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THE following Address was presented to His Majesty at Windsor Castle on the 13th instant:—

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Governor and Military Knights of Windsor, approach Your Majesty to offer homage and the expression of our devoted loyalty and attachment to Your Majesty's Throne and Person.

The Military Knights of Windsor are the more encouraged to tender their congratulations to Your Majesty and Our Gracious Queen Alexandra, as we occupy a place in Your Majesty's historic Castle of Windsor, and have been installed in St. George's Chapel as an appendage to the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

And we ever pray that with the guidance of Almighty God Your Majesty may be blessed and directed in the discharge of Your high functions, and that Your Majesty and our Gracious Queen Alexandra may long live in health and happiness to rule over the people of these Realms.

W. Maloney, Captain.

Governor, Military Knights of Windsor.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following gracious Answer:—

"I THANK you for your loyal Address, and I appreciate highly your warm expressions of congratulation and goodwill towards Myself and Queen Alexandra.

"It is a sincere pleasure to Me to be assured of the devotion of the Knights who for more than five centuries have been attached to this ancient Castle under the pious foundation of Edward III and the favour of others My predecessors on the Throne."

War Office, April 16, 1901.

THE following Despatches have been received by the Secretary of State for the Colonies:—

Despatch relating to Field Operations.

Government House,

Northern Nigeria,

SIR,

July 4, 1900.

I HAVE the honour to report to you concerning the operations recently undertaken against the Munshi tribes. I regret the long delay in making this report, which is principally owing to Colonel Willcocks' unexpected and hurried departure for the Gold Coast. He took

the reports with him, intending to write a covering despatch, and I have only just received them back, with a brief letter informing me that he had no time to do so.

2. The Munshis are a populous tribe, which originally inhabited the south banks of the Benue along the Katsena River, but more lately extended along the north bank for about 50 miles, between longitude 8° and 9°, where the Benue forms a loop to the south. They are pagans, and without any recognised chiefs, each clan or family obeying only its own head (and even he has little control), and combining only for war. They are of a fine physique, and are industrious, agriculturists, and brave warriors, continually fighting amongst themselves. Their well-built and clean villages are not walled, except those of the Agbede tribe, but the intervals between the outer houses are usually closed by stockade work. They have a character for extreme lawlessness and disregard of life, and are reputed treacherous and thieves. The ordeal by poison is universal among them. They have held their own against neighbouring Mohammedans and others, mainly through the dread inspired by the extraordinarily deadly nature of their poisoned arrows, a scratch from which means almost instant death.

3. In 1885 Mr. Wallace explored the Katsena, and was hospitably received by the Munshis, with whom he made treaties, and the Company opened a trading station among them. The same year a second station was started on the banks of the Benue, but the people fell upon the goods as they were landed and looted them, the Company's Agent was shot and died in a few minutes, while the Agent at the Katsena Station was shot treacherously, and his head is still, I am told, retained as a trophy. Next year (1886) the Munshis attacked the staff working at the mines of Orofu, two more Europeans being shot and dying at once. The work was then abandoned by the Company, and the machinery destroyed, and, after a punitive expedition, all trading stations were abandoned. They did not, however, interfere with the traffic on the Benue until last October, when it was reported that they intended an attack on the Company's station of Abinsi, with a view to looting the Government telegraph material lying there. Trading and mail canoes were fired on, and in one case the crew of a canoe were all murdered. Reprisals were taken by the Company's constabulary under Major Burdon.

from which time the hostility grew which culminated in the present operations.

4. At the end of last December the telegraph construction had reached Udeni, on the borders of the Munshi country, under Lieutenant McClintock, R.E., who had with him an escort of 100 rifles West African Frontier Force under Captain Carroll together with the Europeans named in the margin.* On 4th January of this year he proceeded to cross the Munshi country to explore the line for the telegraph as far as Ibi, and on the 8th Captain Carroll was attacked in the neighbourhood of Akwanaji, where the Munshi settlements began. The bush was extremely thick, and the arrow fire very heavy. The hostile town of Kurengo was found to be surrounded by a ditch 8 feet deep and 10 feet broad, with a stockade behind it, across which was a bridge of two logs only. Captain Eaton charged this, and was hit in the wrist by an arrow, while Captain Carroll managed to cross the ditch elsewhere, but could not surmount the stockade. While Captain Eaton was being medically attended to, Captain Carroll breached the wall and charged the bridge, which was defended to the last, and captured and destroyed the town. Rejoined by Captain Eaton, he attacked the enemy, who had again reassembled, and captured and destroyed the town of Aquachi. Besides Captain Eaton, there were 11 rank and file and two carriers wounded, and one man killed. Captain Carroll estimates the hostile force at from 2,000 to 2,500, and reports that his men behaved very steadily, and obeyed all orders promptly under heavy fire. Next day Akwanaji, which had sent in a friendly deputation, was attacked, and Captain Carroll proceeded to its assistance, and on the 10th, leaving Captain Eaton and Sergeant Williams to guard his camp, attacked and destroyed several small hostile villages, and returned to camp after a march of 24 miles. The arrows were all barbed, but apparently not poisoned. This was the first occasion that the men of his battalion were under fire since it was raised, and I was greatly gratified to hear of the steadiness they had shown against a greatly dreaded foe.

5. Captain Carroll again advanced on the 15th January to continue his interrupted journey to Ibi, and was attacked in force about 12 miles from his camp. He defeated the enemy, and captured the town, but fell back afterwards on Akwanaji, as his Maxim was out of gear, and his troops were insufficient to face the whole Munshi tribe, who now appeared to be in arms. In this engagement two rank and file were killed and three wounded. The arrows were poisoned with the most deadly form of poison, and the recovery of the three who were on the point of death was due to the skill of Dr. Cargill, and the great pains taken to treat the men instantly. Captain Carroll applied for help to Captain McClintock at Ibi, and asked for reinforcements from headquarters. In both these actions the enemy suffered heavy loss. Captain Carroll estimated the force against him in the latter fight at 1,200.

6. Meanwhile, Captain McClintock, in command of the detachment at Ibi, had heard of the fighting and came down river. Finding that the Munshis had fired on canoes and wounded two soldiers near Abusi, he attacked

and destroyed the village of Kartu on the south bank without suffering any casualties, and, receiving Captain Carroll's request for assistance, he joined him on the 25th with the Europeans named in the margin,* and 100 rifles and 2 Maxims, and they prepared to advance against the enemy.

7. News of these operations reached me at the end of January, and I at once gave orders for the formation of an expedition under Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole to subdue the Munshis. Including the troops already named, the total force now was composed as follows:—

R.A.—Captain Cubitt, Sergeants Desborough and Grimshaw, 46 gunners and gun carriers, 2-7-prs., and 1 rocket tube.

2nd W.A.F.F.—Captains McClintock, Carroll, Eaton, Cockburn, Wilkinson, and Robertson, Lieutenants Lloyd and Ellis, 306 non-commissioned officers and men, 21 Maxim carriers, 3 Maxim guns, 303, and one 450.

The British non-commissioned officers (infantry) with the force were:—Colour-Sergeants Daniel, Cahill, and Flicker, Sergeant-Drummer Wilson, and Sergeants Grey, Williams, and Hawkins.

Medical.—Doctors Cargill and Watson, Sergeant Frost, and eight stretchers.

Major Burdon was attached by me as Political Officer to the expedition. The expedition reached Akwanaji on 10th February, where Lieutenant-Colonel Cole found Captains McClintock and Carroll, and took command of the whole force.

8. Meanwhile, Captains McClintock and Carroll had advanced on the strong stockaded town of Gidan Barta on 27th January with nine Europeans and 159 rank and file. The hard-nosed Maxim bullets, as usual, rendered the stockade useless as cover. Captain McClintock left Lieutenants Ellis, Lloyd, and Robertson with the Maxims, and half a company and himself rushed the town on the left, while Captain Carroll did the same on the right. Both were successful, in spite of a 6 feet by 6 feet ditch and stockade poles 10 feet high. They charged through the town and through another beyond, destroying both without any casualties, owing to the effective use of the Maxims. Captain McClintock reported that the troops had behaved admirably, and that Captain Carroll's experience and pluck had been of the greatest service. He returned with his force to Akwanaji. Mr. Hewby, Resident on the Benue, arrived on 30th January, and sent messengers to the chief towns to inform them that the Europeans intended to march through their country, and had already punished those who attacked them, but did not desire to kill more men. If they desired peace they must send in to make submission at Akwanaji by 8th February.

9. Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole, finding on his arrival that this submission had not been tendered, and that it was reported that the tribes were making ready to fight, advanced, and occupied Aboh, on 11th February, destroying many Munshi villages en route. He was harassed in thick bush throughout the day, and lost one gun carrier killed and one soldier wounded. From thence he made various attacks on petty villages, and 14th February crossed the Koriko River, where he was attacked in force in dense jungle. Captain

* Captain Eaton, Lieutenant Lloyd, Dr. Cargill, Colour-Sergeant Cahill, Sergeant Grey, Sergeant Villiers,

* Captain McClintock, Lieutenant Robertson, Lieutenant Ellis, Colour-Sergeant Daniels, Sergeant Frost, R.A.M.C.

McClintock and Lieutenant and Adjutant Cockburn reached the crossing, and, joined by Colonel Cole, stormed and burnt the town beyond (Ragoine). They were again attacked on their return. In this skirmish Sergeant Hawkins received a wound in the foot which afterwards developed bad symptoms, and at one time it was feared that amputation would be necessary, and he was sent back with Captain Eaton, who had severe dysentery, to Akwanaji, escorted by Lieutenant Wilkinson.

10. Continuing his march to Abinsi—the trading station of the Benue—he destroyed many villages (since there were no signs of submission) without encountering any serious opposition, but at daybreak on the 16th his company was attacked with great determination, the enemy coming within 10 yards of the picket, who, however, stood their ground well. Major Burdon had a very narrow escape, being surprised in the bush alone, and one soldier and one carrier were killed, and one soldier wounded. Destroying more villages as he went, he reached Abinsi, and then occupied Akpo without opposition. Having burnt the town, he returned again to the Company's station (close by) at Abinsi, and awaited till 21st February any signs of submission on the part of the enemy, while transferring his base from Akwanaji to Abinsi.

11. The efforts of Major Burdon were rewarded, and on the 19th the Byongo and Akpo sections of the tribe "came in," and Kéké, who had intended to resist, as well as a further group of towns around Agbede, met Colonel Cole on the 21st at Akpo's town. This latter chief lived near the extreme frontier to the east, and he acted as guide to the troops. Lieutenant-Colonel Cole continued his march to Anyishi, near the eastern frontier of the Munshi country, the people (under the influence of Agbede) now being friendly and bringing in supplies. From here Captain McClintock's party returned to Ibi, and, after consultation with the Resident, Colonel Cole marched north to Jungirigiri, skirting the boundary of the Munshi and Bantshi countries, and then turning west reached the northern frontier town of Kéana on 4th March. These two were Hausa towns, with no intermediate Munshi villages, and the object was to warn them against slave raiding, now that the power of the Munshis was broken. Turning due south he summoned the Munshi villages of Aziri and Tuhe to submit, and, as they would not, he advanced against them on 5th March, and on that, and especially on the subsequent day, was attacked in a most determined way by a combination which, Major Burdon reports, included all the Munshi villages, with the exception of Agbede and Akpo. The enemy was defeated with very great loss, and a number of towns burnt, including that of the head chief Tube, one soldier being killed and one wounded. Continuing his march, submission was made by all the people along his route, and he reached Abinsi on 8th March, and waited for further chiefs to tender their submission. All the important towns did so except Tube and Aziri, who remained recalcitrant, and the expedition therefore marched back to their district, and further punishment was inflicted upon them. Thence the expedition marched direct to Akwanaji, and received the submission of the Bagome clan, while the tribes against whom Captain Carroll had fought were now peaceable, and furnished guides.

12. On 7th March I arrived at Abinsi myself,

where I met Colonel Cole on the 9th, and, learning from the Political Officers that the south bank Munshis had apparently taken no part in the hostilities, I directed that no operations should be undertaken against them. Again meeting the expedition at Akwanaji on my return from Ibi on 19th March, I learnt from Colonel Cole that, in his opinion, the objects of the expedition had been attained, and I directed him to return, leaving one company as before to act as escort to the telegraph party. I regret to report that Colour-Sergeant Frost, R.A.M.C., whom I found ill with black-water fever here, died shortly afterwards, and Captain Eaton was invalided to England. It was later represented to me by the Medical Officer that the telegraph construction party were not physically able to complete the telegraph during the rains, and I therefore instructed Lieutenant McClintock, R.E., to continue it from Udeni only as far as Akwanaji, and I made this place instead of Ibi the military headquarters on the Benue, transferring the bulk of Captain McClintock's company to this place.

13. In reporting to you these operations, I cannot but express my sense of regret at the very great loss of life among these ignorant savages, and the burning of scores of villages with their food. The Munshis, however, are a most intractable people, and nothing except extremely severe chastisement of this sort will prevent them from lawless murders and looting of canoes, or induce them to allow the telegraph to be constructed through their country. My own view is that it is far more humane, in the event, to inflict a drastic lesson at first, and to thoroughly subdue people of this kind, than to attempt half measures, which inevitably lead to a further outbreak and a greater eventual loss of life. I, however, gave strict orders that every care was to be taken that only hostile towns were attacked, and every opportunity offered for submission, or that by prior warning the women and children should have time to leave the village, and only the combatants remain. I attached a Political Officer to the column, whose especial task it should be to see that this was done, and I am retaining him in the district, and the detachment there will from time to time patrol the country. By this means the district will, I hope, rapidly settle down and hostility vanish, and, indeed, I already have *excellent* reports of the progress being made towards these results. The greatest cause of bloodshed in Africa by European expeditions is the abandonment of the district the moment the fighting is over. This is misconstrued by the people, and the work of bloodshed has all to be undertaken a second and a third time. I anticipate no further resistance when the time comes for the further telegraph construction.

14. I have the honour to recommend for your approval that the Secretary of State for War should be moved to allow the names of the following officers to be recorded:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Captain Carroll, Norfolk Regiment.

Captain Cubitt, Royal Artillery.

Captain Cockburn, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Captain McClintock, Seaforth Highlanders.

Captain Eaton, East Kent Regiment.

Of these I recommend to your consideration the name of Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole for further reward.

Colonel Willcocks writes: "Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole is an officer of whom I

entertain a very high opinion. He has an excellent battalion, and has devoted himself to bringing it to its present efficient condition. I strongly recommend him." I would add that I am about to submit to you a further report upon certain frontier skirmishes, which have since taken place, by the next mail in which Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole has also taken part with credit, and been severely wounded. The other officers named above are all brought to my notice by Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole and the Commandant, who especially names Captains Cubitt and Cockburn, and I fully concur in his selection, and would add the name of Captain Carroll. To Captain Cockburn is also due, as Adjutant, much of the credit for the smartness and discipline of the 2nd Battalion.

I have also great pleasure in bringing to your notice the excellent work done by Dr. Cargill as Medical Officer, and by Major Burdon as Political Officer. I attach a rough sketch of the Munshi country, the more accurate survey I am embodying in my map.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole brings forward the names of the following non-commissioned officers:—

(1) Colour-Sergeant Daniel, 2nd Battalion W.A.F.F.

(2) Sergeant Desborough, 1st Battery Royal Artillery.

(1) The former was very painstaking in his duties as acting sergeant-major.

(2) This non-commissioned officer is a very hard worker, and showed great coolness and presence of mind under fire.

15. The expedition did its work very thoroughly, two out of the three most powerful chiefs having become our friends. Major Burdon reports that communication has been opened up with the Hausa trading centres of Nassarawa and Keffi, and messengers, and even caravans, pass in safety now along the route. Indeed, throughout the whole of the Munshi country an almost incredible change seems to have taken place, and people pass from place to place without fear, while Major Burdon has managed to start a weekly market at Akwanaji with a view to promoting intercommunication between the people and confidence in the British.

I have, &c.,
F. D. LUGARD, High Commissioner.
The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

From Colonel Sir J. Willcocks, K.C.M.G.,
D.S.O., to the Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

Naval and Military Club,
94, Piccadilly,

SIR, March 9, 1901.

