langport ... 106731
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited ... ..	Richmond (Yorks) 32168
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited ... ..	Wakefield ... 6707
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Huddersfield ... 11249
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Whitehaven ... 19549
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited ... ..	Salisbury ... 54309
York City and County Banking Company Limited ... ..	York ... 83224
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Leeds ... 86977
York Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	York ... 68127

Inland Revenue Office, September 4, 1897.

ERNEST CLEAVE, Assistant-Registrar of Bank Returns.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
The Vacation Judge at Chambers for  
Mr. Justice North.  
1897. B. No. 049.

In the Matter of Dan Rylands Limited and  
Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies  
Acts 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division on the 31st day of August 1897 for confirming a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £270,000 to £214,610 is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice Byrne acting as Vacation Judge for Mr. Justice North on Wednesday the 22nd day of September 1897 and any creditor or shareholder of the said Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose. And a copy of the petition may be seen by any creditor or shareholder at the office of the Company and on payment of the regulated charges for the

same a copy will be supplied by the Solicitors undermentioned.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

C. BURNET, Master.  
LEAROYD JAMES and MELLOR of 12 Coleman-street, London E.C. Solicitors of the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
Mr. Justice Stirling.  
1897. W. No. 096.

In the Matter of the Westminster Electric Supply Corporation Ltd. and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division dated the 7th day of August 1897 confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £400,000 to £399,500 and the Minute (approved by the Court) showing with respect to the capital of the Company as altered the several particulars required by the above Statutes were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 3rd day of September 1897. And further take notice that the said

Minute is in the words and figures following:—  
 “The capital of the Westminster Electric Supply Corporation Limited and Reduced is £899,500 divided into 79,900 ordinary shares of £5 each instead of the increased capital of £400,000 divided into 79,900 ordinary shares and 100 founders’ shares of £5 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute the sum of £5 has been and is to be deemed paid up on each of the 67,900 ordinary shares numbered respectively 101 to 68,000 both inclusive and nothing has been or is to be deemed paid up on the remaining twelve thousand ordinary shares.”—Dated the 4th day of September 1897.

WILSON BRISTOWS and CARPMAEL 1  
 Copthall-buildings E.C., Solicitors for  
 the Company.

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

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.  
 No. 00226 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890  
 and in the Matter of Noble and Rock Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for  
 the winding up of the above named Com-  
 pany by the High Court of Justice was on the  
 2nd day of September 1897 presented to the said

Court by Nothmann Brothers of 184 Aldersgate-  
 street in the city of London creditors of the said  
 Company. And that the said petition is directed  
 to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal  
 Courts of Justice Strand London on Wednesday  
 the 27th day of October 1897 and any creditor or  
 contributory of the said Company desirous to  
 support or oppose the making of an Order on the  
 said petition may appear at the time of hearing  
 by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and  
 a copy of the petition will be furnished to any  
 creditor or contributory of the said Company  
 requiring the same by the undersigned on pay-  
 ment of the regulated charge for the same.—  
 Dated this 6th day of September 1897.

R. BARNES 1 West-street Finsbury-circus  
 E.C. Solicitor for the Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on  
 the hearing of the said petition must serve on  
 or send by post to the above-named notice in  
 writing of his intention so to do. The notice  
 must state the name and address of the person  
 or if a firm the name and address of the firm and  
 must be signed by the person or firm or his or  
 their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or, if  
 posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to  
 reach the above-named not later than six o’clock  
 in the afternoon of the 26th October 1897.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN showing the Counties\* in Great Britain wherein SHEEP-SCAB existed during the  
 Month of August, 1897; with the number of Fresh Outbreaks reported during that month.

Counties from whence Fresh Outbreaks of Sheep-Scab were reported during the month.	Number of such Outbreaks.	Counties wherein the disease existed during the month.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>		
Durham ... ..	1	Devon.
Gloucester ... ..	2	Durham.
Hereford ... ..	1	Gloucester.
Northampton ... ..	1	Hants.
Somerset ... ..	1	Hereford.
Stafford ... ..	1	Kent.
Sussex, Western Division ... ..	1	Lancaster.
York, East Riding ... ..	1	Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey.
„ North Riding ... ..	2	Northampton.
„ West Riding ... ..	2	Northumberland.
		Salop.
		Somerset.
		Stafford.
		Sussex, Eastern Division.
		„ Western Division.
		Warwick.
		Wilts.
		Worcester.
		York, East Riding.
		„ North Riding.
		„ West Riding.
<b>WALES.</b>		
Anglesey ... ..	1	Anglesey.
Brecon ... ..	1	Brecon.
		Carnarvon.
		Merioneth.
		Montgomery.
		Pembroke.
<b>SCOTLAND.</b>		
Banff ... ..	1	Banff.
		Bute.
		Dumfries.
		Midlothian.
		Perth.
TOTAL... ..	16	

\* Including Boroughs:—For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended September 4th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs\*).

County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.	County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.		
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Buckingham ... ..	1	2	York, North Riding ... ..	...	61
Cambridge ... ..	1	1	.. West Riding ... ..	2	96
Isle of Ely ... ..	2	9	WALES.		
Chester ... ..	2	30	Glamorgan ... ..	1	1
Devon ... ..	...	15	Montgomery ... ..	1	13
Durham ... ..	1	1	SCOTLAND.		
Gloucester ... ..	3	23	Kirkcudbright ... ..	1	31
Hants ... ..	1	167	Lanark ... ..	1	11
Lincoln, Parts of Holland ... ..	...	23	TOTAL ... ..		
Norfolk ... ..	...	41		21	597
Northampton... ..	1	6			
Stafford ... ..	1	10			
Suffolk ... ..	2	30			
Wilts ... ..	...	26			

\* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREAS.

THE following Areas are now *Areas Infected with Swine-Fever* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

*Carnarvonshire.*—An Area in the county of Carnarvon comprising the parishes of Llanrug, Llanberis, and Llanddeiniolen (10 *September*, 1897).

*Derbyshire.*—An Area comprising the parishes of Brimington, Tapton, Newbold and Dunston, Whittington, Brampton, Baslow and Bubnell, Curbar, Chatsworth, Walton, Wingerworth, Hasland, Calow, Temple Normanton, Tupton, North Wingfield, and Woodthorpe, in the county of Derby, and also comprising the borough of Chesterfield (15 *July*, 1897).

*Devonshire.*—An Area in the county of Devon comprising the parishes of Littleham, Withycombe Raleigh, East Budleigh, Budleigh Salterton, Bicton, Otterton, Lympton, Woodbury, Colaton Raleigh, Sidmouth, Salcombe Regis, Sidbury, Ottery St. Mary, Aylesbeare, Venn Ottery, and Harpford (12 *July*, 1897).

*Gloucestershire.*—(1.) An Area in the county of Gloucester comprising the parishes of Stroud, Bisley with Lippiatt, Chalford, Stonehouse, Rodborough, Kings Stanley, Leonard Stanley, Standish, Randwick, Woodchester, Whiteshill, Cainscross, Uplands, and Thrupp (26 *January*, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Sandhurst, Norton, Boddington, Uckington, Swindon, Prestbury, Charlton Kings, Leckhampton, Up Hatherley, Badgeworth, Churchdown, Staverton, Down Hatherley, Twigworth, Great Shurdington, Maisemore, Lassington, Highnam Over and Linton, Hartpur, Corse, Ashleworth, No. 26889. D

Hasfield Haw and Tirley, Deerhurst, and Leigh, in the county of Gloucester, and also comprising the borough of Cheltenham (30 *April*, 1897).

*Lancashire.*—An Area in the county of Lancaster comprising the parishes or townships of Standish-with-Langtree, Orrell, Pemberton, Winstanley, Billinge Higher End, Billinge Chapel End, Ashton-in-Makerfield, Golborne, Lowton, Haydock, Newton-in-Makerfield, Kenyon, Southworth-with-Croft, and Culcheth, and also comprising the borough of Wigan (21 *December*, 1896).

*Merionethshire.*—An Area in the county of Merioneth comprising the parishes of Llandecwyn, Penrhyndeudraeth, Talsarnau, Llandanwg, Llanfair, Llanbedr, and Llanenddwyn (31 *August*, 1897).

*Northamptonshire.*—An Area comprising the parishes of Dallington, Dallington St. James, Duston, Duston St. James, Far Cotton, Kingsthorpe, and Hardingstone, in the county of Northampton, and also comprising the borough of Northampton (14 *January*, 1897).

*Staffordshire.*—(1.) An Area in the county of Stafford comprising the parishes of Tittesworth, Leek, Lowe, Endon and Stanley, Longsdon, Cheddleton, Bradnop and Cawdry, Onecote, Consall, Ipstones, and Kingsley (30 *June*, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the borough of Burton-upon-Trent (13 *July*, 1897).

*Staffordshire and Worcestershire.*—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Bilston, Sedgley, Willenhall, Rushall, Handsworth, Smethwick, Wednesbury, Tipton and Rowley Regis, and the parishes of Kingswinford, Brierley Hill, Quarry Bank, and Wednesfield, in the county of Stafford, and also comprising

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the boroughs of Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, Wolverhampton, and Dudley (27 August, 1897).

*Sussex*.—An Area in the Eastern and Western Divisions of the county of Sussex comprising the parishes of West Blatchington, Hangleton, Portslade, Southwick, Kingston by Sea, Old Shoreham, Upper Beeding, Edburton, Fulkin, Poynings, Newtimber, Piecombe, Patcham, Preston Rural, Stanmer, Falmer, Rottingdean, and Ovingdean, and also comprising the borough of Brighton, and the Police District of Hove (16 June, 1897).

*Wiltshire*.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Melksham, Trowbridge, Whorwelsdown, Westbury, and Devizes, and so much of the petty sessional division of Warminster as lies to the west of the parish of Heytesbury, in the county of Wilts, and also comprising the borough of Devizes (10 September, 1897).

*Yorkshire*.—(1.) An Area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Royston, Monk Bretton, Ardsley, Worsbrough, Barugh, Darfield, Carlton, Darton, Kexbrough, Dodworth, and Wombwell, in the West Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the borough of Barnsley (28 September, 1896).

(2.) An Area in the North Riding of the county of York comprising the petty sessional divisions of Langbaugh East, and Langbaugh North, and also comprising the boroughs of

Middlesbrough, and Thornaby-on-Tees (6 January, 1897).

(3.) An Area comprising the borough of Scarborough (15 February, 1897).

(4.) An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Ouse and Derwent in the East Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the borough of York (15 February, 1897).

## SWINE-FEVER SUSPECTED ZONES.

THE following districts or areas are now *Swine-Fever Suspected Zones* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

*Bedfordshire*.—A district or area comprising the borough of Bedford (8 January, 1897).

*Bedfordshire and Huntingdonshire*.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Sharnbrook, Bedford, Biggleswade, and Ampthill, in the county of Bedford; and also comprising the parish of Swineshead, in the county of Huntingdon (21 September, 1896).

*Essex*.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Tendring, Lexden and Winstree, Witham, South Hincford, Chelmsford, Dengie, and Rochford, in the county of Essex, and also comprising the boroughs of Colchester, Harwich, Maldon, and Southend-on-Sea (17 April, 1897).

*Norfolk*.—A district or area comprising the county of Norfolk, and also comprising the boroughs of King's Lynn, Norwich, and Yarmouth (3 June, 1897).

Board of Agriculture, 7th September, 1897.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended September 4th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs\*).

ANTHRAX.				GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).				
County.		Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	County.		Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>				<b>ENGLAND.</b>				
		No.	No.			No.	No.	No.
Kent ... ..	...	...	1	Essex ... ..	...	1	...	5
Lancaster ... ..	...	1	1	Kent ... ..	...	...	...	6
Leicester ... ..	...	1	2	London ... ..	...	11	...	25
Rutland ... ..	...	1	1	Middlesex ... ..	...	...	2	...
Sussex, Eastern Division ... ..	...	1	1	Norfolk ... ..	...	...	2	...
York, East Riding ... ..	...	1	1	Notts ... ..	...	3	...	10
„ West Riding ... ..	...	1	1	Surrey ... ..	...	1	...	1
<b>SCOTLAND.</b>				<b>SCOTLAND.</b>				
Banff ... ..	...	1	1	Warwick ... ..	...	1	...	1
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..		<b>7</b>	<b>9.</b>	Worcester ... ..	...	...	1	...
<b>RABIES.</b>				<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..				
County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to Infection.			<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>49</b>
	Dogs.	Other Animals.						
<b>ENGLAND.</b>				<b>ENGLAND.</b>				
		No.	No.			No.	No.	No.
Berks ... ..	...	1	...	Essex ... ..	...	1	...	5
Sussex, Eastern Division.	...	1	...	Kent ... ..	...	...	...	6
Warwick ... ..	...	1	...	London ... ..	...	11	...	25
<b>WALES.</b>				<b>SCOTLAND.</b>				
Brecon ... ..	...	1	...	Lanark ... ..	...	...	...	1
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..		<b>4</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..		<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>49</b>

\* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

ORDERS AS TO MUZZLING DOGS.

THE Board of Agriculture have by Order prescribed, as from the dates mentioned, the Muzzling of Dogs in the districts and parts of districts of Local Authorities, as follows:—

*Breconshire.*—County of Brecon (8 June, 1897).

*Carmarthenshire.*—The petty sessional division of Llanelly (and Kidwelly), and so much of the petty sessional divisions of Carmarthen, and Llandilo as lies to the south-east of the River Towy, in the county of Carmarthen (17 August, 1897).

*City and Metropolitan Police Districts.*—County of London, County of Middlesex, City of London, Borough of Croydon, Borough of Kingston-on-Thames, Borough of Richmond (Surrey), Borough of West Ham. Such parts of the Counties of Essex, Hertford, Kent, and Surrey as are situate within the Metropolitan Police District (6 April, 1897).

*Derbyshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Repton, and Swadlincote, in the county of Derby, being that portion of the county south of the River Trent (1 June, 1897).

*Devonshire.*—County of Devon, Boroughs of Barnstaple, Devonport, Exeter, Plymouth, Tiverton, and Torquay (17 August, 1897).

*Glamorganshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Gower, Swansea, Pontardawe, Neath, and Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan.

Boroughs of Aberavon, Neath, and Swansea (17 August, 1897).

*Gloucestershire.*—County of Gloucester (except the petty sessional divisions of Thornbury, Sodbury, Lawford's Gate, Stow, and Fairford, and the parishes of Didmarton, Little Barrington, Sherborne, Aldworth, and Windrush). Boroughs of Cheltenham, and Gloucester (1 June, 1897).

*Herefordshire.*—County of Hereford. Borough of Hereford (1 June, 1897).