WITH reference to despatch No. 153 of 4th July, 1900, from Brigadier-General Sir Frederick Lugard, K.C.M.G., D.S.O., C.B., High Commissioner of Northern Nigeria, to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State, I have the honour to state that the original report of Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, was sent to me (as Commandant of the West African Frontier Force) whilst I was in command of the expedition in Ashanti. At the time I was very pressed for work and quite unable to do more (after carefully reading it) than to express my opinion on the way in which the operations had been conducted, and to

specially commend certain officers to the High Commissioner. I was, however, in actual command of the West African Frontier Force on the Niger when the expedition took place, and am personally cognizant of the work done, and therefore I feel myself competent to offer a few remarks to supplement those of Sir Frederick Lugard. He has given an epitomised report of the operations, and as Lieutenant-Colonel Cole's despatch is not attached I do not think it can be of any use to attempt anything more than to remark on such points as appear to me might be useful in judging of the work done.

2. The Munshi Expedition was the first in which the West African Frontier Force alone as a trained body of all the arms composing the force took part. The tribes are much feared in the regions of the Benue, and their poisoned arrows have made them a terror to their neighbours. It was, therefore, a most gratifying fact to find that the Hausa and Yoruba soldiers had no hesitation in going straight at the enemy whenever they were met. The rapid fire of the Maxim guns gave them immense confidence and did much towards teaching them that the white man's methods are certain to succeed so long as the soldiers will obey orders.

3. I have not the sketch which illustrated the movements, but from memory I can recall that the various columns very thoroughly traversed the country; this was in parts very bad for fighting in, from our point of view, and most favourable to the enemy, and that the troops on no occasion showed want of discipline goes to prove that their training has been carried out on sound and practical lines by officers commanding corps and units.

4. Amongst the names brought to notice by Sir Frederick Lugard the following were specially recommended by me to him:—

(1) Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

(2) Captain McClintock, Seaforth Highlanders.

(3) Captain Cubitt, R.A.

(4) Captain Cockburn, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

(5) Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole has since been engaged in command of another expedition and has been severely wounded, and I trust his services will be rewarded. He has done two tours on the Niger.

I have, &c.,
J. WILLCOCKS,
Commandant West African Frontier Force.

Despatch relating to Field Operations.
Government House,
Northern Nigeria,

SIR, July 16, 1900.

AS I informed you in my despatch No. 16 of 30th January, I organised survey parties towards the end of January last to ascend the Kaduna, Gurara, and Okwa rivers, with a view to ascertaining in what direction it might be possible to find a site away from the Niger Valley, but at no prohibitive distance. I gave strict orders that hostilities were by all means to be avoided, and I impressed upon the officers commanding the entirely peaceful nature of their mission.

2. The Kaduna survey, under Lieutenant-Colonel Morland, received friendly messages from Bida and Kontagora, the former helping with supplies. Owing to the difficulty of obtaining supplies in the country north of Nupe, the survey found itself compelled to push north

of the limit which I had laid down (approximately 10° latitude) and visited Zaria, by whom it was received with every courtesy. Lieutenant-Colonel Morland, on leaving the navigable portion of the Kaduna, was unable to procure sufficient transport for all his impedimenta, and therefore left Lieutenant Williams, with 50 men, at Wushishi, in charge of supplies and ammunition, &c., to be forwarded from time to time.

3. On 14th April Lieutenant Williams, with 30 men, proceeded to Ugu, a town lying some 30 miles to the north, to arrest two men, one of whom was accused of taking a girl away by force from Wushishi, the other of terrorising the people of the town and driving them away and of attempted murder. Considering it necessary to stop slave raiding and murder in the very village where British troops were, Lieutenant Williams marched to Ugu, and demanded that the girl should be given up to him, and also the man who had attempted to murder the Chief of Wushishi. This was refused, and he found 300 horsemen and several hundred foot prepared to fight. Twice again he attempted to carry his point without resorting to hostilities, and then warned the king that he would advance, and would open fire if attacked. On nearing the town in a square formation, he was charged by the horsemen, and after 15 minutes' fighting, during which he was charged about 20 times, he routed them with loss. He refrained from firing on the flying enemy, and only destroyed the houses of the principal people in the town who were responsible for the attack. I am of opinion that Lieutenant Williams behaved most pluckily—in action, and with commendable moderation in success. He was opposed to 10 times his numbers in horsemen, and possibly 20 times his numbers in footmen. He marched 60 miles (including this action) in 36 hours. I am also of opinion that his action was necessary and justified. Had he disregarded such overt acts, the people of Wushishi, seeing he could not protect them, would have fled, as they already were doing, and he would have been left without supplies, while the aggressors, attributing his inaction to fear, would have grown still more aggressive. There were no casualties in his party.

4. Lieutenant Monck-Mason, in charge of the Gurara Survey with the Europeans named in the margin,* passed through the district of a notorious raiding chief, who had devastated the country round. On 20th February he attacked this town, which was situated in a most difficult position, and surrounded by dense bush. He burnt the town after three hours' fighting, but was followed up when retiring, and Lieutenant Phillips, R.A., who is reported to have behaved "with great courage and dash," was twice slightly wounded by arrows, and 15 rank and file were also wounded, for the most part severely. I think much pluck was shown in this little affair, and I have no doubt that the slave raider whose town was attacked was most rightly punished. It is even probable that it would not have been possible to avoid hostilities, but I expressed my strong disapproval when I heard that Lieutenant Monck-Mason had taken the initiative.

5. I had at this time proceeded up the Benue, as described in my despatch dealing with the Munshi operations. In my absence, Lieutenant Loder-Symonds was despatched by

the Commandant to reinforce Lieutenant Monck-Mason, after news had been received of this fighting. On 19th March he arrived at the town where the previous fighting had taken place, with Sergeant-Major Moran and Sergeant Ward, R.A.M.C., and 50 men, and was informed that his advance would be opposed. He informed the people he only wished to pass by peacefully, but to this they would not agree. Still hoping to avoid bloodshed he advanced alone with an interpreter to endeavour to come to terms, but was received with a hostile demonstration, and had no option but to fight. He was himself wounded in the thigh by a poisoned arrow, while Sergeant-Major Moran (who behaved "with great courage and coolness, and held his men together admirably") and three rank and file were slightly wounded. I am of opinion that Lieutenant Loder-Symonds behaved with great discretion, as well as pluck; his wound was at one time dangerous, but, not wishing to delay the advance of his party, he remained in a neighbouring village with 10 men and Sergeant Ward, until able to proceed.

6. Sergeant-Major Moran continued the march with 40 men, hampered by many carriers, sick, &c., and his progress was barred on 13th April by the Chief of Azuba. Endeavouring to avoid the town, he was attacked by a force estimated by him at 400, which he dispersed and pursued for some distance, with no casualties, and then continued his march. The king sent a messenger after him to say that in future he was at peace with the whitemen. On the 15th he was again opposed at a town named Qua-qua, and, charging through the gate, he captured and burnt the place, inflicting great loss on the enemy. These people had previously seized a carrier belonging to the force, and made him a slave, and appropriated the blankets he was carrying. He was recovered during the attack.

7. On 25th April Lieutenant Dyer was sent forward to form a junction with the Kaduna survey, with 70 carriers and 30 soldiers, with Dr. Mottram and some sick. He was suddenly attacked in the bush by from 300 to 400 Kadaras, a pagan tribe. They charged unexpectedly from an ambush. He thoroughly routed them with great loss, and pursued them for some distance. Only one carrier was wounded, though Lieutenant Dyer himself had two narrow escapes. The Commandant very strongly commends Lieutenant Dyer's action in this affair, and I concur in his opinion.

8. Lieutenant-Colonel Lowry-Cole, on the completion of the Mitchi operations, proceeded rapidly from Loko up the Okwa River to join the other two surveys at the rendezvous at Gierko. All three were concentrated there at the beginning of May. On the 9th Colonel Cole marched the whole force against a pagan town named Lemo, who had kidnapped a carrier. The people concerned (Kadaras) are a brave but lawless tribe, who had long defied the power of Zaria and the Fulanis. The town was defended by a 10 feet wall and deep ditch. The gate was breached by fire from the 7-pr. guns, and Colonels Cole and Morland and Captain Abadie charged it, but being unsupported by the troops, who had not apparently been concentrated for the charge, were forced back again. Colonel Cole was severely wounded by a poisoned arrow in the neck, and Colonel Morland took command. Colonel Morland made fresh dispositions, and formed a regular assaulting party 30 strong under Captain Bryan, who was followed by Captain Abadie with a sub-

* Lieutenant Phillips, Lieutenant Dyer, Sergeant Poache, Dr. Mottram.

section. These stormed the gate and entered the town, which was full of mud-wall enclosures, and where a sustained resistance was offered, the defenders being only slowly driven back to the rear of the town. The casualties among the enemy were very heavy, while those among our troops were Colonel Cole, severely wounded; and Captains Bryan and Abadie and Sergeant-Major Hefferman, slightly wounded; four rank and file killed, nine wounded, as well as one carrier.

The troops engaged in this affair were:—

Lieutenant-Colonels Cole and Morland.

Captains Bryan and Abadie.

Lieutenants Dyer and Macarthy-Morough.

Colour-Sergeants Hudson and Tucker.

Sergant-Major Hefferman, R.A., and Sergeant Smith, R.A.

Drs. Grant and Thompson.

One hundred and eighty rank and file, with two Maxims and two 7-prs.

Colonel Cole brings forward for special mention the names of Lieutenant-Colonel Morland, Captains Abadie and Bryan, Sergeant-Major Hefferman, and Dr. Thompson (who sucked the poison from Colonel Cole's wound).

9. As I said in my previous report regarding the fighting against the Munshi, I greatly deplore the large loss of life among these brave though lawless and turbulent pagans. They, however, measure the force against them by the casualties incurred, and a "lesson" such as the Kadarās received becomes known over a very wide area, and prevents others, who would otherwise be inclined to engage in the pastime of fighting, from attacking Europeans, and hence, in the long run, it is probable that very drastic measures in the first instance result in the eventual saving of bloodshed. They result also in putting a stop to the kidnapping of our carriers, &c., and in obedience to a summons to cease from slave raiding in a particular direction. At the same time I am drawing up some precise instructions regarding the method of conducting punitive expeditions with a view to enforcing the laws of humanity and minimising the destruction of life and property of others than combatants.

10. I may include in this despatch two other petty skirmishes which have taken place elsewhere. I placed an officer in charge of the Preventive Service on the south frontier with a strong force, and I conferred upon him a commission as J.P. to deal with minor civil offences (with extended powers as regards liquor import). He had occasion early in May to arrest certain men engaged in disturbances (in which five had been killed and 20 wounded). The soldiers who effected the arrest were attacked on their return, and of a party sent to their relief under a native sergeant-major, two were killed and four wounded, but the native non-commissioned officer in charge dispersed the enemy, and appears to have behaved extremely well. On 29th March there was again occasion to use force against the inhabitants of Oka and Egbira. There was no opposition worth speaking of, but a few stray shots were fired at Oka, one of which killed a soldier; 100 guns and 25 barrels of powder were seized.

11. Major Burdon, Assistant Resident on the Lower Benue, recently reported to me that a slave raiding party had crossed the river, and besieged a town on the south bank, and he asked permission to employ troops to disperse the raiders. The late Royal Niger Company had stopped the raiding for slaves across the

Benue, and this was, I believe, the first attempt to reopen the traffic. Having ascertained that the affair could not lead to any prolonged or important hostilities I gave the required sanction. The expedition under Captain McClintock was very well conducted. Aduboa, a powerful town in league with the raiders, was taken by surprise before organised resistance was possible, and the people were most grateful for the relief. The two leaders of the raiding party were later seized at Udeni, and tried by the Civil Court.

12. I submit the names of Captain Bryan, Captain Abadie, Lieutenant Williams, and Lieutenant Loder-Symonds. The two former have done most excellent service, not only in this but in many other ways, and both are original members of the force, and intend to return again to it. I may say that I have not in the force two more valuable men and useful officers than these, and each has been continually selected for tasks requiring more than ordinary discretion and ability. I should be sincerely glad if both of them were awarded some further mark of your approval, nor could it be more judiciously bestowed. I would further request that the name of Sergeant-Major Moran may be brought to the very favourable notice of the Secretary of State for War. This non-commissioned officer showed great ability and discretion in the circumstances I have described, and I make it a handle to bring to your notice one of the very best non-commissioned officers we have had in the force, and one who has done two tours of service. Lieutenants Dyer and Phillips both showed great dash and pluck.

I have, &c.,

F. D. LUGARD, High Commissioner.

The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State.

Despatch relating to Field Operations.

Government House,
Northern Nigeria,

August 7, 1900.

SIR,
REFERRING to my despatch, W.A.F.F., No. 99, of 16th July, which, as I informed you, I was compelled to send before I had received a covering despatch with the various reports from the survey parties, I have the honour to inform you that Colonel Kemball has since submitted a report to me.

2. From this it appears that the fighting at Limu was of a much more serious character than I had gathered from the modest reports of Lieutenant-Colonels Cole and Morland, and he very strongly brings to my notice the gallantry displayed by both these officers. Lieutenant-Colonel Cole I have already recommended for your consideration. Colonel Kemball also brings strongly to my notice the excellent work done by Captain McClintock (Seaforth Highlanders), whom he describes as "probably the most valuable officer in the battalion, was in command of two minor operations, is an original member of the force, and is still staying on."

I trust the services of this officer may be favourably considered.

I have, &c.,

F. D. LUGARD, High Commissioner.

The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State.

War Office, April 16, 1901.

A DESPATCH from Earl Roberts, K.G., G.C.B., to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for War, War Office, London, S.W.

SIR, London, 2nd April, 1901.

IN continuation of my despatch No. 9, dated Johannesburg, 15th Nov., 1900, I have the honour to bring to your notice the excellent work done during the campaign up to the 29th November, 1900, by the various Departments of the Army which have contributed so much to the success of the operations in the field.

In my former despatches I have testified to the admirable bearing and devotion of all ranks, and their cheerful endurance of the many privations and hardships of the war, and it is now my pleasant duty to bring forward the names of some of those who have in their several capacities, whether civil or military, most prominently distinguished themselves, or whose services have come under my personal observation.

In a later despatch I propose to deal with officers and other ranks of the regular forces whose names have been brought forward by General Officers under whom they have served, and with all ranks of Militia, Imperial Yeomanry, Volunteers, Indian and Civil Lists, and I trust that the inevitable delay in publishing their names will not affect the date of the promotions or rewards that His Majesty's Government may be pleased to confer upon any of them.

Lines of Communication.

The organisation and working of the lines of communication, exclusive of Natal, have been entrusted to Lieutenant-General Sir F. Forestier-Walker, K.C.B., C.M.G. The difficulties may best be appreciated by a reference to the following facts:—(a) The lines of railway to be guarded aggregated 2,017 miles in length. (b) Up to the 24th October, 1900, there had been despatched to the front over the military systems a total of 7,920 officers, 193,656 men, 148,948 animals, 411 guns, 3,012 vehicles, and 360,028 tons of stores and supplies. (c) Two expeditions had been made against rebel forces in the districts lying to the north-west of Cape Colony. (d) Local defence for the whole of the important places in Cape Colony had been organised, and Town Guards and District Mounted Corps formed. The above only represents a fraction of the duties that have come under the control of the G.O.C. lines of communication, and that all has been so successfully accomplished is due to Lieutenant-General Sir F. Forestier-Walker and his able assistants, especially Colonel J. K. Trotter, C.M.G., and Major H. du Cane, R.A.

Disembarkations.

The arduous work of disembarking the troops, supplies, stores, remounts, and mules, and embarking the many thousands of sick, wounded, and discharged men reflects the greatest credit upon Captain Sir E. Chichester, C.M.G., R.N., and the staff at each of the four ports, Capetown, Port Elizabeth, East London, and Durban.

The magnitude of the task can be realised from the following figures, compiled for the period from the commencement of the war up to the 31st October, 1900:—

	Embarked.	
	Men.	Animals.
Capetown	31,519	349
Port Elizabeth ..	3,276	42
East London	2,902	350
Durban	31,425	3,143
Total	69,122	3,884

	Disembarked.	
	Men.	Animals.
Capetown	187,976	52,941
Port Elizabeth ..	25,895	46,004
East London	28,134	36,800
Durban	69,969	43,832
Total	261,974	179,577

Government Railways.

My thanks are especially due to Mr. C. B. Elliot, Mr. T. R. Price, and the staff of the Cape Government Railway, as also to Mr. D. Hunter and the staff of the Natal Government Railway. It is not too much to say that the successful carrying out of the enormous railway transport operations is mainly due to the very willing aid afforded by these gentlemen and their hard-worked establishments.

The Director of Railways Department.