*Isle of Wight.*—County of the Isle of Wight. Borough of Ryde (17 August, 1897).

*Lancashire.*—County of Lancaster (except the Hundred of Lonsdale North of the Sands). Boroughs of Accrington, Ashton-under-Lyne, Bacup, Blackburn, Blackpool, Bolton, Bootle, Burnley, Bury, Chorley, Clitheroe, Colne, Darwen, Eccles, Haslingden, Heywood, Lancaster, Liverpool, Manchester, Middleton, Mossley, Nelson, Oldham, Preston, Rawtenstall, Rochdale, St. Helens, Salford, Southport, Warrington, Widnes, and Wigan (1 June, 1897).

*Leicestershire.*—County of Leicester (except the petty sessional division of Belvoir). Boroughs of Leicester, and Loughborough (1 June, 1897).

*Monmouthshire.*—The petty sessional division of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth (8 June, 1897).

*Nottinghamshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Nottingham, and Bingham, in the county of

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Nottingham. Borough of Nottingham (1 June, 1897).

*Radnorshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Painscastle, New Radnor, Colwyn, Presteign, Knighton (except the parishes of Beguildy and Llanbister), and Cefnlllys (except the parishes of Llanbadarn-Fynydd, Llananno, and Abbey-Cwmhir), in the county of Radnor (13 July, 1897).

*Shropshire.*—County of Salop (except the petty sessional divisions of Bishop's Castle, Clun and Purslow, and Pontesbury, and the parish of Wollaston). Boroughs of Shrewsbury, and Wenlock (1 June, 1897).

*Staffordshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Penkridge, Rugeley, Lichfield and Brownhills, Tamworth, Wolverhampton, Bilston, Sedgley, Willenhall, Rushall, Handsworth, Smethwick, Wednesbury, Tipton, Rowley Regis, and King-swinford and Wordsley, in the county of Stafford. Boroughs of Lichfield, Tamworth, Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, and Wolverhampton (1 June, 1897).

*Surrey.*—County of Surrey (except the petty sessional division of Farnham; and except such portion of the county as is situate within the Metropolitan Police District provision as to which portion is made by a separate Order

of the Board). Boroughs of Guildford and Reigate (9 September, 1897).

*Sussex.*—The petty sessional division of East Grinstead in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex, the petty sessional division of Horsham in the Western Division of the county of Sussex (9 September, 1897).

*Warwickshire.*—County of Warwick. Boroughs of Birmingham, Coventry, Leamington, and Warwick (1 June, 1897).

*Worcestershire.*—County of Worcester (except the parishes of Evenlode, and Daylesford). Boroughs of Dudley, Kidderminster, and Worcester (1 June, 1897).

*Yorkshire.*—West Riding of the county of York (except the petty sessional divisions of Ewcross, Bolton-by-Bowland, West Staincliffe, Kirkby Malzeard, Upper Strafforth and Tickhill, Lower Strafforth and Tickhill, and Lower Osgoldcross; the Liberty of Ripon (but including the township of Nidd); the parishes of Kettlewell with Starbotton, Buckden, Upper Stonebeck, Down Stonebeck, and Fountain's Earth; and the municipal borough of Ripon). Boroughs of Barnsley, Batley, Bradford, Brighouse, Dewsbury, Halifax, Huddersfield, Keighley, Leeds, Morley, Ossett, Todmorden, and Wakefield (8 June, 1897).

## SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).		Pleuro-Pneumonia.			Rabies.		Swine-Fever.		
	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Cattle Slaughtered.		Cases Reported.		Outbreaks.	Swine Slaughtered or as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.	
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.			
Week ended Sept. 4, 1897	No. 7	No. 9	...	...	No. 17	No. 49	...	No. †...	No. ...	No. 4	No. ...	No. 21	No. 597	
Corresponding week in	1896	9	11	...	...	18	27	...	...	...	2	...	82	1,310
	1895	5	9	...	...	14	21	...	...	...	7	...	129	1,381
	1894	8	66	...	...	14	25	...	...	...	8	...	152	472
Total for 36 Weeks 1897.	313	657	...	...	615	1,062	6	43	718	119	14	1,804	32,343	
Corresponding period in	1896	347	640	...	...	547	884	2	9	183	385	21	4,101	58,803
	1895	299	700	...	...	716	1,144	1	...	43	502	44	4,105	37,217
	1894	363	791	...	...	701	1,025	2	15	391	128	6	4,432	47,380

† 2 Cattle slaughtered in 1 county as suspected, but on post-mortem examination found to be free from the disease.

NOTE.—The figures for the current Year are approximate only.

Board of Agriculture, 7th September, 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Byrne acting as Vacation Judge. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the British and Colonial Agency Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice was, on the 31st day of August 1897, presented to the said Court by Alfredo Pinto Leite of 17 Wilt-

shire-road Brixton in the county of Surrey Merchant, a creditor of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Honourable Mr. Justice Byrne acting as Vacation Judge sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 15th day of September 1897; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the

petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

WINDYBANK SAMUELL and BEHREND 35  
Bucklersbury, London, E.C. Solicitors  
for the Petitioner.

**NOTE.**—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 14th day of September 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.  
No. 00228 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the United Empire Trading Company Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice holden at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London was on the 3rd day of September 1897 presented to the said Court by John George Meller (formerly trading as Meller and Bolesworth) of New Buildings Hinckley in the county of Leicester Boot and Shoe Manufacturer a creditor of the said Company and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand, London on Wednesday the 27th day of October 1897 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the 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.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

RALPH RAPHAEL and Co. 59 Moorgate-street in the city of London Solicitors  
for the Petitioner.

**NOTE.**—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named Ralph Raphael and Co. at the above-named address notice in writing of his intention so to do and the notice must state the full name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named Ralph Raphael and Co. not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th day of October 1897.

In the Matter of the Consuelo Gold Mines,  
Limited.

**A**T Extraordinary General Meetings of the above named Company duly convened and held respectively on the 16th day of August and the 31st day of August 1897 the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed and confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Francis Hutley, of Bishopsgate House, be and is hereby

appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up, at a remuneration of five guineas.

2. "That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named the Consuelo Gold Mines, Limited, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, which have been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the Consuelo Gold Mines, Limited, of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company, when incorporated, in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such, if any, modifications as he may think expedient."

Dated this 1st day of September 1897.

By order

F. HUTLEY Secretary.

In the Matter of the Incandescent Fire Mantel  
and Stove Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Cannon-street Hotel on the 16th day of August 1897 the following Special Resolutions were duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the registered offices of the Company 53, Victoria-street Westminster on the 3rd day of September 1897 the following resolutions were duly confirmed namely:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and that with a view thereto the Incandescent Fire Mantel and Stove Company Limited be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1893 and that Henry Edwyn Baker of 53 Victoria-street Westminster S.W. be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of conducting such winding up.

2. "That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company with the same or similar name to that of the present Company with a Memorandum and Articles of Association to be approved by the Directors of this Company and having a capital of £75,000 divided into 75,000 shares of £1 each; each shareholder to be entitled to the same number of shares in the new Company as he already holds in the old Company each share credited with 17s. paid up, the remaining 3s. per share to be called up as in the opinion of the Directors may be required.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and identified by the Chairman and expressed to be made between this Company and the Liquidator of the one part and the new Company of the other part be and the same is hereby approved, and that the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act 1862 to enter into an Agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as may be found expedient."

And at such last mentioned Meeting it was also resolved—

"That the remuneration of the said Liquidator Mr. H. E. Baker for his services in the winding up, be fixed at the sum of 25 guineas."

Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

FRANK SCRUTTON Chairman.



W. T. Dobson and Co. Limited.  
Special Resolution (pursuant to the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890) of W. T. Dobson and Co. Limited.

Passed the 12th day of August 1897.

Confirmed the 31st day of August, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-mentioned Company duly convened and held at 48 Parker-street Lincoln's-inn-fields in the county of London on the 12th day of August, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 31st day of August 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolution—"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities and continued loss in carrying on, continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. Charles Frederick Rideal of 3 Victoria-street Westminster be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 1st day of September 1897.

CHARLES F. RIDEAL, Chairman.

The Imperial Hydropathic Hotel Company (Blackpool) Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 65, King-street, Manchester, on the 13th day of July, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at 57, Princess-street, Manchester, on the 28th day of July, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly having regard to the provisional agreement now produced to this Meeting, which agreement is dated the 6th day of April, 1897, and made between Thomas Parker on behalf of himself and all other the holders of shares in the Company of the one part, and Charles Edward Parker as Trustee for the proposed new Company of the other part (being an agreement providing for the exchange of all the shares in this Company for fully paid up shares in the said new Company), and to the fact that the said agreement has been ratified by all the shareholders of this Company that this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Peter Gregson, of 57, Princess-street, Manchester, Chartered Accountant, be, and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of the said new Company with the same name as that of this Company and with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company, and to facilitate the reconstruction." THOS. PARKER Chairman.

Bolton Turkish Baths Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at 8 Bowker's-row, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, on the 9th day of August, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and

held at the same place on the 25th day of August, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That the Secretary, Frederic Siddall Marsh, of 8, Bowker's-row, Bolton, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company."

F. B. MALLETT Chairman.

PERCY MARSH Bolton, Solicitor.

In the Matter of Joseph Hargreaves Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the offices, Airedale Mills, Shipley in the county of York on Monday the 30th day of August 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that William Martello Gray, Chartered Accountant, District Bank-chambers, Bradford in the county of York be appointed the Liquidator of the said Company."

Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

EDMD. PULLAN Chairman.

The Beeston Pneumatic Tyre Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Institute of Chartered Accountants, Moorgate-place, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of August, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 3rd day of September, 1897, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That in pursuance of the agreement approved at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on the 22nd day of July, 1897, the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. W. O. Clough, M.P. (of the firm of Messrs. Clough, Armstrong, and Ford, Chartered Accountants, of 89, Gresham-street, London, E.C.), be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 3rd day of September, 1897.

H. J. LAWSON, Chairman.

In the Matter of the London Purchase Syndicate, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 13 and 14, Abchurch-lane London, E.C. on the 17th day of August, 1897 the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 2nd day of September 1897 the following resolutions were duly confirmed, viz.:—

(a.) "That the Syndicate be wound up voluntarily.

(b.) "That Alexander Hall Downes (of Messrs. Monkhouse, Stoneham and Co.) 28 and 29, St. Swithin's-lane in the city of London Chartered Accountant be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up at a remuneration of twenty-five guineas."

Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

JAS. J. WALLIS Chairman of both Meetings.

St. James's Hall Company, Plymouth, Limited.  
7, the Octagon, Plymouth,  
September 2, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 7, the Octagon, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 9th day of August, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 27th day of August, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
2. "That Mr. Henry Davey be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company, and distributing the property.
3. "That the powers of the Directors shall be continued for the following purpose only, namely:—For negotiating and completing the sale by the Liquidator of the business of the Company."

JOHN SNAWDON, Chairman.

Re the Surrey Machinists' Company Limited.

**A**T an adjourned Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at Room 492, 20 Bucklersbury in the city of London on Tuesday the thirty-first day of August 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. James Leslie Quinlan of 39 Canonbury-road Canonbury in the county of Middlesex be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

FRANK FELL Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

Shepherd Brothers, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 61, St. John's-square, Clerkenwell-road, London, E.C., on Friday, the 27th day of August, 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed, viz.:—

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

"That F. Andrews, Accountant, of 27, Leadenhall-street, E.C., be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

A. F. SHEPHERD Chairman.

The Fish Utilization Syndicate Limited.

Special Resolution.

Passed 13th August, 1897.

Confirmed 31st August, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary Meeting of the Fish Utilization Syndicate Limited, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, No. 31, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of August, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 31st day of August 1897, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That having regard to the sale of the undertaking and assets of this Company to the Fish Oil

and Guano Syndicate Limited, it is desirable to wind up this Company, and accordingly that this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Lindblad Grassie Secretary of this Company, be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up at a remuneration to be subsequently fixed."

London, 1st September, 1897.

L. GRASSIE Secretary.

In the Matter of the Dry Gold Extraction Syndicate, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at Finsbury House, Blomfield-street, in the city of London on the 20th day of August 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 4th day of September 1897, the following resolution was duly confirmed, namely:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and that Mr. James Henry Stephens (Messrs. Herman, Lescher and Co.) 6 Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, E.C. Chartered Accountant, be appointed, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the above liquidation."

Dated this sixth day of September 1897.

R. P. HOUSTON Chairman.

EDWARDS and COHEN 3 Coleman-street  
E.C. Solicitors for the above named  
Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

The Ceophelsite Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at 4 Cheapside Hanley in the county of Stafford on the 14th day of July 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened, and held at 4 Cheapside Hanley aforesaid on the 11th day of August 1897, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Davis be appointed Liquidator of the Company." BARON HARRIS, Director.

In the Matter of the Ida (N.S.W.) Syndicate Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 25 Bucklersbury in the city of London at the registered office of the Company on the 13th day of February 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 12th day of March 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolution.—"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and that Mr. Arthur Meller of 25 Bucklersbury in the city of London be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

JOHN COLEMAN.

In the Matter of the Bristol Grain Washing and Grinding Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened, and held at Albion-chambers, Bristol on the sixteenth day of August 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent

Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the third day of September 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz. :—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily.”

And at such last-mentioned Meeting Stephen Tryon, of Albion-chambers, Bristol, Chartered Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.—Dated this third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

THOMAS POLE, Chairman.

In the Matter of R. and J. Hill Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company held at the Pantheon Oxford-street London W. on the 19th day of August 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company also held at the same place on the 6th day of September 1897 the said resolution was duly confirmed viz. :—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and that Messrs. Henry Arthur Blyth, Henry Gold and Arthur Nockolds Gilbey three of the Directors of the Company be and they are hereby appointed joint Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated this 6th day of September 1897.

WALTER GILBEY Chairman.

In the Matter of the Lunesdale Brick and Tube Company Limited. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above-named Company are required on or before the 16th day of October next, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to William Wright and Michael Mattinson Harrison, the Liquidators of the said Company, addressed to the registered office of the said Company at Grassgarth Caton, near Lancaster, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 1st day of September 1897.

HALL MARSHALL and SEWART Lancaster Solicitors for the above named Liquidators.

The Maypole Soap Syndicate Limited.