The difficult and arduous work performed by this department reflects the greatest credit upon all concerned. The Orange River Colony and Transvaal Railways, embracing a length of 1,130 miles under the title of the "Imperial Military Railways," were taken over by this department as the country was occupied by Her Majesty's Forces, and on the 30th September, 1900, a staff of 17,874 officers and men was employed by it. From the outbreak of hostilities up to the 31st August, 1900, these railways had carried 177,000 passengers, 86,000 animals, and 520,000 tons of goods. All temporary repairs in the Cape Colony, Transvaal, and Orange River Colony were carried out, with a few exceptions, by the Military Railway Staff. Up to the 31st October, 1900, these temporary repairs included the restoration of 75 bridges, 94 culverts, and 37 miles of line. A detail of the general advance from Bloemfontein to Johannesburg, a distance of 265 miles, will give some idea of the expedition with which repairs were effected. The period during which the advance was being made was from the 3rd May to 11th June, 1900, in which space of time the following temporary repairs were executed:—

27 bridges,
41 culverts,
10 miles of line,

including seven deviations, varying in length from 200 yards to two miles.

From 6th June to 15th November, 1900, the Imperial Military Railways were more or less seriously damaged by the enemy on 115 occasions, but all such damages were promptly repaired, and did not materially affect the working of

of the railways, except that the running of trains after dark had to be suspended. During the same period fully 60 per cent. of damaged bridges and culverts were permanently or semi-permanently repaired.

Transport.

It having been found that the allotment of transport to units in accordance with the "War Establishments, 1898," was not suitable for a large force, I, on my arrival in South Africa in January, 1900, decided that the transport service must be reorganised.

The result of this re-organisation, under Major-General Sir William Nicholson, has been most successful, and has fully justified my expectations. I append a detailed report on the subject.

Army Service Corps.

To do justice to the excellent work done by the Army Service Corps during the war, and to give lengthy details of the magnitude of the task assigned to this department are beyond the limits of a paragraph in a Despatch. It is, however, estimated that since the war began, and up to the 30th October, 1900, the approximate number of rations issued to the army operating from the Cape Colony, north of the Orange River has been:—

	Number of Rations.	Approximate Tonnage.
Soldiers and natives	45,000,000	90,000
Animals	20,000,000	100,000

The strength has been approximately:—

	Number.	Required Daily.
Soldiers and natives	179,000	358 tons
Animals	93,000	465 "

It must be remembered that in the early days of the occupation of Bloemfontein, the average number of trains which could be sent from the south over the single line of railway was 7.5 daily; and that this line of railway conveyed not only supplies, but also stores, equipment, ammunition, remounts, troops, &c. Again the supply of the army after leaving Bloemfontein was a matter of very grave anxiety, and it was only by the devotion and zeal of the Army Service Corps Officers that the supplies were brought from the railhead to the troops in sufficient time to supply their daily wants. As an instance of the difficulties alluded to, a halt at Smaldeel was made imperative to allow the railway to bring the supplies sufficiently near to enable the transport to convey them to the troops. Another instance was the march from Taabosch to Johannesburg, when, as the railway had not been sufficiently repaired to admit of the required amount of supplies being brought to the front, we had to depend on such supplies as could be locally obtained. Though after the occupation of Pretoria the supply question never became acute, and later on the opening of the Natal and Delagoa Bay Railways increased our available sources, yet the difficulties to be overcome have been many; not the least

of them being the fact that to meet all our requirements and until the rolling stock at Barberton and Komati Poort was captured we were dependent upon 95 old engines to work the whole of the Orange River Colony and Transvaal railway systems, whilst in peace time the late Republics found that 250 engines were necessary for their daily use. In the above I have only referred to the work done in supplying the troops based on the Cape Colony. The Natal army has reason also to be entirely satisfied with the manner in which it has been supplied, and the occasions have been rare when any portion of this army have had anything but full rations. These services reflect the greatest credit on Colonel W. Richardson, C.B., and Colonel E. W. D. Ward, C.B., Directors of Supplies, and the Army Service Corps serving under them.

Army Telegraphs.

The duties performed by the Army Telegraphs under Lieut.-Colonel R. Hippiusley, R.E., throughout the war have my entire approbation. No portion of the army has had more work or greater responsibility than this branch. With a personnel of 25 officers and 1,221 operators, linesmen, &c. (of whom 4 officers and 153 N.C.O.'s and men have died or been invalided), nearly 2½ millions of messages have been dealt with during the past thirteen months, some of them containing as many as 4,000 words. The telegraph systems taken over, repaired, and maintained exceed 3,300 miles in length, with over 9,000 miles of wire. In addition, 959 miles of air line have been erected and 1,145 miles of cable laid. Great credit is also due for the quick way repairs to the lines, so frequently interrupted by the Boers, have been carried out. This is a most dangerous service, as there is always a chance that the enemy may be lying in wait near the break, but there has been throughout the most unhesitating promptitude in its performance. The young officers in charge of cable carts have also often had perilous work to perform when winding back their wire, alone or with a very small escort.

Submarine Telegraphs.

The working of the Submarine Telegraphs was most satisfactory, and the liberality of the companies in giving special rates for soldiers was much appreciated by the Army.

Military Postal Service.

The magnitude of the task set the Military Postal Service may be appreciated when it is realised that the army mails from England have exceeded in bulk the whole of the mails arriving for the inhabitants of Cape Colony and Natal, and contained each week little short of 750,000 letters, newspapers, and parcels for the troops. No little credit is therefore due to the department under Major Treble in the first few months, and for the greater part of the time under Lieut.-Colonel J. Greer, Director of Military Postal Services, for the way in which it has endeavoured to cope with the vast quantity of correspondence, bearing in mind the incessant manner in which the troops have been moved about the country, the transport difficulties which had to be encountered, the want of postal experience in the bulk of the personnel of the corps, and the inadequacy of the establishments laid down for the several organisations.

Royal Army Medical Corps.

Under Surgeon-General Wilson this depart-

ment has laboured indefatigably both in the field and in the hospitals. Some cases have been brought to my notice in which officers have proved unequal to the exceptional strain thrown upon them by the sudden expansion of hospitals, and in the earlier stages of the war the necessity of more ample preparations to meet disease were not quite fully apprehended. These cases have been fully reported on by the Royal Commission, and will no doubt receive the attention of His Majesty's Government. I am not, however, less conscious of the unremitting services of the great majority of the officers of the Royal Army Medical Corps. There are many instances, indeed, recorded of great gallantry having been displayed by the officers in carrying on their work of mercy under heavy fire, and in the face of exceptional difficulties their duty has been ably performed. My thanks are also due to the distinguished consulting surgeons who have come out to this country, and by their advice and experience materially aided the Royal Army Medical Corps. The services rendered by Sir William MacCormac, Mr. G. H. Makins, Mr. F. Treves, the late Sir W. Stokes, Mr. Watson Cheyne, Mr. G. Cheatle, Mr. Kendal Franks, Mr. John Chiene, and Sir Thomas Fitzgerald were of incalculable value. The abnormal demand upon the R.A.M.C. necessitated the employment of a large number of civil surgeons, and to these gentlemen the army owes a debt of gratitude. The heavy strain on the Army Medical Department was further much relieved by the patriotic efforts of the several committees and individuals who raised, equipped, and sent out complete hospitals. None but those on the spot can realise how much the Irish Hospital under Sir W. Thompson, the Yeomanry Hospitals and Bearer Co., under:—

Mr. A. D. Fripp, M.V.O., M.B., M.S.

Mr. A. R. J. Douglas, M.R.C.S.

Mr. A. A. Scott-Skirving, M.R.C.S.

Mr. T. H. Openshaw, F.R.C.S.

The Langman Hospital, under Mr. R. T. A. O'Callaghan, F.R.C.S., I.

The Welsh Hospital, under Professor T. Jones, M.B., F.R.C.S. (dead). Professor A. W. Hughes (dead).

The Princess Christian's Hospital, under Mr. J. P. Bush, M.R.C.S.

The Edinburgh Hospital, under Mr. D. Wallace, M.B.

The Scottish National Hospital, under Mr. H. E. Clarke, M.R.C.S., E.

The Van Alen Hospital, under M. S. Osborn, F.R.C.S.

and the Portland Hospital, under Mr. A. Bowlby, F.R.C.S.—contributed to the comfort and well-being of the sick and wounded.