(In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 11th day of October 1897 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 John Sadler-Wood of 80 Coleman-street in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they shall be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. And notice is further given that after the said 11th day of October 1897 the Liquidator will proceed to deal with the assets having regard only to such

debts or claims as have then been proved or admitted.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

J. SADLER-WOOD Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1890 and in the Matter of the General Exploration Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 19th day of October 1897 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 F. F. Chennell of 181 Upland-road Dulwich in the county of Kent Chartered Accountant the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

ANDREW WOOD and PURVES 8 Great James - street, Bedford - row London W.C. Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the Heather Bell Steam Shipping Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of October 1897 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their Solicitors if any to Robert Jackson Thompson of 15 Queen-street Newcastle-upon-Tyne Shipping Agent the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 31st day of August 1897.

DICKINSON MILLER and DICKINSON 46 Grainger-street West Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

Austin Brookes, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at 90 Minster-yard, in the city of York, on Friday the 8th day of October next at 3 o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and other documents of the Company.—6th September 1897.

AUSTIN BROOKES, Liquidator.

The Coventry Electrical Engineering Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. E. T. Peirson and Son 17 Hertford-street, Coventry, on Monday the 11th day of October 1897 at 12 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may

be given by the Liquidator and also determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

SIDNEY T. PEARSON Liquidator.

In the Matter of the British Electrical Manufacturing and Engineering Company, Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at St. George's House, Eastcheap in the city of London on the 8th day of October 1897, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and besides other things to pass the Liquidator's remuneration, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 6th day of September 1897.

ARTHUR GODDARD Liquidator.

The Bee Tea and Light Refreshment Company Limited. (In Liquidation.)

**N**OTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at Balmoral House Barmouth North Wales on Thursday the 7th day of October 1897 at 2 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and its property disposed of and to receive any explanations which may be given by the Liquidator and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books accounts and other documents of the Company.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

CHAS. E. WILLIAMS Salop House Oswestry Liquidator.

J. C. BULL Oswestry Solicitor.

Notice of Final Meeting.

The Silent Step and Flooring Co. Ltd.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held on Tuesday the 12th day of October 1897 at twelve o'clock in the forenoon at 5 Newton-street, Manchester for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and of also determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 2nd day of September.

WM. D. SANDERSON Liquidator.

The Primrose Main Colliery Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of the Company, the Arcade, Barnsley, on the 14th day of October at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of

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hearing any explanation by the Liquidator, and also of determining the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator, be disposed of.—Dated this 31st day of August, 1897.

NORMAN LESLIE Liquidator.

F. FENWICK Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitor.

The Crown Accident Insurance Co. Ltd.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of sect. 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the Grand Hotel, Broad-street, Bristol, on Friday the 8th day of October next at three o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the Liquidators' report showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and to hear any explanation by the Liquidators, and to pass an Extraordinary Resolution as to the disposal of the books accounts and other documents of the Company.—Dated this 7th day of September 1897.

H. T. M. C. GWYNN, } Liquidators. •

W. E. THOMSON, }

The Painswick Syndicate Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 15 Great George-street in the city of Westminster on Monday the 18th day of October 1897 at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 6th day of September 1897.

F. A. WALLIS Liquidator.

The Patent Automatic Advertiser Company Limited. (In Liquidation.)

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 16 Lombard-street Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Tuesday the 12th day of October 1897 at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted from the commencement to the close and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the fourth day of September 1897.

JOSEPH RODDAM Liquidat .

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Edward Woulds Roberts and Peter Abbott carrying on business as Hosiers at No. 104 Strand in the county of Middlesex and at No. 361 Walworth-road and No. 51 Borough High-street Southwark both in the county of Surrey under the style or firm of Roberts and Abbott has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of September 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Woulds Roberts.—Dated 4th day of September 1897.

EDWARD WOULDs ROBERTS.  
PETER ABBOTT.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Herbert Law Barnett and Frank Edward Francis in the business of Wholesale Jewellers and Factors carried on at 28 Frederick-street in the city of Birmingham under the style or firm of Barnett and Francis is this day dissolved by mutual consent and that the business will henceforth be carried on by the said Herbert Law Barnett alone. All debts due and owing to and by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Herbert Law Barnett.—Dated the 1st day of September 1897.

H. L. BARNETT.  
F. E. FRANCIS.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Charles Brown and Bryan Eady carrying on business as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers at Kettering Northamptonshire, under the style or firm of Brown and Eady has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Charles Brown.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

J. C. BROWN.  
BRYAN EADY.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Edmund Halstead George Milner junior and John Stansfield carrying on business as Grey Cloth Merchants and Agents at Number 13 George-street Manchester under the style or firm of George Milner Junior and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of August 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Milner junior.—Dated 2nd day of September 1897.

EDMUND HALSTEAD.  
JOHN STANSFIELD.  
GEO. MILNER JR.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Adam George Rankine, Stuart Oliphant Nicholson, and Herbert Edward Wild, carrying on business as Cotton Merchants, under the style of Rankine and Nicholson, at Liverpool, and Stuart Nicholson and Co. in America, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as on and from the 31st day of August, 1897, so far as the said Stuart Oliphant Nicholson is concerned. All debts due to and owing by the firm will be received and paid by the said Adam George Rankine and Herbert Edward Wild, who will carry on the said business.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

ADAM G. RANKINE.  
STUART O. NICHOLSON.  
HERBERT E. WILD.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned Frederick William Hitchin, William Hitchin, and George Jerome Weston, carrying on business as Brass Founders at 69 Vittoria-street Birmingham in the county of Warwick under the style or firm of Hitchin Weston and Co. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Frederick William Hitchin who retires from the firm. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Hitchin and George Jerome Weston who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of Hitchin Weston and Co.'s.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of September 1897.

FREDERICK WILLIAM HITCHIN.  
WILLIAM HITCHIN.  
GEORGE JEROME WESTON.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Joseph Holt senior and Charles Willetts senior carrying on business as Mechanical Engineers and Manufacturers at Cradley Heath in the county of Stafford under the style or firm of Holt and Willetts has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 17th day of August 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late Partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Holt senior who will henceforth carry on the said business alone under the same style or firm of Holt and Willetts.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of September 1897.

JOSEPH HOLT SENR.  
CHARLES WILLETTS SENR.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Arthur Robert Brett and Arnold Watson carrying on business as Auctioneers Valuers and Accountants at 39 Piccadilly Manchester under the style or firm of Brett Watson and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 15th day of July 1897.—Dated the 16th day of August 1897.

ARTHUR ROBERT BRETT.  
ARNOLD WATSON.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Greenwood and Henry John Doveton Clerk both of Hillmorton in the county of Warwick carrying on business as Horse Dealers at Hillmorton aforesaid, under the style or firm of Greenwood and Clerk has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the sixth day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry John Doveton Clerk.—Dated this 27th day of August 1897.

WILLIAM GREENWOOD.  
HENRY JOHN DOVETON CLERK.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned James Priestley John Bentley Gadie and Anthony Gadie carrying on business as Builders at No. 107 Lonsdale-street and elsewhere in the city of Bradford under the style of A. Gadie and Co. has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

JAMES PRIESTLEY.  
ANTHONY GADIE.  
JOHN BENTLEY GADIE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned James William Kerney and Charles Henry Kilburn, both of Cleckheaton in the county of York, and carrying on business as Fish Salesmen, Fruiters, and Game and Poultry Dealers, at Cleckheaton aforesaid, under the style or firm of Kerney and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as on and from the 28th day of August, 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Henry Kilburn, who will continue the business alone.—Dated the third day of August 1897.

J. W. KERNEY.  
C. H. KILBURN.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned William Ridgard Massie and Edward Cheesman carrying on business as Printers Stationers and Booksellers at Market-hill Barnsley in the county of York under the style of Massie and Cheesman is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Edward Cheesman who will in future carry on the business in his own name.—Dated this 31st day of August 1897.

WILLIAM RIDGARD MASSIE.  
EDWARD CHEESMAN.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Bennett and Frederick James Styles carrying on business as Builders at Worthing and Lancing both in the county of Sussex under the style or firm of Bennett and Styles has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 26th day of August 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Bennett.—Dated this 26th day of August 1897.

HENRY BENNETT.  
FREDERICK JAMES STYLES.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Glasson and Robert James Glasson carrying on business as Brewers at the Union Court Brewery, Penrith in the county of Cumberland under the style or firm of T. and R. J. Glasson has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 1st day of January 1897.—Dated this 31st day of August 1897.

THOMAS GLASSON.  
R. J. GLASSON.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Albert Osborne and George Hunt carrying on business as Dealers in Cycles, Cycle Tyres and Accessories, at Fountain-buildings, Greyfriar Gate, in the city of Nottingham, under the style or firm of the Osborne Cycle Corporation has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of September 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said George Hunt.—Dated this second day of September 1897.

ALBT. OSBORNE.  
G. HUNT.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between James McNulty and Benjamin Parker carrying on business as Mail Cart and Perambulator Manufacturers at Hope-square Leeds in the county of York under the style or firm of Ellis and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of June 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James McNulty by whom the business will be carried on as heretofore.—Dated the twelfth day of August 1897.

BENJAMIN PARKER,  
JAS. McNULTY.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership between us the undersigned John Smith and William Tunnicliff carrying on business as Soap Manufacturers at Livingstone-street Birkenhead in the county of Chester under the style or firm of Smith and Tunnicliff has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 24th day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Tunnicliff.—Dated this third day of September 1897.

JOHN SMITH.  
WILLIAM TUNNICLIFF.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Albert Earwaker and Charles Rigby in the business of Cotton Merchants carried on at the city of Manchester under the style or firm of Earwaker Rigby and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirtieth day of June last.—As witness our hands the third day of September 1897.

ALBERT EARWAKER.  
CHARLES RIGBY.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Thomas Carter, Walter Lysaght Carter, William Hedley Carter and George Normanton Carter under the style of Thomas Carter and Sons as Wholesale Provision Merchants at 24 and 26 Cheapside Halifax has been dissolved as from the first day of September one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven by the retirement therefrom of the said Thomas Carter. All debts due to or from the said late firm will be received or paid by the said Walter Lysaght Carter, William Hedley Carter and George Normanton Carter who will as from the said date continue the said business on their own account under the old style or firm of Thomas Carter and Sons.—Dated this second day of September 1897.

THOMAS CARTER.  
WALTER L. CARTER.  
WM. HY. CARTER.  
GEO. N. CARTER.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Edward Drakeford and James Smith Hooton carrying on business as Produce Brokers at Victoria-street Liverpool under the style or firm of Drakeford and Hooton has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

W. E. DRAKEFORD.  
JAMES S. HOOTON.

**JAMES WALES, Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts or claims against the estate of James Wales, late of Buckstone, in the township of Rawdon, in the parish of Guiseley in the county of York, Esquire, who died on the 1st day of March, 1897, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of April, 1897 by Sarah Amelia Wales, of Buckstone, aforesaid, Widow, Henry Fison Killick, of Rawdon aforesaid Esquire and James Garnett of Bradford aforesaid, Worsted Spinner, the executors thereof, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to the said Henry Fison Killick on or before the 20th day of October, 1897, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the estate so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 2nd day of September, 1897.

WADE BILBROUGH BOOTH and CO. Bradford,  
Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re **ALFRED CHARLES DODWORTH Deceased.** Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35 intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve trustees."

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Alfred Charles Dodworth late of 82 Cherry-street Sheffield in the county of York formerly Brass-founder but of late out of business deceased (who died on the sixteenth day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the thirtieth day of August 1897 by Sarah Ann Dodworth of 82 Cherry-street aforesaid Widow, the sole executrix therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executrix on or before the thirtieth day of September 1897 after which date the

said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executrix shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 4th day of September 1897.

J. HAYWOOD WRAGG, Solicitor, 2, Moorgate-street, Rotherham.

**WILLIAM EDMUND POSTANCE, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. chap. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of William Edmund Postance (sometimes called Captain Connor) late of 34 Kimmel-street Rhyll in the county of Flint (who died on the 13th day of June 1897 and whose will was proved on the 19th day of July 1897 by Ellen Ellis and George Frederic Bremner the executors therein named) are hereby required to send to the said executors at the undermentioned address particulars in writing of such debts claims and demands on or before the 14th day of October next 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 of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 1st day of September 1897.

BREMNER SONS and CORLETT Solicitors to the said Executors, 1 Crosshall-street, Liverpool.

**ELIZABETH MILVAIN Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

**ALL** creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Elizabeth Milvain of Benwell Lodge in the county of Northumberland Widow who died on the 8th day of June 1897 and whose will was proved on the 16th day of August 1897 in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Henrietta Ramsay and Theodore Cecil Hoyle the executors named in the said will are hereby required to send full particulars of such claims to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 12th day of October next as after that date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

HOYLE SHIPLEY and HOYLE Burdon-buildings Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitors for the Executors.

**JOSEPH HARGRAVES FRYER, Deceased.**

Pursuant to Act 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Hargraves Fryer late of Park-road Preston in the county of Lancaster Joiner and Provision Dealer deceased (who died on the 26th day of February 1895 and whose will was proved at the Lancaster District Probate Registry on the 13th day of April following by Thomas Ormerod and John Ball the executors thereof) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 18th day of October next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have 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 6th day of September 1897.

W. and J. COOPER 9 Lune-street Preston Solicitors for the said Executors.

The Reverend **ROBERT JAMES WILSON D.D.** late Warden of Keble College, Oxford Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. chap. 35.

**ALL** persons having claims against the estate of the deceased, who died on the 15th May 1897 are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned or to John Charles Wilson Esquire Shelwood House, Oxford one of the executors on or before the 28th September 1897; after which date distribution of the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto will be made by the executors the said J. C. Wilson and Robert Taunton Raikes having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received by them.—Dated 25th August 1897.

HARRIES WILKINSON and RAIKES 38 Nicholas-lane London E.C. Solicitors to the Executors.



**GEORGE BAILEY Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of George Bailey late of Union-street Luton in the county of Bedford Solicitor who died on the 9th day of June 1897 and whose will and three codicils the eto were proved by the Reverend Charles Edward Mees and Sydney Charles Weston the surviving executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of August 1897 are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executors on or before the 27th day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this third day of September 1897.

JOHN GATES Castle-street Luton Solicitor to the said Executors.

**CHARLES CORNELIUS MACFARLAND 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Charles Cornelius Macfarland late of Mountfield Streatham in the county of Surrey Esquire deceased (who died on the 27th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of July 1897 by Frances Macfarland of Mountfield aforesaid, Widow, Furnell Purnell of Woodlands Streatham aforesaid, Esquire, and William Charles Hassard of 10 Draper's-gardens in the city of London Esquire the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 25th day of October 1897 after which date the said executors 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 they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of September 1897.

MINET HARVIE and MAY of 4 King William-street London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

**JOHN ALLEN Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of John Allen late of 37 Charles-street Woolwich Kent deceased (who died 12th August 1887 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 28th August 1897 by the sole executor John Bailey of 75 Samuel-street Woolwich Kent) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to me the undersigned Solicitor of the said John Bailey on or before 9th October 1897 after which date the said John Bailey will distribute the assets of the deceased having regard only to the claims of which he the said John Bailey shall then have had notice and he will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

CHARLES WATKINS 15 Basinghall-street London E.C. Solicitor for the said John Bailey.

**SAMUEL HITHERSAY Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Samuel Hithersay late of No. 3 Sneinton-street in the town of Nottingham Provision Merchant (who died on the 17th day of May 1897 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted out of the Nottingham District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of June 1897 to Mary Ann Hithersay the lawful Widow and relict of the said deceased) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the

undersigned Solicitors for the said administratrix on or before the 12th day of October 1897 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice and the said administratrix will not be liable or accountable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

JOHNSTONE and WILLIAMS 6 Weekday Cross Nottingham solicitors for the said Administratrix.

**BRISCO RAY Deceased.**

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the twenty-second and twenty-third years of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Brisco Ray late of 63 Marine-parade Brighton in the county of Sussex deceased (who died on or about the 26th day of January 1896 and whose will was proved by Frederick Tristram Welman of the Windham Club, St. James's S.W., Henry Lawrence Swinburne of 2 Hervey-terrace Brighton and William Hocken Paterson of 16 Finsbury-circus, E.C. three of the executors therein named on the 2nd day of April 1896 and by John Paterson of Flinder's-lane Melbourne in the Colony of Victoria the other executor named in the said will on the 12th day of August 1896 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Frederick Tristram Welman Henry Lawrence Swinburne William Hocken Paterson and John Paterson or to the undersigned their Solicitor at 16 Finsbury-circus aforesaid on or before the eleventh day of October 1897 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this sixth day of September 1897.

WILL. H. PATERSON 16 Finsbury-circus E.C. Solicitor for the Executors.

**Re ERNEST ALFRED BULLOCK Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Ernest Alfred Bullock late of Moorcroft Hillingdon Uxbridge in the county of Middlesex Bachelor deceased (who died on the 2nd day of July 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of August 1897 by Alfred Græme Dick of 39 Lombard-street in the city of London and George Herbert Newman of 75 and 76 Cornhill in the city of London the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 7th day of October 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the people entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

DALE NEWMAN and HOJD 75 and 76 Cornhill E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

**THOMAS EDMUND SMITH JELLEY Deceased.**

22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Edmund Smith Jelley late of Garston House Frome in the county of Somerset Gentleman deceased (who died on the 30th day of April 1897) are hereby required to send in their claims or demands to us the undersigned, Solicitors on behalf of Herbert Edmund Ames of Frome aforesaid Solicitor the executor of the will of the said Thomas Edmund Smith Jelley, on or before the 30th September 1897 after which date 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 he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

E. G. AMES and SON Frome Solicitors to the said Executor.



**THOMAS WILLIAMS Deceased.**

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the twenty-second and twenty-third years of the reign of Her present Majesty cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Williams late of No. 10 Windsor-terrace Abernart Aberdare in the county of Glamorgan retired Weigher deceased (who died on or about the 28th day of July 1897 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Margaret Williams the Widow and relic of the said deceased on the 26th day of August 1897) are hereby requested to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Margaret Williams or to the undersigned her Solicitors on or before the 2nd day of November 1897 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall then have notice and that she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

LINTON and C. and W. KENSHOLE Canon-street, Aberdare Solicitors for the Administratrix.

**SOPHIA FISK 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Sophia Fisk late of Ipswich in the county of Suffolk Widow, deceased (who died on the 12th day of May 1896 and whose will with two codicils thereto, was proved in the Ipswich District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of June 1896, by William Alfred Elliston of Stoke Hall Belstead-road Ipswich aforesaid Doctor of Medicine, and Henry Mason Jackaman of No. 20 Burlington-road, in Ipswich aforesaid Solicitor, the executors therein named,) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 11th day of October 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons, of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

JACKAMAN SONS and MILLER Solicitors for the Executors, 37, Silent-street, Ipswich.

**Re Miss CHRISTINA REBECCA MACLEOD, Deceased.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of Christina Rebecca MacLeod, late of 1 Hill-terrace, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 16th day of August 1897 and probate of whose will was granted by the Principal Registry on the 2nd day of September 1897 to Charles Granville Kekewich, the executor named in the said will) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 9th day of October 1897, after which date the said executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of September 1897.

RENSHAW KEKEWICH and SMITH 2 Suffolk-lane, London, E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

**Re Captain HUGH EVANS Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the late Captain Hugh Evans of Neyland in the county of Pembroke Gentleman late Captain and Superintendent in the Trinity Service deceased (who died on the 7th day of January 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 12th day of August 1897 by Mary Evans of Hill House Neyland in the county of Pembroke Widow and William Hugh Warren of Villa Nuova Glengearry Kingstown Dublin in the county of Dublin) are hereby required to send the

particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 4th day of October next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

D. HUGHES BROWN Solicitor Meyrick-street  
Pembroke Dock;

SUTTON and SONS Solicitors 22 Harcourt-street  
Dublin Solicitors for the said Executors.

**GEORGE ELKINGTON 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Elkington late of Oakdene 7, Victoria-road Worthing in the county of Sussex formerly of Brianford Anerley-road Anerley in the county of Surrey Gentleman (who died on the 23rd day of July 1897 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of August 1897 by Emily Anne Elkington of Oakdene 7 Victoria-road aforesaid and William Alfred Surridge of Tronmaca Auckland-road Upper Norwood in the county of Surrey the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 30 day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

C. W. DOMMETT and SON 46 Gresham-street  
London E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

**MARY JANE CHARLTON INNES Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Jane Charlton Innes late of 26 Albany-terrace Whitley in the county of Northumberland, Spinster, deceased (who died on or about the 21st day of July 1896 intestate) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned, the Solicitor to Annie Stephen the administratrix of the personal estate and effects of the deceased (acting under letters of administration granted to her by the District Registry at Newcastle-upon-Tyne attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 6th day of August 1897) on or before the second day of October 1897 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of August 1897.

CHARLES PERCY Alnwick Solicitor for the Administratrix.

**JAMES HOPPER CHAPLIN Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of James Hopper Chaplin late of No. 28 Penywern-road Earl's Court in the county of London Gentleman (who died on the 11th June 1897 and whose will was proved by Alice Isabella Chaplin the Widow of the deceased and Barrow Emanuel, the executors therein named in the Principal Registry on the 1st day of September instant) are required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned by the 20th day of October next after which date the executors will distribute the assets having regard only to claims then received.—Dated this 6th day of September 1897.

LINDO and CO. 2 and 3 West-street Finsbury-circus E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

**MARY MARGARET SPICER Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estates of Mary Margaret Spicer late of 63 Finchley New-road Hampstead in the county of Middlesex Spinster who died on the 20th day of June 1888 and whose will (with two codicils thereto) was proved by Esther Mary Ollerenshaw and Marmaduke Spicer Shaw the executors therein named in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of August 1888 are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 11th day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

ANDREW WOOD and PURVES, 8 Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, W.C. Solicitors to the said Executors.

**FRANCIS HORATIO PRYCE, Deceased.****LUCY JANE PRYCE his Wife, Deceased.**

And their Children

**ALICE PRYCE, Deceased and EDWARD PRYCE Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against any one or more of the respective estates of (a) Francis Horatio Pryce late of Southsea in the county of Hants formerly a Clerk in the India Office Whitehall London and of Fareham in the said county of Hants who died on the 29th December 1889 and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of August 1897 to Howard Lloyd Pryce (b) Lucy Jane Pryce (Widow of the above-named Francis Horatio Pryce) late of 17 Campbell-road Southsea but formerly of 66, Lawrence-road Southsea who died on the 17th June 1897 and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the said Principal Registry on the 24th day of August 1897 to the said Howard Lloyd Pryce (c) Edward Pryce (son of the above named Francis Horatio Pryce and Lucy Jane Pryce) late of South Rochester-place Bromley in the county of Kent a Lieutenant in the Royal Indian Marine who died on the 1st day of November 1879 and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the said Principal Registry on the 31st day of August 1897 to the said Howard Lloyd Pryce (d) Alice Pryce (daughter of the above-named Francis Horatio Pryce and Lucy Jane Pryce) Spinster late of the Cedars Southsea in the county of Hants who died on the 2nd May 1881 and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the said Principal Registry on the 31st day of August 1897 to the said Howard Lloyd Pryce, are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 11th day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the respective assets of the said Francis Horatio Pryce Lucy Jane Pryce Alice Pryce and Edward Pryce amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

ANDREW WOOD and PURVES, 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, W.C. Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**ELIZABETH JANE ALLEN Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Elizabeth Jane Allen (the wife of Arthur Chichester Allen formerly Elizabeth Jane Shaw daughter of the late Joseph Shaw of Celbridge in Ireland subsequently Elizabeth Jane Stevenson at one time residing at Chichester Park Belfast in Ireland subsequently of Hamilton-road Ponsonby Auckland in the Colony of New Zealand but late of Tauranga in the provincial district of Auckland aforesaid who died on the 25th day of December 1895 and of whose personal estate in England letters of administration (with her will annexed) were granted to William Wood Esquire (one of the lawful attorneys of the said Arthur Chichester Allen and Edward Beaty Alexander the executors of the said will residing in the said colony of New Zealand) by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of

Her Majesty's High Court of Justice in England on the 19th day of June 1897 are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 11th day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that after that day the said administrator will proceed to pay over the assets of the said testatrix to the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

ANDREW WOOD and PURVES, 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, W.C. Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**JANE SPICER Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Jane Spicer formerly of 63 Finchley New-road Hampstead but late of 6 Gordon-road Ealing both in the county of Middlesex Spinster who died on the 22nd day of February 1897 and whose will with the codicil thereto was proved by Esther Mary Ollerenshaw and the Reverend Marmaduke Spicer Shaw the executors therein named in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 30th day of April 1897 are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 11th day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September 1897.

ANDREW WOOD and PURVES, 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

**MARY ATKINS Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statutes 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Atkins late of 111 the Grove Ealing in the county of Middlesex Spinster deceased who died on the 29th day of June 1897 at Melrose Christchurch-road Boscombe in the county of Hants and whose will was proved by John Wood Catherine Mary Evershed and Annie Sophia Evershed the executors therein named in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 5th day of August 1897 are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 11th day of October 1897 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among 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 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 4th day of September 1897.

ANDREW WOOD and PURVES 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, W.C. Solicitors to the said Executors.

**Re JOHN BORROWMAN Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the late John Borrowman of Meyrick-street North Pembroke Dock in the county of Pembroke Travelling Draper deceased (who died on the 10th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of August 1897 by Thomas Fraser of Diamond-street Pembroke Dock aforesaid Draper, one of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executor on or before the 5th day of October next after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

D. HUGHES BROWN Meyrick-street, Pembroke Solicitor for the said Executor.

**HENRY LEVY LESLIE Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Levy Leslie formerly of Douro House Wellington-road Edgbaston and late of Hoelgerrig near Abergavenny in the county of Monmouth Gentleman deceased (who died on the 8th day of August 1896 and whose will was proved by Charles Frederick Price one of the executors therein named on the 17th day of December 1896 in the Llandaff Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned on or before the 30th day of September 1897 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of September 1897.

**PRICE and SON** Clarendon-chambers 1 and 2 Waterloo-street Birmingham Solicitors for the said Executor.

**ELLEN WHEELER Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Ellen Wheeler late of Solihull in the county of Warwick Widow deceased who died on the 16th day of October 1896 and whose will was proved by William Yeomans the surviving executor therein named on the 21st day of December 1896 in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned on or before the 30th day of September 1897 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of September 1897.

**PRICE and SON,** Clarendon-chambers 1 and 2 Waterloo-street, Birmingham Solicitors for the said Executor.

**JOHN THOMAS GLEW Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Thomas Glew late of 8 Cromwell-street Birmingham in the county of Warwick and also trading under the style of W. Bonham at 8 and 9 Cromwell-street aforesaid as Furniture Remover and Haulier deceased (who died on the 7th day of April 1897 and whose will was proved by Frank Moore and George Watts the executors therein named on the 9th day of June 1897 in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned on or before the 30th day of September 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto 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 1st day of September 1897.

**PRICE and SON** Clarendon-chambers 1 and 2 Waterloo-street Birmingham Solicitors for the said Executors.

**BENJAMIN TAYLOR Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Benjamin Taylor formerly of No. 17 City-road London and late of Clementine-villa Number 281 Romford-road Forest Gate Essex (who died on the 2nd day of March 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th day of May 1897 by the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me

the undersigned on or before the 14th day of October 1897 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

**GEORGE TURNER** 78 Leadenhall-street E.C. Solicitor for the Executors.

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Matthew Andrew late of High-street Congleton in the county of Chester Butcher deceased (who died on the 11th day of July 1883, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th day of January 1884) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for Jacob Ward and Linley Fish the executors of the will of Mary Ann Andrew deceased, who was the surviving executrix and trustee of the will of the said Matthew Andrew deceased, on or before the thirtieth day of September 1897, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Matthew Andrew deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said Matthew Andrew deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

**A. STEELE SHELDON** Congleton Solicitor.

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Grierson late of 121 Tynemouth-road in the city and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne Draper deceased (who died on the 8th day of May 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 21st day of July 1897, by William Smith Firth and Anna Mary Grierson the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 30th day of September instant, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

**WOOLER and WOOLER,** 36, Priestgate, Darlington, Solicitors for the Executors.

**WILLIAM ALLSUP Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Allsup late of Bank House Warton and Grange Farm Freckleton both in the county of Lancaster (who died on the 26th of May 1896) are required to forward particulars in writing of such claims to me the undersigned on or before the 18th day of September next after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

**THOMAS WHITEHEAD,** 54 Fishergate, Preston, Solicitor for the Executors.

**JOHN KEIGHT Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

**ALL** persons having any claims against the estate of John Keight late of Cromwell-street Birmingham in the county of Warwick Iron and Brass Moulder are hereby required to send the particulars thereof on or before the 16th day of October 1897 to us the undersigned otherwise they will be excluded as the executors will after that date proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

**SHUTE and SWINSON** 2 1/2 Waterloo-street Birmingham Solicitors for the Executors.

MARY ANN SARAH JOSSELYN Decea ed.

Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Ann Sarah Josselyn late of Fornham Priory Suffolk Widow deceased (who died on the 10th June last and whose will was proved in the Bury St. Edmunds District Registry on the 14th August last by Arthur Henry Josselyn and Willoughby Josselyn the executors) are required to send particulars thereof to us before the 2nd October next after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th September 1897.