I might here mention the invaluable assistance rendered to the sick and wounded by those private persons, members of the British Red Cross Society, who, headed by Her Royal Highness Princess Christian, raised, organised, and equipped hospital trains. As a result of their patriotic exertions, two complete trains were constructed, one being built at Birmingham, and the other made up at East London. Eight other hospital trains were organised by the medical authorities in South Africa, and also rendered excellent service. It may give some idea of the work which was accomplished by these trains if I append a statement showing the distance they covered and the number of patients they carried:—

No. 27305.

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Cape Line Railway.

	Journeys.	Miles.	Patients.
Second Train.	126	67,000	6,663
Third "	64	62,000	6,238
Fourth "	24	Unknown.	2,883
Fifth "	26	28,200	3,113
Sixth "	31	Unknown.	2,694
Seventh "	92	"	6,296

Natal Line Railway.

	Journeys.	Patients.
First Train	145	12,148
Second "	166	12,789
Third "	9	772

Hospital Ships.

The Army in South Africa owes a great deal to the Hospital Ships, and to the staff of medical officers and nurses who attended the sick and wounded, transferred to them from the base hospitals.

The "Spartan," "Trojan," and "The Princess of Wales" were used to convey invalids to Cape Town from other colonial ports. The "Lismore Castle," "Dunera," "Orcana," "Avoca," "Nubia," and "Simla," were originally hired transports, and were fitted out at Durban and employed in establishing a fortnightly system of hospital ships for the conveyance of invalids to England.

The "Princess of Wales" and "The Maine" were fitted out and maintained by the splendid generosity of private individuals, the former by the Central British Red Cross Committee for H.R.H. the Princess of Wales, and the latter by a Committee of American ladies.

My grateful thanks, as well as those of the Army in South Africa, are due to the individuals concerned, as well as to those owners of private yachts who placed them at the disposal of the sick and wounded officers and men.

The following table will be of interest:—

Name of Ship.	Where prepared.	By Whom.	No. of Voyages Home with Invalids up to end of Dec., 1900.	No. of Invalids carried.
"The Spartan"	Southampton	Union S.S. Co.	1	108
"The Trojan"	Southampton	Union S.S. Co.	1	66
"The Princess of Wales"	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Messrs. W. Armstrong Whitworth and Co.	3	523

"The Maine"	Thames	Atlantic Transport Company	2	285
"The Lismore Castle"	Durban	} Admiralty Transport Dept.	2	289
"The Avoca"	"		4	1,131
"The Dunera"	"		2	539
"The Orcana"	"		3	548
"The Nubia"	"		2	543
"The Simla"	"		3	816

My thanks are due to Khem Bahadur Dhanjibhoy, a Parsee gentleman, long resident in the Punjab, who presented tongas for ambulance purposes. These tongas were horsed and fully equipped with drivers and all necessary gear. They proved most useful.

Nursing Sisters.

I find it difficult within the limits of a short paragraph to give expression to the deep feeling of gratitude with which the Nursing Sisterhood has inspired all ranks serving in South Africa. The devotion, skill, courage and endurance displayed equally by the Army Nursing Service and by kindred organisations from the Colonies, have excited my admiration, and fully justified the opinion I have held for years as to the necessity and economy to the service of an ample nursing service for our army. Some of the nurses who have been the most helpful have been lent to the Army Nursing Reserve by the great hospitals in the United Kingdom.

I propose, in a later despatch, to bring to your notice the names of some of the most deserving.

Army Chaplains Department.

I gratefully acknowledge the services rendered by this department, under Rev. E. H. Goodwin. The devotion to duty of the several chaplains, civil as well as army, throughout the campaign, especially during the siege of Ladysmith and in the hospitals, have been frequently brought to my notice.

Army Ordnance Department.

This department has had an immense amount of work during the campaign, and under the capable direction of Colonel R. Noel Clarke has carried it out in a very satisfactory manner. The military operations covered a vast area, and only two single lines of railway were available, and these were so congested with troops, horses, and material of all sorts, that to get stores to the front in good time was always a matter of uncertainty.

That they were able to cope with these difficulties and keep the Army supplied with all the various stores that are dealt with by the department, reflects great credit not only on Colonel Clarke, but also on the officers, warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men under him.

The following brief statement, showing the duties which the Ordnance Department have had to carry out will give some idea of the work devolving on this department:—

- (1.) Receiving stores from England at four different bases.
- (2.) Forwarding the stores along the lines of communication to 13 ordnance depôts.
- (3.) Issuing the stores to the troops as required.

(4.) Forseeing the needs and providing for the replenishment of stores by demands from home, and by local purchases in South Africa, which up to July, 1900, amounted in value to over £1,000,000.

(5.) Establishing local workshops for the repair of arms, vehicles, harness, camp equipment, &c.

The personnel of the department consisted of 70 officers, 968 warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men, and 735 civilian subordinates, in addition to a large number of native labourers.

The following are a few of the stores that passed through the Ordnance Department.

Ordnance: 6 spare batteries of Field Artillery, 2 spare batteries of Horse Artillery.

Ammunition: 1,031,000 rounds of Artillery ammunition of 7 different calibres from 6in. to 12pr., 122,000,000 rounds of rifle and machine-gun ammunition.

Stores: 50,000 tents and marquees, 865,000 blankets, 385,000 waterproof sheets, 40,000 sets saddlery, 4,500 sets transport harness, 275,000 sets picketing gear, 140,000 horse rugs, 2,000,000 pairs horse and mule shoes.

Clothing: 716,514 khaki frocks, 825,902 pairs khaki trousers, 897,076 pairs boots, 827,500 shirts, 1,647,200 pairs socks.

The Army Pay Department.

The work thrown on this department has been out of all precedent with that which it has ever been called on to perform in previous campaigns. And it has been carried out under circumstances of great difficulty by Colonel W. B. Wade and his assistants to my entire satisfaction. At the commencement of the campaign there were only three field paymasters. There are now nine; and whereas the monthly accounts in September, 1899, only showed a total of £42,404 16s. 1d., they had reached in September, 1900, a total of £2,750,350 12s. 2d.

Such an expansion of business required an equal increase in personnel, which was not always forthcoming, the result being a considerable increase of work on those who were present.

Army Veterinary Department.

This department, under Veterinary-Colonel I. Matthews, has performed good work. The peace establishment being too small for the requirements of a large war, necessitated the employment of 123 civil veterinary surgeons, who, however, soon adapted themselves to the conditions of active service, and did much good work. Great assistance was afforded by the excellently-organised field veterinary hospitals so kindly lent by the Government of India. These hospitals leave nothing to be desired as regards supplies and equipment, and the personnel of Native N.C. officers, shoeing smiths, and trained attendants rendered most valuable service. There has been a notable immunity from contagious and ordinary diseases, except glanders, of which there have been five hundred cases, all of which the department was fortunately able to quickly suppress. There has also been an exceptional freedom from horse sickness; under 200 deaths out of more than 210,000 horses and mules.

Remount Department.

The calls made upon the Remount Department, under Major W. Birkbeck, 1st. Dragoon Guards, and H.S.H. Captain Prince Francis of

Teck, K.C.B., D.S.O., have been quite abnormal. Not only has the wastage of horseflesh by Cavalry and Artillery been beyond all expectation, but from the beginning of the war up to the 31st October, 1900, the department has been called upon to handle a vast number (60,711) of mules for transport purposes, and 57,330 cobs for Mounted Infantry. The number of Cavalry and Artillery horses that have passed through the Remount Department during the same period amounts to: Cavalry, 21,252; Artillery, 9,385. The organisation, on such a scale, may be said to have been extemporised during the war, and the way in which all ranks have done their utmost to cope with difficulties and profit by the experience gained in the earlier parts of the campaign is certainly deserving of credit. The personnel sent by the Government of India proved of much value.

Signalling.

The work done by the signallers, under the experienced guidance of Major T. E. O'Leary, R.I.F., during the campaign has been very arduous, and has frequently been carried out at great personal risks. The young officers and the N.C.O.'s and men employed have risen to their responsibilities, and have in almost every instance acquitted themselves to my entire satisfaction. The establishments for the different units have been found to be too small, and the absence of signallers with the Militia and Royal Artillery has necessitated men being attached from other branches from which they could ill be spared. The electric search-light used for signalling purposes in connexion with the relief operations of Ladysmith and Kimberley was of great service, and was provided by the Naval authorities.