JOSSELYN and SONS, Ipswich, Solicitors for the Executors.

Water Orton and Curdworth Warwickshire.

**T**O be sold pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice made in an action Perks v. Shepherd 1895 P. 1484 with the approbation of Mr. Justice Romer by Mr. William Fowler (of the firm of William Fowler Pemberton and Bewlay) the person appointed by the said Judge at the Property Mart 69 Temple-row Birmingham in the county of Warwick the 30th day of September 1897 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon precisely in 3 lots:—

A certain small freehold farm with convenient house buildings &c. situate at Jack O'Watton one mile from Water Orton Station (Midland Railway) and a field of turf land in the village of Curdworth.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had gratis of Messrs. Taylor Hoare and Pilcher Solicitors 12 Norfolk-street Strand London Mr. Arthur Toovey Solicitor 8 Orchard-street Portman-square London W. Messrs. Lee and Russell Solicitors Newhall-street Birmingham, Messrs. Bennett Boycott Orme and Goodman Solicitors Chapel-en-le-Frith near Stockport and at the offices of the Auctioneer 69 Temple-row Birmingham and 24 High-street Sutton Coldfield.

C. BURNEY Master of the Supreme Court.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of James Monks deceased and in an action Elizabeth Gibson on behalf of herself and all other the unsatisfied creditors of the said deceased against Elizabeth Barrow Widow the creditors of the said James Monks late of Aden Cottage near Durham in the county of Durham and of Boscombe near Bournemouth in the county of Hants Widower who died in or about the month of August 1896 are on or before the 1st day of October 1897, to send by post prepaid to Mr. Thomas Howard Stanley of Walsall in the county of Stafford a member of the firm of Stanley and Jackson of the same place the Solicitor of the defendant Elizabeth Barrow the executor of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Kekewich at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London on Wednesday the 27th day of October 1897 at 12 o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

ADAM BURN and SON 6, Bell-yard Doctors' Commons Agents for STEAVENSON and SONS Darlington Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

Under Deed of Assignment dated the 23rd day of October 1895 re William Henry Allcock of Long-street Atherstone Grocer and Provision Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a Third and Final Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared herein and will be paid by me at my office in Coleshill-street Atherstone on and after the 9th day of September 1897.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

J. WALKER BRIGGS, Trustee.  
ALFRED SALE Atherstone, Solicitor to the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors executed by John Bernard King carrying on business as a Boot and Shoe Manufacturer at 290 Old-street, in the county of London and trading as Pike and King dated the 22nd day of February 1896.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors of the above-named John Bernard King who have not sent in their claims are hereby requested to send particulars in writing of such claim to Messrs. A. C. Palmer and Co, of 7 and 8 Railway-approach, London

Bridge, S.E., Chartered Accountants on or before Monday the 13th day of September 1897 after which date the Trustees under such deed will proceed to distribute the funds in their hands having regard only to claims of which they have received particulars.—Dated this 3rd day of September 1897.

LEAROYD JAMES and MELLOR 12 Coleman-street E.C. Solicitors to the Trustees.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, dated the 29th day of March 1892 and executed by Arthur Edward Smithers late of Holme-field, St. John's Wood Park in the county of Middlesex, formerly a Bank Director.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a First and Final Dividend is about to be declared in the above matter. Any person or persons who have not already sent in their claims against the above named debtor are required to forward particulars thereof in writing to us, the undersigned Trustees, at No. 5 Moorgate-street, London E.C. on or before the 6th day of October 1897, in default of which the estate will be distributed by us having regard only to the claims of which we shall then have had notice.—Dated this sixth day of September 1897.

THOMAS A. WELTON,  
FAIRFAX KERR, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire holden at Wrexham.

**A** DIVIDEND of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors instituted by Charles Edward Kershaw of No. 2 Derby-road, High Town, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Accountant, and will be paid by me at my offices Crypt-chambers, Chester, on and after Thursday the 23rd day of September 1897 between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock and Saturdays 10 and 1 o'clock.—Dated this 10th day of September 1897.

LL. HUGH-JONES, Official Receiver and Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire holden at Wrexham.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 2½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Thomas Cambrian Jones, of Cefn Mawr, in the parish of Ruabon in the county of Denbigh, Draper-Grocer and General Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of December 1875, and will be paid by me at my offices Crypt-chambers, Chester, on and after Thursday the 23rd day of September 1897 between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock and Saturdays 10 and 1 o'clock.—Dated this 10th day of September 1897.

LL. HUGH-JONES, Official Receiver and Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire holden at Bangor.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 8½d. in the pound has been declared in the Matter of William Pritchard of Regent House, Festiniog, in the county of Merioneth, Grocer and Provision Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of March 1883, and will be paid by me at my offices Crypt-chambers, Chester, on and after Thursday the 23rd day of September 1897 between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock and Saturdays 10 and 1 o'clock.—Dated this 10th day of September 1897.

LL. HUGH-JONES, Official Receiver and Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated the 1st day of October, 1863, against the Reverend Ralph William Lionel Tollemache, formerly of South Witham, in the county of Lincoln, then of No. 27, Brixton-place, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, then of Manor House, Feltham, in the county of Middlesex, then of Gothic Cottage, Hammersmith, in the said county of Middlesex, Clerk.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First and Final Dividend, at the rate of twenty shillings in the pound, and Statutory interest, is now payable, and that drafts for the same may be received, by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's Department, Room 99, Bankruptcy-buildings, High Court of Justice, Carey-street, W.C., any day until the 26th day of February next, between the hours of eleven and two on each day, Saturdays excepted. No drafts can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the time of proof of debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of the will or letters of administration under which they claim.—2nd day of September, 1897.

E. LEADAM HOUGH, Official Receiver, performing the duties of Official Assignee.

## The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Durham holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

**A** SUPPLEMENTAL Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Thersby of Number 3 Stone Bridge, Darlington in the county of Durham, Tailor and Draper, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 31st day of October 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 28th day of September 1897 will be excluded from this Dividend.—Dated this 2nd day of September 1897.

W. G. SIMPSON 8 Albert-road, Middlesborough  
Deputy Official Receiver.

**T**HE estates of William Hunter Hardware Merchant, 39 Crossgate Cupar in the county of Fife were sequestrated on the 1st day of September 1897 by the Sheriff-Substitute of Fifeshire at Cupar.

The first deliverance is dated the 1st day of September 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 11 o'clock forenoon on Monday the thirteenth day of September 1897 within the Tontine Hotel Cupar Fife.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 1st January 1898.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ALFRED D. LAWRIE, 9 Ward-road, Dundee,  
Agent.

**T**HE estates of John McBurney, Hotel Keeper, Saracen's Head Hotel, Saltcoats, were sequestrated on the second day of September eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the second day of September eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, within the Royal Hotel, Duke-street, Kilmarnock.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the second day of January eighteen hundred and ninety-eight.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Ayr at Kilmarnock.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ADAM CAIRNS SMITH Solicitor 9, John Dickie-street, Kilmarnock Agent.

**T**HE estates of Mrs. Janet Saunders, Widow, Pawnbroker Gallowgate Glasgow, and residing at Kenmure Cottage, Tollicross near Glasgow were sequestrated on the 2nd day of September 1897 by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first deliverance is dated the 23rd day of August 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 10th day of September 1897 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 2nd day of January 1898.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

D. and J. HILL Writers 136 West Regent-street  
Glasgow Agents.

**T**HE estates of W. P. Oliver Accountant 100 Wellington-street Glasgow were sequestrated on the 3rd day of September 1897, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first deliverance on the petition for cessio converted into sequestration is dated 3rd August 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 17th day of September 1897 within the Faculty Hall St. George's-place Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3rd day of January 1898.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN M. SOLATER, Solicitor,  
Glasgow, Agent.

ANDREW LITTLE, Solicitor, Glasgow,  
Agent for Creditors concurring.

**T**HE estates of John Keltie, Ironmonger, Aberfeldy were sequestrated on 2nd September 1897, by the Sheriff of the county of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated 2nd September, 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon on Thursday the 16th day of September, 1897, within the Solicitors' Library, County-buildings, Perth.

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 2nd day of January, 1898.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

KIPPEN and RITCHIE, Solicitors, Perth, Agents.  
38, Tay-street, Perth, 3rd September, 1897.

**T**HE estates of Thomas A. Ogilvy, Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant, carrying on business at No. 33 Castle-street, Forfar, and now or lately lodging at No. 30 Manor-street there, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of September 1897 by the Sheriff of the county of Forfar.

The first deliverance is dated the 24th day of August 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday the 15th day of September 1897, within the Royal Hotel in Forfar.

A composition may be offered at this meeting and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3rd day of January 1898.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

YOUNG and GRAY, Solicitors,  
20 East High-street, Forfar, Agents.

**T**HE estates of Rait and McNicol, Chemists and Druggists, 154 and 362 Dumbarton-road, Partick, and John McNicol, Chemist and Druggist there sole Partner of said firm as such Partner and as an Individual were sequestrated on the 2nd day of September, 1897, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 2nd day of September, 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Monday 13th day of September, 1897, 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 debts must be lodged on or before the 2nd day of January 1898.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Lanark at Glasgow.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

PATRICK and JAMES S.S.O. 8A, Abercromby-place, Edinburgh, Agents.

**T**HE estates of Albert Rolf and Company, of 47, Ingram-street, Glasgow, and Hermann Amandus Albert Rolf also of 47 Ingram-street, Glasgow, aforesaid, Provision Importer Partner of that firm as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the first day of September, 1897 by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated twelfth August, 1897.

The meeting to elect Trustee, and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday 10th September, 1897 within the Faculty Hall, 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 first January 1898.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JNO. B. CLARK L.A.  
145 Queen-street, Glasgow, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Lawrence Paterson, sometime Laundryman Damside, Gorgie, and presently residing at 5 Stewart-terrace, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of September, 1897, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 16th day of August, 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 2 o'clock afternoon on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, 1897, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and, to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3rd day of January, 1898.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WILLIAM GREEN S.S.O., Agent,  
28 Queen-street, Edinburgh.

**THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890.**  
**RECEIVING ORDERS.**

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
2785	Boothby, Thomas ...	7, New Turnstile, Holborn, London ...	Carpenter and Builder ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 5, 1897	839 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	484	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2786	Goldstein, Nathan ...	54, Goldhurst-terrace, South Hampstead, Middlesex	Money Lender ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 18, 1897	1021 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	488	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2787	Tomkins, Frederick James	5, Crown Office-row, Temple, and Chester Lodge, Teddington, Middlesex	Barrister-at-Law...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 29, 1897	946 of 1897	Aug. 26, 1897	474	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2788	Willis, George (trading as C. Maitland and Frank Wilson)	74, Ondine-road, Peckham, in the county of London	Advertising Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Sept. 3, 1897	1090 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	486	Debtor's	
2789	Wilson, Charles Somerville	53, Elgin-crescent, Notting Hill, W., lately carrying on business at 53, Elgin-crescent, Notting Hill aforesaid	Schoolmaster ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 11, 1897	994 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	485	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2790	Goldthorp, Herbert ...	Castlewood-place, Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, carrying on business at Palatine Works, Ashton-under-Lyne aforesaid	Leather Merchant	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	Sept. 1, 1897	13 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	9	Debtor's	
2791	Burrow, John Thomas ...	Hartland, Devonshire ...	Machinist ...	Barnstaple ...	Sept. 2, 1897	16 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	10	Debtor's	
2792	Merryman, Francis ...	The Rope and Anchor Inn, Atherton, Lancashire	Licensed Victualler	Bolton ...	Sept. 4, 1897	30 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	28	Debtor's	
2793	Tremayne, Richard Henry	58, Brook-street, lately 20, Rock-street, Bury, Lancashire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Bolton ...	Sept. 2, 1897	29 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	27	Debtor's	
2794	Carter, George (trading as Hanson, Carter, and Co.)	Residing at 13, Howard-street, and carrying on business at Quebec Works, 29, Brewery-lane, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Mechanical Engineer	Bradford	Sept. 2, 1897	73 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	72	Debtor's	
2795	Thompson, William ...	Formerly residing at 114, Mumby-street, now in lodgings at 84, Shuttleworth-lane, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Warehouseman ...	Bradford	Sept. 1, 1897	72 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897	71	Debtor's	
2796	Field, William ...	The Green, Wick, in the county of Gloucester	Builder ...	Bristol ...	Aug. 23, 1897	45 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	43	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883



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2797	Stoddart, George Ward...	79 and 81, Wells-road, Totterdown, Bristol ...	Draper ... ..	Bristol ... ..	Sept. 2, 1897	48 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	42	Debtor's	
2798	Bullock, Charles... ..	Residing at 3, Plover-street, and carrying on business at 8, Hart-street and Rosegrove, all in Burnley, Lancashire	Stonemason and Builder and Contractor	Burnley... ..	Sept. 2, 1897	18 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	16	Debtor's	
2799	Evans, Edward ... ..	10, Dinam-street, Nantymoel, in the county of Glamorgan	Journeyman Saddler, late Newsagent	Cardiff ... ..	Sept. 2, 1897	68 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	68	Debtor's	
2800	Scott, George (lately trading as Scott Brothers)	15, Duke-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, lately residing and carrying on business under the style of Scott Brothers at 15, Duke-street, Cardiff	Baker, Confectioner, and Restaurant Keeper	Cardiff ... ..	Sept. 3, 1897	69 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	69	Debtor's	
2801	Hull, William Henry ...	25, Eastgate-row North, in the city of Chester, lately carrying on business at 14, Market-hall, Chester aforesaid	Butcher ... ..	Chester... ..	Sept. 4, 1897	11 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	11	Debtor's	
2802	Harris, Leopold Edward	Residing at 1, Moseley-villas, Coundon-street, in the city of Coventry, Warwickshire	Lately Manager of a Cycle Company	Coventry ... ..	Sept. 4, 1897	8 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	6	Debtor's	
2803	Pulham, John Dyke ... ..	Bath-street, Frome, Somersetshire ... ..	Grocer and Cheese Factor	Frome ... ..	Sept. 3, 1897	5 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	5	Debtor's	
2804	Moxey, Francis Samuel...	Myrtle-villas, Colville-road, Kirkley-next-Lowestoft, and lately carrying on business at Lowestoft	Smackowner ... ..	Great Yarmouth	Sept. 3, 1897	16 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	15	Debtor's	
2805	Walker, Robert William	42, St. James'-road, Halifax, Yorkshire ...	Plumber ... ..	Halifax... ..	Sept. 2, 1897	27 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	27	Debtor's	
2806	Waller, Thomas ... ..	54, Piccadilly, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, and Stockwell Gate, Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham	Printer, Stationer, and Newsagent	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	Sept. 4, 1897	21 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	16	Debtor's	
2807	Chatfield, Charles John	Marden, in the county of Kent ... ..	Butcher ... ..	Maidstone ...	Sept. 2, 1897	7 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	6	Debtor's	
2803	Taylor, George Alfred ...	Polruan, in the county of Cornwall ... ..	Grocer ... ..	Flymouth and East Stonehouse	Sept. 3, 1897	52 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	46	Debtor's	