This despatch would be incomplete were I to omit to mention the benefit I have derived from the unfailing support and wise counsels of Sir Alfred Milner. I can only say here that I have felt it a high privilege to work in close communication with one whose courage never faltered however grave the responsibilities might be which surrounded him, and who, notwithstanding the absorbing cares of his office, seemed always able to find time for a helpful message or for the tactful solution of a difficult question.

My grateful thanks are also due to the Governor of Natal. During the earlier part of the campaign I was practically cut off from communication with Sir W. Hely-Hutchinson, but I have since learned how throughout that period of anxiety and peril he and his ministers did all that men could do to help the troops at the front, and to keep up the spirits of the inhabitants of the Colony. Sir W. Hely-Hutchinson endeavoured in every way to meet the various requirements of the army, and I am glad of this opportunity of saying how much I appreciated the assistance he afforded.

Sir Godfrey Lagden has my cordial thanks for the valuable assistance he has rendered, and for the firm attitude he displayed under very trying circumstances; for the complete control he has maintained over the natives of Basutoland, for the accurate and valuable intelligence collected by his agents, and for the provision of a very large number of Basuto ponies for the use of the Mounted Infantry.

Rear-Admiral Sir R. H. Harris, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., has, since the outbreak of the war, been in supreme command of H.M. naval forces in South African waters. I am glad of this opportunity of expressing to him my thanks and

those of the army for the cordial co-operation and never-failing support which he has extended to me ever since my arrival at Cape Town in January, 1900.

General Lord Kitchener of Khartoum, G.C.B., K.C.M.G., R.E., has, as my Chief of the Staff, rendered me unfailing and very loyal support, and I am greatly indebted to him for the valuable assistance he at all times afforded me.

He has held a difficult position, and he has discharged its duties with conspicuous ability. I left the command of the army in South Africa to my late Chief of the Staff with the utmost confidence that he would do all that man could do to bring the present phase of the war to a speedy conclusion.

Major-General W. F. Kelly has served first as my D.A.G. and then as A.G., duties for which he is eminently fitted, and in carrying out which he has proved himself a most efficient Staff Officer.

Colonel E. Wood, C.B., R.E., as my C.R.E., has given me every satisfaction.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) Sir William Nicholson, K.C.B., has already been mentioned by me for good services as Director of Transport, but I should like to record here the assistance he has always been ready to give me in any other matters which from time to time I have had occasion to refer to him. His marked ability and ripe experience in all administrative work have been of very great value to the army in South Africa.

Colonel Ian Hamilton, C.B., D.S.O., has already been repeatedly mentioned for his services in Natal and in the siege of Ladysmith. In March, 1900, he joined me in the Orange River Colony, and since then has at different times been in command of a Mounted Infantry Division, a Division of Infantry, and large mixed Forces of all arms. I have long had occasion to recognise the exceptional military qualifications of this officer, and the high expectations which I had formed of his capacity for command have been amply justified.

Lieut.-Colonel H. V. Cowan, R.A., Military Secretary, has continued to give the closest attention to his work, which has been of the most confidential and often very arduous nature. In the performance of these duties he has given me complete satisfaction. I am much indebted to him for his able assistance.

Lord Stanley (late Lieutenant, Grenadier Guards), Hon. Colonel 2nd V.B. Loyal North Lancashire, has for the last five months been my private secretary, in which position, owing to his thorough knowledge of men and affairs, he has rendered me valuable assistance.

Captain A. C. M. Waterfield, I. S. Corps, my assistant Military Secretary, is a young officer of considerable promise, and did good work on many occasions in the field.

Colonel H. R. Viscount Downe, C.I.E., went out as my A.D.C., and was afterwards selected to accompany the Military Attachés of Foreign Powers, in which position his tact and judgment proved of much value.

Captain the Earl of Kerry, Lieut. Lord Settrington, Lieut. Lord Herbert Scott, all of the Irish Guards, and Lieut. H. Wake, King's Royal Rifles, my Aides-de-Camp, Commander the Honourable S. J. Fortescue, my Naval A.D.C., and Lieut. W. H. Cowan, R.N., A.D.C. to Lord Kitchener, and afterwards my Naval A.D.C., carried out their responsible duties to my entire satisfaction.

Lieut.-Colonel Byron, Royal Australian Artil-

lery, Major Denison, Royal Canadian Regiment, Captain Watermeyer, Cape Town Highlanders, and Lieut. Seddon, Roughriders, New Zealand Contingent, my colonial Aides-de-Camp, and the Duke of Westminster, extra A.D.C., all performed their various duties loyally and well.

Major T. Laing, who raised and commanded my bodyguard, and whose recent death I deeply deplore, shewed himself an officer of great merit, and I am much indebted to him and to Captain W. M. Sherston, Commanding the 48th Company, Imperial Yeomanry (Army Headquarters, Escort), and to Captains C. H. Gough and A. G. Maxwell, Indian Staff Corps, Camp Commandants, for their excellent arrangements.

Major W. R. Edwards, Indian Medical Service, took over medical charge of the Headquarters Staff in March, 1900, and performed his duties most satisfactorily.

Lieutenant and Quarter-Master J. Bowers, Army Service Corps, my confidential Clerk throughout the campaign, proved himself an able and most reliable officer.

Lieut.-Colonel Sir H. Rawlinson, Bart., Coldstream Guards, A.A.G., is a very promising officer. By his untiring energy, and his readiness and quickness in all emergencies, also by his good eye for country and topographical knowledge, he has proved himself to be possessed of considerable soldierly qualities.

Major C. Hume, R.A., took over the duties of D.M.I. when Major Colin Mackenzie was appointed Military Governor of Johannesburg. He has worked hard and has carried out all his duties in a thoroughly conscientious manner.

Major R. M. Poore, 7th Hussars, has, as Provost Marshal, carried out his somewhat thankless duties with commendable energy and success.

Captain H. H. Wilson, the Rifle Brigade, D.A.A.G., is an officer of considerable ability. He has worked on the Headquarters Staff since August with energy and success, and done much good work.

Brevet-Major H.H. Prince Christian Victor, G.C.B., G.C.V.O.—The much-to-be-regretted death of His Highness occurred before I had forwarded the recommendation for reward, which he so well deserved. His sterling qualities as a soldier, his unflinching courtesy and attention to his duties, had endeared him to all with whom he came in contact, and his early death is a real loss to the army.

Captain and Brevet Lieut.-Colonel E. F. Goringe, D.S.O., R.E., Major H. I. W. Hamilton, D.S.O., Royal West Surrey Regiment, and Major J. K. Watson, D.S.O., King's Royal Rifle Corps, who served on Lord Kitchener's staff, have done much hard and good work throughout the campaign.

General the Right Hon. Sir Redvers Buller, G.C.B., K.C.M.G., V.C., held the chief command in South Africa until my arrival in the early part of January, 1901; from that time onwards he was in command of the Natal Field Force, and carried out the difficult operations terminating in the relief of Ladysmith. Subsequent to that event his troops formed part of the Main Army, which had for its object the occupation of the Transvaal up to Komati Poort.

Lieutenant-General Sir G. S. White, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O., V.C., was mainly responsible for saving the Colony of Natal from being completely over-run by the enemy. His gallant defence of Ladysmith, and the prowess shown by his troops at Talana, Elandsplaagte, and Wagon Hill will live in the annals of history.

I greatly regret that ill-health prevented Sir George White from taking a conspicuous part in the latter stages of the campaign.

Lieut.-General Lord Methuen, K.C.V.O., C.B., C.M.G., has been in command of a division since the first despatch of troops from England in October, 1899. The manner in which he has kept his command at all times ready and complete for service, the rapidity of his movements, combined with his untiring energy and conspicuous courage have largely contributed to the present comparative quiet on the western border of the Transvaal.

Major-General C. Tucker, C.B., has always worked under my immediate command. He is a good fighting soldier, and has afforded me able assistance on many difficult occasions.

Major-General Sir A. Hunter, K.C.B., D.S.O., is an officer possessed of great soldierly qualities and considerable experience in war. He came out to South Africa as Chief of the Staff to Sir Redvers Buller, but, owing to the force of circumstances, he served during the siege of Ladysmith as Chief Staff Officer to Sir George White. He, with his division, came under my direct command in April, 1900, since when he has performed valuable service in connexion with the arrangements for the relief of Mafeking and the capture of General Prinsloo.

Major-General Sir Leslie Rundle, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., has commanded a division in South Africa since last April. He and his troops have had a very trying time, and have acquitted themselves of their task in a most creditable manner.