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition
2809	Boswell, Alfred ...	13, Southcoote-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, lately residing at Bonsall, Matlock Bath, in the county of Derby, and at 64, High-street, Southampton, in the county of Hants	Colour Maker ...	Poole ...	Sept. 1, 1897	21 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897	20	Debtor's	
2810	Hobens, Walter Richard Howel	Charminster-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants	No occupation, formerly carrying on business as a Licensed Victualler in copartnership with William Henry Willis at the Parkstone Hotel, in Parkstone, in the county of Dorset	Poole ...	Aug. 9, 1897	17 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	21	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2811	Roberts, David Morris ...	Tymawr, parish of Uwchyllyn, Carnarvonshire	Builder and Contractor...	Portmadoc and Blaenan Festiniog	Sept. 2, 1897	10 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	10	Debtor's	
2812	Farrow, Nathan Charnley	Imperial-buildings, Whitworth, near Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster	Tailor ...	Rochdale ...	Sept. 4, 1897	9 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	9	Debtor's	
2813	Bayley, John Henry ...	11, Firwood-avenue, Urmston-lane, Stretford, Lancashire, late the Railway Inn, Ashton New-road, Beswick, Lancashire	Out of employment, late Beer Retailer	Salford ...	Aug. 19, 1897	25 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	24	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2814	Morris, Arthur, and Richardson, George (trading as Morris and Richardson)	17, Avenue-road, in the city of Sheffield 77, Newark-street, Attercliffe, in the same city 86, Wellington-street, in the said city ...	Outlery and General Merchants	Sheffield ...	Sept. 4, 1897	41 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	35	Debtor's	
2815	Jeffreys, Rhys ...	Bristol House, Penclawdd, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer ...	Swansea ...	Sept. 3, 1897	22 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	22	Debtor's	
2816	Williams, John Herbert	2, Alexander-terrace, Ackworth, late of the Mount, Low Ackworth, Yorkshire	Painter ...	Wakefield ...	Sept. 1, 1897	26 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897	25	Debtor's	
2817	Partridge, James ...	62, the Green, Darlaston, Staffordshire, lately residing at 55, the Green, and formerly at Booth-street, and carrying on business at Willenhall-road, all in Darlaston aforesaid	Boatbuilder ...	Walsall ...	Sept. 1, 1897	31 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897	50	Debtor's	



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2818	Jewell, W. A. ...	Sunshine, Barnes, in the county of Surrey ...	Builder ... ..	Wandsworth ...	July 28, 1897	32 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	23	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2819	Greenfield, Robert ...	17, Bath-street and Ranelagh Nursery, Ranelagh-street, Leamington, in the county of Warwick	Nurseryman, Landscape Gardener, Seedsman, Florist, and Fruiterer	Warwick ...	Sept. 3, 1897	4 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	4	Debtor's	
2820	Seddon, Edwin ...	339, Ormskirk-road, Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster	Timber Agent ... ..	Wigan ... ..	Sept. 3, 1897	14 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	14	Debtor's	
2821	Capewell, Walter, and Brazier, James Lawrence (trading in copartnership as Branston and Company)	Green-lane, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Cycle Manufacturers ...	Wolverhampton	Aug. 31, 1897	30 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	23	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 24th August, 1897.</i>										
2667	Reynolds, John Oliver, the younger	Formerly of King's Lynn, now of Heacham, Norfolk	Coal Merchant's Traveler	King's Lynn ...	Aug. 21, 1897	11 of 1897	Aug. 21, 1897	11	Debtor's	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Bonacina, Ludovico	53, New Broad-street, in the city of London	Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	967 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Oct. 13, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Daniell, Augustus Warwick Bampfylde	Formerly of Kenbury, Devonshire, late of 14, Leinster-square, in the county of London, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	Gentleman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	855 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	1 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Oct. 13, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Davis, Charles, and Harvey, James (lately trading as Davis and Harvey) ...	Lately carrying on business at 29, Charles-street, Hatton-garden, in the county of London, but whose present place or places of business and residence the Petitioning Creditor has been unable to ascertain	Late Stick Manufacturers and Copartners	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	987 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Oct. 13, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Hersee, Sidney ...	14 and 15, Coleman-street, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	880 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Oct. 20, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Hunt, William Maurice	Residing at 12, Woolstone-road, Catford, Kent, and carrying on business at Monument-buildings, in the city of London	Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1082 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Oct. 20, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	Sept. 3, 1897
Wilkinson, J. D., and Miles, Isaac (now or lately trading as The Star Mineral Water Company)	125, 126, and 127, High-street, Shadwell, London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	856 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Oct. 13, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Baldwin, Arthur ...	22, Wind-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire	Contractor ...	Aberdare ...	18 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	2 P.M.	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	Oct. 11, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Temperance Hall, Aberdare	Sept. 3, 1897
Adams, Jabez ...	87, High-street West, Glossop, Derbyshire	Clothier ...	Ashton - under - Lyne and Stalybridge	12 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Oct. 7, 1897	12.45 P.M.	Townhall, Ashton - under - Lyne	Sept. 4, 1897
Clark, Robert Brunton	Voryd Hotel, Voryd, Rhyl, Flintshire	Hotel Keeper ...	Bangor ...	25 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate - row, Chester	Oct. 7, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	
Owen, Elizabeth (trading as the Century Cycle and Fittings Company)	264, Icknield-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Cycle Maker, Spinster	Birmingham ...	66 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore - row, Birmingham	Oct. 4, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Aug. 28, 1897
Randel, William James	187, Icknield-street, Hockley, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Dealer in Tobacco	Birmingham ...	65 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore - row, Birmingham	Oct. 18, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Aug. 28, 1897
Swanne, James Clark	Lyndale, Hall-road, Handsworth, Staffordshire	Manufacturer's Manager	Birmingham ...	67 of 1897	Sept. 17, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore - row, Birmingham	Oct. 18, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Aug. 28, 1897
Tremayne, Richard Henry	58, Brook - street, Bury, formerly of 20, Rock-street, Bury, Lancashire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Bolton ...	29 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	16, Wood - street, Bolton	Sept. 27, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Mawdsley - street, Bolton	Sept. 3, 1897
Blackburn, James ...	29, Marsland-place, Leeds-road, in the city of Bradford	Iron Pulley Maker	Bradford ...	71 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Oct. 13, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	Sept. 4, 1897
Carter, George (trading as Hanson, Carter, and Co.)	Residing at 13, Howard-street, and carrying on business at Quebec Works, 29, Brewery-lane, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Mechanical Engineer	Bradford ...	73 of 1897	Sept. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Oct. 27, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	
Thompson, William ...	Formerly residing at 114, Mumby-street, now in lodgings at 34, Shuttleworth-lane, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Warehouseman ...	Bradford ...	72 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Oct. 27, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	Sept. 4, 1897

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Buckingham, Frederick William	200, Hotwell-road, in the city and county of Bristol	Cycle Manufacturer	Bristol ...	47 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Oct. 15, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Sept. 2, 1897
Field, William	The Green, Wick, in the county of Gloucester	Builder ...	Bristol ...	45 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	1 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Oct. 15, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Stoddart, George Ward	79 and 81, Wells-road, Totterdown, Bristol	Draper ...	Bristol ..	48 of 1897	Sept. 17, 1897	2 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Sept. 24, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Rawlinson, John	3, Knightsbridge - grove, Colne-road, Burnley, Lancashire	Machinery Merchant	Burnley ...	14 of 1897	Sept. 17, 1897	2 P.M.	Exchange Hotel, Nicholas - street, Burnley	Oct. 29, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Burnley	Aug. 31, 1897
Lloyd, Frank Benjamin	5, Guildford-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, lately carrying on business at Hope-street, Cardiff	Fruit and Potato Merchant	Cardiff ...	67 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 29, Queen-street, Cardiff	Oct. 15, 1897	10 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	Aug. 27, 1897
Peters, Percy Frederick	38A, Winchcomb - street, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Bootmaker ...	Cheltenham ...	10 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Station-road, Gloucester	Oct. 14, 1897	12 noon	County Court, Cheltenham	Aug. 30, 1897
Chambers, Charles	The Cups Hotel, Harwich, Essex	Hotel Proprietor...	Colchester ...	19 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	2 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich.	Sept. 20, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Colchester	
Shakespeare, William	93, Nottingham - road, Derby, Derbyshire	Cycle Dealer and Pattern Maker	Derby ...	28 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Oct. 19, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, 20, St. Peter's-churchyard, Derby	Sept. 3, 1897
Jackson, William	55, King-street, Morley, in the county of York, formerly carrying on business at the Great Northern Railway Goods Yard at Morley aforesaid	Coal Merchant ...	Dewsbury ...	15 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Oct. 5, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	Aug. 18, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Roberts, James Gould	Norton St. Philip, in the county of Somerset	Miller ... ..	Frome' ... ..	4 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Oct. 19, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Mechanics' Hall, Frome	
Walker, Robert William	42, St. James's-road, Halifax, Yorkshire	Plumber ... ..	Halifax... ..	27 of 1897	Oct. 4, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Halifax	Oct. 4, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Prescott - street, Halifax	Sept. 3, 1897
Hudson, William ...	Residing at Beck Farm, Low Baildon, Shipley, in the county of York	Farmer and Milk Dealer	Leeds ... ..	56 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Sept. 28, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Aug. 30, 1897
Chatfield, Charles John	Marden, Kent ... ..	Butcher ... ..	Maidstone ... ..	7 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 9, King-street, Maidstone	Sept. 22, 1897	12 noon	Sessions-house, Maidstone	Sept. 3, 1897
Williams, Charles Prosser	49, Picton-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Grocer ... ..	Merthyr Tydfil	11 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	12 noon	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	Oct. 13, 1897	3 P.M.	Court - house, Graham-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Sept. 4, 1897
Lightwood, Alfred Henry	88, Old Christchurch-road, Bournemouth, Hampshire	Gunmaker and Dealer in Sporting Stores	Poole ... ..	19 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	1 P.M.	Grand Hotel, Bournemouth	Oct. 6, 1897	12 noon	Townhall, Poole	
Piercy, George James	Lately residing at Selwyn Cottage, Surrey - road, Branksome, in the county of Dorset, and carrying on business at Albert-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, and for the greater part of the past six months having resided at the Albert Hotel, Albert - road, Bournemouth, and carried on business at Albert-road, Bournemouth aforesaid	Solicitor ... ..	Poole ... ..	20 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Grand Hotel, Bournemouth	Oct. 6, 1897	12 noon	Townhall, Poole	
Smith, Henry ...	103, Artizan-view, Heeley, in the city of Sheffield	Foreman Mechanic	Sheffield ... ..	39 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Figtree-lane, Sheffield	Sept. 23, 1897	3 P.M.	County Court-hall, Bank-street, Sheffield	Sept. 4, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Ballard, Thomas Henry	Residing and carrying on business at 53, Bellevue-road, in the county borough of Southampton	Greengrocer and Florist	Southampton ...	18 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 4, East-street, Southampton	Oct. 27, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Castle-square, Southampton	Sept. 2, 1897
White, Henry Ablitt...	Gothic Cottage, Bellemoor-road, Shirley, Southampton, in the county of Hants	Commercial Traveller	Southampton ...	19 of 1897	Sept. 20, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 4, East-street, Southampton	Oct. 27, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Castle-square, Southampton	Sept. 2, 1897
Allinson, Andrew ...	Residing and carrying on business at 25, Nelson-street, South Bank, in the county of York	Hairdresser, Tobaccoconist, and Cycle Agent	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	41 of 1897	Sept. 15, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8 Albert-road, Middlesborough	Oct. 6, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge - road, Stockton - on - Tees	Sept. 3, 1897
Weaver, Thomas ...	Whieldon - road, Mount Pleasant, Fenton, Staffordshire	Grocer ...	Stoke - upon - Trent and Longton	5 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme	Sept. 30, 1897	11 A.M.	Townhall, Stoke - upon - Trent	Sept. 1, 1897
Sara, Herbert ...	1, Arwenack-street and 1, Bar-terrace, Falmouth, Cornwall	Chemist and Druggist	Truro ...	35 of 1897	Sept. 16, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro	Oct. 23, 1897	11.45 A.M.	Townhall, Truro	Aug. 31, 1897
Williams, John Herbert	2, Alexander-terrace, Ackworth, and late of the Mount, Low Ackworth, both in Yorkshire	Painter ...	Wakefield ...	26 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Oct. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Wood - street, Wakefield	Sept. 4, 1897
Parker, Thomas ...	Shipton, near York ...	Blacksmith ...	York ...	31 of 1897	Sept. 17, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 28, Stone-gate, York	Oct. 8, 1897	11 A.M.	Courts of Justice, Clifford-street, York	Sept. 4, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date fixed for proceeding with Examination.	Hour.	Place.
Hamlyn, Charles ... ..	Matford Hall, Heavitree, Devonshire...	Gentleman ... ..	Exeter ... ..	"7 of 1897	Sept. 14, 1897 ...	1 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C. (pursuant to an Order and request under sec. 118 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883 dated 18th August, 1897, from the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter)

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ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Hunt, William Maurice ... ..	Residing at 12, Woolstone-road, Catford, Kent, and carrying on business at Monument-buildings, in the city of London	Commission Agent ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1082 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Aug. 31, 1897
Lake, Stanley Cole ... ..	28, Upper Berkeley-street, in the county of London ... ..	Auctioneer and House and Estate Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	864 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	July 12, 1897
Phillips, Edward ... ..	4, Martaban-road, Stamford Hill, lately residing at 47, Glenarm-road, Clapton, both in Middlesex	Retired Examining Officer of Her Majesty's Customs	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1080 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Aug. 31, 1897
Smith, Alfred ... ..	Late of 92, Upland-road, East Dulwich, Surrey, whose present address the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain On the Receiving Order the debtor is described as late of 92, Upland-road aforesaid, but whose present residence is 5, Goldsmith-avenue, Manor Park, Essex	Commercial Traveller ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	782 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897 ...	June 18, 1897
Willis, George (trading as C. Maitland and Frank Wilson)	74, Ondine-road, Peckham, in the county of London ... ..	Advertising Agent ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1090 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Sept. 3, 1897
Wright, William Thomas ... ..	Aubrey House, Woodford, Essex ... ..	Brewer ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	981 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Aug. 9, 1897
Adams, Jabez ... ..	87, High-street West, Glossop, Derbyshire ... ..	Clothier ... ..	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	12 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897 ...	Aug. 23, 1897
Caseley, Andrew ... ..	The Market Hotel, Glossop, Derbyshire ... ..	Innkeeper ... ..	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	11 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897 ...	July 30, 1897
Foulger, Reuben ... ..	Holly Bank Nurseries, Potters Bar, in the county of Middlesex	Nursery Foreman ... ..	Barnet ... ..	15 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897 ...	Aug. 30, 1897
Rainsford, George, and Cartwright, Frank (trading as Rainsford and Cartwright) ... ..	Residing and trading at Chester-road, Erdington, Warwickshire	Mineral Water Manufacturers ... ..	Birmingham ... ..	53 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897
Merryman, Francis ... ..	The Rope and Anchor Inn, Atherton, Lancashire ... ..	Licensed Victualler ... ..	Bolton ... ..	30 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897 ...	Sept. 4, 1897
Tramayne, Richard Henry ... ..	53, Brook-street, lately 20, Rock-street, Bury, Lancashire ... ..	Boot and Shoe Maker ... ..	Bolton ... ..	29 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Sept. 2, 1897
Carter, George (trading as Hanson, Carter, and Co.)	Residing at 13, Howard-street, and carrying on business at Quebec Works, 29, Brewery-lane, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Mechanical Engineer... ..	Bradford ... ..	73 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Sept. 2, 1897



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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Thompson, William ... ..	Formerly residing at 114, Mumby-street, now in lodgings at 34, Shuttleworth-lane, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Warehouseman ... ..	Bradford ... ..	72 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897 ...	Sept. 1, 1897
Reece, John Alonza ... ..	29, Lower-arcade, in the city and county of Bristol ... ..	Cagemaker and Bird Dealer... ..	Bristol ... ..	46 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Aug. 25, 1897
Bullock, Charles ... ..	Residing at 3, Plover-street, and carrying on business at 8, Hart-street and Rosegrove, all in Burnley, Lancashire	Stonemason and Builder and Contractor	Burnley ... ..	18 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Sept. 2, 1897
Evans, Edward ... ..	10, Dinam-street, Nantymoel, in the county of Glamorgan ...	Journeyman Saddler, late News-agent	Cardiff ... ..	68 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Sept. 2, 1897
Ross, Charles (trading as C. Ross and Co.)	14, Glynrhondda-street, Cathays, Cardiff, lately residing and carrying on business at 4, Pembroke-terrace, Cardiff	Travelling Draper ... ..	Cardiff ... ..	61 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	July 14, 1897
Scott, George (lately trading as Scott Brothers)	15, Duke-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, lately residing and carrying on business under the style of Scott Brothers, at 15, Duke-street, Cardiff	Baker, Confectioner, and Restaurant Keeper	Cardiff ... ..	69 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Sept. 3, 1897
Hull, William Henry ... ..	25, Eastgate-row North, in the city of Chester, lately carrying on business at 14, Market-hall, Chester aforesaid	Butcher ... ..	Chester ... ..	11 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897 ...	Sept. 4, 1897
Harris, Leopold Edward ... ..	Residing at 1, Moseley-villas, Coundon-street, in the city of Coventry, Warwickshire	Lately Manager of a Cycle Company	Coventry ... ..	8 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897 ...	Aug. 27, 1897
Burgess, William Alfred (lately trading as Burgess and Co.)	57, Prince George-road, Stoke Newington, county of London, lately residing and carrying on business at 89, Stoke Newington-road, county of London	Lately Grocer and Beer and Spirit Retailer, now of no occupation	Edmonton ... ..	19 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Aug. 25, 1897
Moxey, Francis Samuel ... ..	Myrtle-villas, Colville-road, Kirkley-next-Lowestoft, and lately carrying on business at Lowestoft	Smackowner ... ..	Great Yarmouth ...	16 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Sept. 3, 1897
Walker, Robert William ... ..	42, St. James'-road, Halifax, Yorkshire... ..	Plumber ... ..	Halifax ... ..	27 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897 ...	Sept. 2, 1897
Waller, Thomas ... ..	54, Piccadilly, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, and Stockwell Gate, Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham	Printer, Stationer, and Newsagent...	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	21 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897 ...	Sept. 4, 1897
Croft, John Edments ... ..	Chapel-street, Diss, Norfolk ... ..	Builder and Contractor ... ..	Ipswich ... ..	19 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897 ...	Aug. 19, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Wiles, George	Wilby, Suffolk	Innkeeper	Ipswich	16 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	July 31, 1897
Pay, Charles Frederick	Residing at 209, Smithdown-road, Liverpool, Lancashire, and lately carrying on business at the same place	Laundryman	Liverpool	53 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	Aug. 17, 1897
Chatfield, Charles John	Marden, in the county of Kent	Butcher	Maidstone	7 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	Sept. 2, 1897
Taylor, George Alfred	Polruan, in the county of Cornwall	Grocer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	52 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	Sept. 2, 1897
Roberts, David Morris	Tymawr, parish of Uwchyllyn, Carnarvonshire	Builder and Contractor	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	10 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	Sept. 2, 1897
Farrow, Nathan Charnley	Imperial-buildings, Whitworth, near Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster	Tailor	Rochdale	9 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	Sept. 4, 1897
Marsh, John Warren	The Crown Hotel, Great Stanmore, in the county of Middlesex	Hotel Keeper and Horse Dealer	St. Albans	7 of 1897	Sept. 2, 1897	July 8, 1897
Bayley, John Henry	11, Firwood-avenue, Urmston-lane, Stretford, Lancashire, late the Railway Inn, Ashton New-road, Beswick, Lancashire	Out of employment, late Beer Retailer	Salford	25 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	Aug. 17, 1897
Morris, Arthur, and Richardson, George, (trading as Morris and Richardson)	17, Avenue-road, in the city of Sheffield 77, Newark-street, Attercliffe, in the same city. 86, Wellington-street, in the said city	Cutlery and General Merchants	Sheffield	41 of 1897	Sept. 4, 1897	Sept. 4, 1897
Jeffreys, Rhys	Bristol House, Penclawdd, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer	Swansea	22 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	Sept. 3, 1897
Williams, John Herbert	2, Alexander-terrace, Ackworth, late of the Mount, Low Ackworth, Yorkshire	Painter	Wakefield	26 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897	Sept. 1, 1897
Partridge, James	62, the Green, Darlaston, Staffordshire, lately residing at 55, the Green, and formerly at Booth-street, and carrying on business at Willenhall-road, all in Darlaston aforesaid	Boat Builder	Walsall	31 of 1897	Sept. 1, 1897	Sept. 1, 1897
Seddon, Edwin	339, Ormskirk-road, Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster	Timber Agent	Wigan	14 of 1897	Sept. 3, 1897	Sept. 3, 1897
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Reynolds, John Oliver, the younger	Formerly of King's Lynn, now of Heacham, Norfolk	Coal Merchant's Traveller	King's Lynn	11 of 1897	Aug. 21, 1897	Aug. 21, 1897

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Bedford, Edward Thomas	692, Fulham-road, in the county of London ...	Glass and China Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	41 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Coney, William Frederick	66, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, trading there and at Southend-on-Sea, Essex, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor has been unable to ascertain	Builder and Contractor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	267 of 1896	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Griffin, James Theodore ...	11, Netherall-gardens, Hampstead, lately residing at 45, Maresfield-road, Hampstead, both in the county of London	Out of business ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1875 of 1893	Sept. 21, 1897 ...	Paul Alfred Boulton, Chartered Accountant	110, Cannon-street, London, E.C.
Leader, Arthur ...	Residing and carrying on business at 32 and 34, Roman-road, Old Ford, Middlesex	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	916 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Noakes, Charles Clarence (carrying on business as Wm. Noakes and Son)	Residing at 68, Thicket-road, Anerley, Surrey, carrying on business at 9, Southwark-street, Southwark, Surrey	Hop Factor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1046 of 1896	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	Augustus Cufaude Palmer	7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Waddington, James ...	2, Pancras-lane, in the city of London, and also now or lately of 33, High-street, Sydenham, Kent	Builder, Decorator, and Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1840 of 1888	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Ellis, Thomas, the elder ...	Arran-street, Dolgelly, Merionethshire, lately residing at Erwgoed, Llangelynin, Merionethshire	Retired Farmer ...	Aberystwith...	6 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Sheldon, Henry James ...	Brailles House, Warwickshire ...	Esquire ...	Banbury ...	8 of 1896	Sept. 21, 1897 ...	Charles Henry Davids, Land Agent	Banbury
Kirby, Charles Thomas ...	Rosemont Nursery, North Finchley, Middlesex	Nurseryman ...	Barnet ...	12 of 1896	Sept. 21, 1897 ...	Cecil Mercer, Official Receiver	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Forrest, William ...	59, Newtown-row, Aston, near Birmingham ...	Butcher ...	Birmingham ...	32 of 1897	Sept. 23, 1897 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Saul, Frank Henry (trading as Saul and Co.)	Residing at 124, Walford-road, Sparkbrook, Birmingham, Warwickshire, and trading at 31, High-street, Crewe, Cheshire	Commission Agent and Patent Medicine Vendor	Birmingham ...	14 of 1897	Sept. 23, 1897 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Wright, David ...	5, Barlow-road, Keighley, and carrying on business at 6, Church-street, Keighley, in the county of York	Tailor ...	Bradford ...	55 of 1896	Sept. 18, 1897 ...	Allan Bradley ...	70, North-street, Keighley

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Lloyd, David Percy Marmaduke (trading as Percy Lloyd)	Residing in lodgings at the Laurels, Ammanford, Carmarthenshire, and trading at the Nursery, Spring Water Works, Ammanford aforesaid	Mineral Water Manufacturer	Carmarthen ...	9 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Phillips, Henry ...	City and county of Exeter, and Taunton and Cotford, both in Somersetshire	Builder and Contractor ...	Exeter ...	27 of 1895	Sept. 23, 1897 ...	A. Louis Honey ...	23, Catherine-street, Exeter
Lambert, Robert William	Redbourne, Lincolnshire ...	Blacksmith ...	Great Grimsby ...	49 of 1896	Sept. 25, 1897 ...	Arthur Stewart Maples, Official Receiver	Trinity House-lane, Hull
Cranston, Irvin ...	Aldershot, in the county of Southampton ...	Builder ...	Guildford and Godalming	10 of 1892	Sept. 23, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Maddock, Thomas	17, Wharf-street and Hassall-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire	Builder and Contractor ...	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	1 of 1897	Sept. 21, 1897 ...	Charles Ernest Bullock, Chartered Accountant	Albion-street, Hanley
Vinall, Jonathan ...	42, Gensing-road, St. Leonards, Sussex...	Grocer ...	Hastings ...	3 of 1896	Sept. 21, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Stringer, Thornton	Lately residing at the Wortley Arms Hotel, Wortley, near Sheffield, in the county of York, now of 39, Birkby-crescent, Birkby, Huddersfield, in the said county	Late Licensed Victualler, now out of business	Huddersfield ...	15 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	J. Arthur Binns, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Chambers, 19, John William-street, Huddersfield
Glazier, Frank ...	39, South-road, New Wimbledon, Surrey ...	Carman, Coal Dealer, and Contractor	Kingston, Surrey ...	16 of 1888	Sept. 23, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Green, William ... (trading as Henry Green and Sons and as John Oldham and Co.)	Abbotts Oak, Whitwick, in the county of Leicester At 27, Rutland-street, Leicester, in the said county of Leicester At Leamington, in the county of Warwick ...	Yarn Agent Miller ...	Leicester ...	37 of 1897	Sept. 25, 1897 ...	John Alfred Hopps ...	12, Friar-lane, Leicester
Kybird, James ...	Croxton, Thetford, Norfolk ...	Wheelwright...	Norwich ...	27 of 1896	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Primrose, William Hayn...	Felmingham, Norfolk ...	Farmer and Dealer ...	Norwich ...	13 of 1897	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Spreadbury, Robert	Formerly residing at Ardock, Upper Terrace-road, Bournemouth, Hampshire, now of Chesterleigh, Poole-road, Branksome, near Bournemouth aforesaid, and lately trading at 13A, the Triangle, Bournemouth	Plumber and Sanitary Engineer	Poole...	20 of 1895	Sept. 24, 1897 ...	Frederick Aston Dawes, Official Receiver	City-chambers, Salisbury

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First or Final or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
26889.	Humphrey, John Prior ...	38, Manor Park-road, Harlesden, in the county of London	Builder and Contractor...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1322 of 1896	4s. 1d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897	Bush-lane House, Cannon-street, London, E.C.
	Griffiths, William ...	Wainbant and Brynbugall, in the parish of Llanilar, Cardiganshire	Farmer and Sheep Dealer	Aberystwith	5 of 1897	1s.	First and Final	Sept. 22, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
	Lloyd, Josiah ...	5 and 11, Church-walk, Trowbridge, Wilts	Confectioner and Fruiterer	Bath ...	14 of 1896	9d.	First and Final	Sept. 13, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
	Buckton, Sam, the younger, and Buckton, Richard (trading as Buckton and Co.)	Crimbles, Pudsey, Yorkshire Grayshon-buildings, Lowtown, Pudsey aforesaid Trading together at Lowtown Tannery, Lowtown, Pudsey aforesaid	Tanners and Carriers ...	Bradford ...	28 of 1897	2s. 5d.	First and Final	Sept. 18, 1897	1, Bond-street, Leeds
H	Russell, George ...	Broad-street, Chipping Sodbury, Gloucestershire	Saddler and Harness Maker	Bristol ...	34 of 1886	13s. 9d.	Composition	Sept. 13, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
	Archibald, George Tomlinson	Now or lately carrying on business at 10, Station-road, Workington, Cumberland, and residing at 4, Belvidere-terrace, Workington aforesaid, and formerly carrying on business at 56, Church-street, Workington aforesaid	Chemist and Druggist ...	Cockermouth and Workington	3 of 1896	8 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> d.	First and Final	Sept. 8, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
	Willson, George Henry ...	Formerly of 19, Long Wyre-street, now of 14, East Bay, both in Colchester, Essex	Travelling Draper and Milliner	Colchester ...	10 of 1897	9s.	First and Final	Sept. 13, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich
	Worricker, John...	Colchester, Essex ...	Builder ...	Colchester ...	7 of 1897	1s. 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.	First and Final	Sept. 10, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich
	Higgitt, William Henry	Residing at 40, Cross Cheaping and trading at 40, Cross Cheaping and Ironmonger-row, both in the city of Coventry, Warwickshire	Confectioner ...	Coventry ...	7 of 1893	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.	Supplemental	Sept. 10, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 17, Hertford-street, Coventry
	Armitage, Ramsden ...	Ravensthorp, Yorkshire ...	Shuttle Maker ...	Dewsbury ...	8 of 1897	2s. 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley
	Cooper, John Styan ...	Residing at Westgate, Dewsbury, and carrying on business at Westgate, Dewsbury, Yorkshire	Auctioneer ...	Dewsbury ...	27 of 1896	2s. 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley
	Dunford, Timothy ...	Flower Pot Inn, Hopton, Mirfield, Yorkshire	Innkeeper...	Dewsbury ...	31 of 1896	9s. 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley

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Hargreaves, Robert ...	Residing and carrying on business at Market-place, Birstal, Yorkshire	Stationer and Newsagent	Dewsbury ...	10 of 1897	1s. 8½d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley
Mitchell, John William Parker	Bradford-road, Dewsbury, Yorkshire ...	Butcher ... ..	Dewsbury ...	3 of 1886	9½d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley
Riley, Hannah Maria ...	11 and 13, Bradford-road, Dewsbury, Yorkshire	Cabinet Maker, formerly Hannah Maria Stott, Widow, now the Wife of Tom Riley	Dewsbury ...	27 of 1894	2s. 5d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley
Shackleton, Thomas Arthur	Station-road, Soothill, near Batley, and Scotland-street, Birstal, both in Yorkshire	Tailor and Clothier ...	Dewsbury ...	25 of 1896	1s. 0½d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley
Latham Thomas Luke ... and Latham, Charles David (trading as Thomas Latham and Son)	Both residing at Kaye-lane, Almondbury, Huddersfield, and lately residing at Wakefield-road, Huddersfield At Turnbridge Boiler Works, Huddersfield	Boiler Makers ... ..	Huddersfield ...	4 of 1897	4s. 2d.	First and Final	Sept. 14, 1897 ...	Offices of Trustee, Fred Lockwood, Market Place-chambers, New-street, Huddersfield
Latham, Thomas Luke ... (Separate Estate)	36, Kaye-lane, Almondbury, Huddersfield...	Boiler Maker ... ..	Huddersfield ...	4 of 1897	20s.	First and Final	Sept. 14, 1897 ...	Offices of Trustee, Fred Lockwood, Market Place-chambers, New-street, Huddersfield
Pearmain, William ...	Walsoken, Norfolk ... ..	Builder ... ..	King's Lynn...	15 of 1896	2s. 8½d.	First and Final	Sept. 8, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Speight, Arthur ... (Separate Estate)	34, Roseville-road, Roundhay-road, Leeds...	Contractor, trading with John Speight as John Speight	Leeds... ..	103 of 1896	11s.	First and Final	Sept. 11, 1897 ...	1, Bond-street, Leeds
Morgan, Susan Dorcas ...	Burton-street and Market-place, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire	Draper and Milliner, a Married Woman carrying on business separately from her Husband.	Leicester ...	6 of 1897	19s. 3d.	First and Final	Sept. 16, 1897 ...	Office of Trustee, 99, Cheap-side, London, E.C.
Smith, George Thomas ...	5 and 9, North-street, Horncastle, Lincolnshire	Sewing Machine and Insurance Agent	Lincoln ... ..	2 of 1897	2s. 8½d.	First and Final	Sept. 14, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Lincoln

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Parker, James ...	Now residing and trading at the Bull's Head Hotel, 2, Union-street, in the city of Manchester, formerly residing and trading at the Black Boy Inn, Tib-street, Manchester.	Licensed Victualler, formerly Beerseller	Manchester ...	34 of 1897	1s. 6½d.	First and Final	Sept. 10, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester
Aspittle, John, the younger	Residing at 59, Russell-street, Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, and carrying on business at Cumbergate, Peterborough aforesaid	Hairdresser and Tobacconist	Peterborough ...	9 of 1897	6s. 11½d.	First and Final	Sept. 11, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 5, Petty Cury, Cambridge
Vergette, Francis ...	2, St. Mark's-villas, Lincoln-road, Peterborough, carrying on business at Chapel-street, Peterborough	Agricultural Implement Maker	Peterborough ...	20 of 1888	¾d.	Supplemental	Sept. 18, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 5, Petty Cury, Cambridge
H 2 Cleaver, Frederick ...	Lately residing and carrying on business at Market-street, Poole, Dorsetshire, now residing at New Orchard, Poole, and carrying on business at High-street, Poole aforesaid	Hairdresser, Tobacconist, and Photographer	Poole... ..	7 of 1897	4s.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury
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Kirkby, Richard B. A. (trading as Richard B. A. Kirkby and Son)	11, Trinity House-lane, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull	Auctioneer and Valuer ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	11 of 1897	2s. 5½d.	First and Final	Sept. 14, 1897 ...	Parliament-chambers, Quay-street, Hull

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Bromley, George, and ... Bromley, John Francis Ingram...	159, Eithorne-road, Hornsey Rise, Middlesex ... Church Farm, Hougham, Kent ... Carrying on business at Church Farm, Hougham, near Dover aforesaid	Solicitor's Clerk ... Farmer and Dairyman Farmers and Dairymen, co-partners in trade	Canterbury ...	53 of 1895	Oct. 4, 1897, 12 noon, Guildhall, Canterbury
Meyer, Philip Robert (a member of the firm of Cufflyn and Co.)	73, Westbourne Park-villas, in the county of Middle- sex, lately carrying on business at 11, Guildhall- street, Folkestone, in the county of Kent, with Lyndley D. S. Cufflyn, Gun and Cycle Manufacturer	Clerk ...	Canterbury ...	22 of 1896	Oct. 4, 1897, 12 noon, Guildhall, Canterbury
Eastwell, Alfred Nicholas	Residing and carrying on business at 6, Caxton- road, Mayes-road, Wood Green, Middlesex	Builder and Decorator ...	Edmonton ...	33 of 1894	Oct. 18, 1897, 2 P.M., Court-house, Edmonton
Cull, William Strange	1, Lansdown-villas, Badbrook, Stroud, Gloucester- shire	Corn Merchant's Clerk ...	Gloucester ...	29 of 1895	Oct. 12, 1897, 12 noon; Shirehall, Gloucester
Hetherington; Robert	Residing and trading at the corner of Regent-street and Grainger-street, Cowpen Quay, Blyth, North- umberland	Grocer ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	60 of 1896	Oct. 8, 1897, 10 A.M., County Court, Westgate-road, New- castle-on-Tyne



**ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.**

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Bate, Thomas ... ..	54, High-road, Kilburn, lately residing and carrying on business at Red Tower, High-road, Kilburn, both in Middlesex	Auctioneer, Estate Agent, and Valuer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1526 of 1894	Aug. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th August, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors
Bird, Edward ... ..	Residing at 5, the Cottages, Castelnau, Barnes, Surrey, and trading at Hammer-smith Wheel Works, Waterloo-street, Hammer-smith, Middlesex	Wheelwright and Farrier	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	102 of 1896	Aug. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th August, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors
Boyer, Herbert Henry...	13, Crookham-road, Stukeley Park, Fulham, Middlesex	Late Bank Clerk, now of no occupation	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	541 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years and six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th February, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation and unjustifiable extravagance in living; and had within three months preceding the date of the Receiving Order, when unable to pay his debts as they became due, given an undue preference to his father
Bradburne, Randall Sacheverell	Now carrying on business at 70 and 71, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, lately carrying on business with another at 155, Fenchurch-street, in the said city of London	Accountant, lately carrying on business with William Hamilton Weller as Hamilton Weller and Co., at 155, Fenchurch-street aforesaid	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	95 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th August, 1899	Bankrupt's assets were not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Brown, Thomas...	Residing at 13, Armadale-road, Fulham, Middlesex, carrying on business at 13, Armadale-road aforesaid, and also at 113, New Kent-road, Surrey	Builder ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1553 of 1892	Aug. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th August, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy
Creeke, Anthony Buck, the younger	Carrying on business in partnership at 54, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, and residing at Hazeldean, Avenue-road, Bexley, Kent, but lately carrying on such business in partnership as aforesaid, at 21, Lime-street, also in the said city of London	Solicitor, carrying on business in partnership with Charles Hornby Porter as Creeke and Hornby Porter, at 54, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, but lately carrying on business in partnership as aforesaid, at 21, Lime-street, in the city of London	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	491 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897	Bankrupt discharged subject to the following condition, to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes effect, viz.:—Bankrupt shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court by the Official Receiver, for the sum of £300, being part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s. costs of Judgment, and that subject to such execution as may be issued on the said Judgment with the leave of the Court, the said sum of £300 be paid out of the future earnings or after-acquired property of the bankrupt to the Official Receiver, for distribution among the creditors in the Bankruptcy, and the bankrupt also consenting that an account shall on the 24th day of June in each year, or within 14 days thereafter, be filed in these proceedings by the bankrupt setting forth a statement of his receipts from earnings, after-acquired property, and income during the year immediately preceding the said date until the said sum of £300 has been paid. And that upon the required consent being given Judgment may be entered against the bankrupt in	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had put one of his creditors to unnecessary expense by a vexatious defence to an action properly brought against him

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—*continued.*

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Crook, George ...	36, Shawfield-street, Chelsea, in the county of London	Builder ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	71 of 1896	Aug. 11, 1897	the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court, for the said sum of £300, together with £1 10s. for costs of Judgment  Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th August, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation
Defty, Henry ...	67, Pepys-road, New Cross, in the county of London, formerly residing at Arizona, in the United States of America	Geologist, an American Citizen	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	898 of 1896	Aug. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th August, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Price, Joseph Thomas ...	Trading at Wild-court, Wild-street, Drury-lane, Middlesex, and residing at 3, Great Queen-street, in the said county of Middlesex, and at Potter Street Village, near Harlow, Essex	Trading with Alfred Fleming Sandes as Price and Sandes, Manufacturing Stationers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1259 of 1892	July 16, 1897	Bankrupt discharged subject to the following condition, to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes effect, viz.:—Bankrupt shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court by the Official Receiver, as Trustee, for the sum of £5, being part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s. costs of Judgment, and that, upon the required consent being given, Judgment may be entered against the bankrupt in the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court for the sum of £5 together with £1 10s. costs of Judgment	Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him; and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—*continued.*

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Titherington, James Stansfield	Residing and carrying on business at 37, Park-street, Haslingden, in the county of Lancaster	Woolstapler ... ..	Blackburn ... ..	1 of 1896	July 12, 1897	Discharge suspended for two and a half years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them
Davenport, Thomas ...	46, St. Augustine's-terrace, Halifax, Yorkshire, lately carrying on business in partnership with Josiah Blackburn, as Blackburn and Davenport, at High Park-road, Halifax	Slater and Plasterer ... ..	Halifax... ..	48 of 1895	Aug. 3, 1897	Discharge granted subject to the bankrupt consenting to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax, by the Official Receiver for £5 12s. and £1 10s. costs of Judgment	Proof of facts named in sub-sec. 3 (A.) and (B.), sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890

**APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.**

No. 26889.

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Spooner, Frederick William (trading and in Receiving Order described as Sedgwick and Co.)	Carrying on business at 150, Minories and Providence Wharf, Brewhouse-lane, Wapping, both in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	852 of 1897	Viney, John Daniel	99, Cheapside, London, E.C.	Aug. 24, 1897
Whitaker, Samuel Jenkinson	Lately residing at 31, Hall-gate, and trading at 54 and 150, St. Sepulchre-gate, all in Doncaster, in the county of York, now residing at 14, Regent's-square, and trading at 54, St. Sepulchre-gate, both in Doncaster aforesaid	Ironmonger, Coal Merchant, and General Dealer	Sheffield ... ..	34 of 1897	Glover, Joseph Horner	6, riory-place, Doncaster, Incorporated Accountant	Sept. 2, 1897

Pursuant to the Acts and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.  
JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

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THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1890.

WINDING-UP ORDER.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
David Jones and Company Limited ... ..	Westgate-chambers, Westgate-street, Cardiff ... ..	High Court of Justice ...	00198 of 1897	Aug. 27, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897

NOTICE OF DAY APPOINTED FOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date fixed for Examination.	Names of Persons to be Examined.	Hour.	Place.
The Patent Universal Smoke Condenser Company Limited	38, Doctor-lane, Darnall-road, Attercliffe, Sheffield	Sheffield ... ..	01 of 1897	Sept. 23, 1897 ... ..	Samuel James Farnsworth, the elder, Eli Farnsworth	2 P.M.	County Court-hall, Bank-street, Sheffield

**NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.**

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Liquidator.	Address.
The Groveland Gold Mining Company Limited	21, Great St. Helen's, London, E.C. ...	High Court of Justice	00188 of 1894	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	Samuel Wheeler, Official Receiver and Liquidator	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
Scott and Jackson Limited ... ..	15, Cockspur-street, Charing Cross, London, W.C.	High Court of Justice	00283 of 1893	Sept. 22, 1897 ...	Samuel Wheeler, Official Receiver and Liquidator	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF LIQUIDATOR.**

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Liquidator's Name.	Address	Date of Appointment.
The Marvel Bicycle Syndicate Limited ...	86, New Bond-street, London, W. ... ..	High Court of Justice	00162 of 1897	Andrew Dodds Fairbairn ...	64, Cannon-street, London, E.C.	Aug. 16, 1897

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**NOTICE OF RELEASE OF LIQUIDATOR.**

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter	Liquidator's Name.	Liquidator's Address.	Date of Release.
The English Publishing Company Limited...	291, Strand, London, W.C. ... ..	High Court of Justice	00161 of 1896	Charles James March ... ..	3, Church-court, Old Jewry, E.C.	Aug. 27, 1897

Pursuant to the Companies (Winding-up) Act, 1890, and the Rules thereunder, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade,  
**JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.**

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).  
Mr. Registrar Hood.  
No. 00150 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890,  
and in the Matter of the Mineral Estates Corporation  
Limited,

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Senior Official Receiver and Liquidator, namely:—Samuel Armitage Bennett, of Hyde-road, Ardwick, Lancashire, a member of the firm of J. M. Bennett and Sons; Howard Wright, of 16, Great George-street, London, S.W.; and James William Cable, of 110, Cannon-street, London, E.C., holding a general power of attorney from R. Schram and Company.—Dated this 6th day of September, 1897.

G. S. BARNES, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C., Senior Official Receiver and Liquidator.

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