Major-General T. Kelly-Kenny, C.B., as General Officer L. of C., Orange River Colony, and previously as G.O.C. that Colony, has invariably shewn sound common sense and military instinct of a high order through many trying and anxious hours. I am much indebted to Major-General Kelly-Kenny for the good service he has performed.

Major-General G. T. Pretymann, C.B., has been Military Governor of Bloemfontein since last March, a difficult post, in which he has carried out his duties to my entire satisfaction.

Major-General G. Barton, C.B., has been in command of the 6th Brigade, first in Natal and afterwards in the Orange River Colony and Transvaal. He is a careful and thoughtful leader.

Major-General J. D. P. French, as G.O.C. the Cavalry, has on every occasion rendered me invaluable service. He never makes difficulties, and is a man of exceptional nerve. His truly soldierlike qualities are only equalled by his sound judgment, his unerring instinct, and his perfect loyalty. His services have been of incalculable value to the Empire as well as to myself.

Major-General R. Pole-Carew, C.B., commanded a brigade under Lieut.-General Lord Methuen to that officer's entire satisfaction. In April, 1900, he was given the command of a division, with which he did good service at the battle of Diamond Hill, and subsequent advance to Komati Poort.

Major-General R. S. S. Baden-Powell, as the gallant defender of Mafeking, is already well known. Since the relief of that town he has held a command in the field, and I selected him for the responsible position of Inspector-General of Police, in which his undoubted organizing powers will have ample scope for good and useful work.

Colonel W. H. Mackinnon commanded the

whole of the C.I.V. troops. In this position, hitherto unprecedented in the annals of our military history, he displayed tact, judgment, and resource, and I am much obliged to him for the manner in which he carried out his duties.

Colonel C. E. Knox was for many months in command of the 13th Brigade, in which he did such excellent service that I have on several occasions lately given him the command of mixed columns. In every case he has fully justified his previous reputation as a gallant soldier, a sound strategist and a good tactician.

Colonel E. T. H. Hutton, C.B., A.D.C., has commanded the 1st Brigade Mounted Infantry, in which capacity his unbounded energy and soldierly qualities, and his thorough knowledge of M.I. duties have on several occasions been of great service.

Colonel H. H. Settle, C.B., D.S.O., was for some time Inspector-General Lines of Communication, Cape Colony, where he did good work. Latterly he has, on several occasions, commanded columns in the disturbed districts of the Western Transvaal and Orange River Colony, and has always carried out his duties to my complete satisfaction.

Colonel G. H. Marshall has been C.R.A. to the Army in South Africa. In this position he has had an immense amount of responsible work to perform, and has done it with praiseworthy diligence and skill, having an able and untiring assistant in the person of Lieut.-Colonel Sclater, his A.A.G.

Colonel Arthur Paget, 1st Scots Guards, was sent from Bloemfontein in April, 1900, to command the 20th Brigade at Kimberley, and served with it in the west and east of the Orange River Colony. Afterwards he was given command of a mixed force with which, in the northern theatre of war, he has shown energy, decision, and intelligence in his successful efforts to pacify a very turbulent district.

Colonel R. Clements, D.S.O., A.D.C., commanded the 12th Brigade, with which he took up the work of General French at Colesberg, when that officer was moved forward to the relief of Kimberley. Since then he has rendered good service both in the Orange River Colony and in the Western Transvaal.

Colonel E. W. D. Ward, C.B., was of immense value to Sir George White during the siege of Ladysmith. After the relief of that town he joined Army Headquarters, and from that time was Director of Supplies to the Field Army. His readiness and resource, his imperturbable good temper, his power of organisation and thorough knowledge of his duties, deserve the thanks of all ranks in the army.

Colonel Ward is an officer who stands quite by himself as a departmental officer of genius and character.

Colonel C. W. Douglas, A.D.C., came out originally as A.A.G. to Sir Redvers Buller, and shortly afterwards succeeded Colonel Pole-Carew in command of the 9th Brigade, which he has held ever since. In this position he has rendered Lord Methuen every support and assistance, and has earned my thanks for his continuous and useful work on the western border of the Transvaal.

Colonel W. G. Knox, C.B., served with credit throughout the siege of Ladysmith. He has since then commanded a brigade in the Orange River Colony, and has carried out his duties in a soldier-like and efficient manner.

Colonel J. G. Maxwell, D.S.O., commanded the 14th Brigade in the general advance from Bloem-

fontein to Pretoria. After the capture of that city he was appointed to the post of military governor, a position in which his business-like methods and sound common-sense proved most valuable, and helped him to overcome many difficulties with credit and success.

Colonel Hector Macdonald, C.B., D.S.O., A.D.C., has commanded the Highland Brigade, since the lamentable death of Major-General Wauchope. He has shown resolution and energy in carrying out the somewhat thankless task which has fallen to the lot of his command, of pacifying the Orange River Colony and protecting its communications.

Colonel R. G. Broadwood has commanded the 2nd Cavalry Brigade throughout the operations. He has had a great deal of hard and responsible work, under which his health gave way—but with his soldierly instinct he returned to South Africa as soon as he recovered, and will, I feel confident, prove himself the gallant Cavalry leader I believe him to be.

Colonel H. L. Smith-Dorrien, D.S.O., has done extremely well with the 19th Brigade. He has shown exceptional aptitude for command in the field, being sound in judgment, quick to see and act, and full of resource. He is, moreover, a good organiser, and possesses in a marked degree the confidence of those in his command.

Colonel T. E. Stephenson, Essex Regiment, is possessed of excellent soldierly qualities. He has commanded the 18th Brigade throughout, and with it has borne an honourable part in the campaign.

Colonel Lord Chesham, Imperial Yeomanry, as one of the prime movers for the employment of Yeomanry in the field, and more particularly as one of the General Officers Commanding the Yeomanry with distinction and dash, I owe him a debt of gratitude difficult to express, but none the less deeply felt.

Colonel Brabant, C.M.G., has been in chief command of the Colonial troops from the Cape Colony, which, amongst other distinguished actions, furnished the contingent which, under Lieutenant-Colonel Dalgetty, so gallantly defended Wepener. Colonel Brabant is a fine leader of men; he represents the true Imperial feeling in the Cape, and, aided by his fellow Colonists, has furnished an object lesson in loyalty and devotion to the Crown.

Colonel Dartnell, as G.O.C. Natal Colonists, has maintained the best traditions of H.M. Regular Forces, to which he formerly belonged. His name stands very high in the estimation of the Colonists of Natal, and he possesses the greatest influence over the natives. His advice was of much assistance in the earliest actions of the war, afterwards during the siege of Ladysmith, and finally in the general advance through the Biggarsberg to Laing's Nek, when Natal was cleared of the enemies of the Queen.

Colonel G. G. Cunningham, D.S.O., has been in command of a brigade in the Rustenberg district for some months. He has acquitted himself well and to my satisfaction. I consider him a promising commander.

Colonel B. T. Mahon has, on several occasions, displayed soldier-like qualities when in command of mounted troops, especially when in command of the flying column for the relief of Mafeking. He has a quick and good eye for country.

Colonel H. Cholmondeley did excellent service as commander of the C.I.V. Mounted Infantry. He proved himself on many occasions thoroughly well qualified for this responsible post, and has earned the warmest commendations both for

himself and his men from all of the G.O.C.s with whom he has served.

Colonel St. G. Henry, Northumberland Fusiliers, has repeatedly shown to advantage as a leader of men, and, as Commanding Officer of the 4th Corps of Mounted Infantry he has done excellent work.

Lieutenant-Colonel M. F. Rimington, 6th Dragoon Guards, rendered very exceptional service with a specially raised Corps of Scouts. He had an intimate knowledge of the whole of the Orange River Colony, and no hardship was too severe, or peril too serious to deter him from pushing his reconnoissances far to the front or flanks of the force to which he was attached.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Plumer, York and Lancashire Regiment, was sent out on special service to Rhodesia in June, 1899, since which time he has been constantly in the field. He raised and organised a Corps of Irregulars, and moved on Mafeking, and acted in conjunction with Colonel Mahon in the relief of that town. He has since been actively engaged in the Transvaal, and has consistently done good work, not only as a soldier, but as an administrator of a high order.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Spens, 2nd Shropshire Light Infantry, has on several occasions commanded a brigade in the field. He is reported on as never raising difficulties, and always carrying out his orders with good sense and great determination.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Alderson, West Kent Regiment, commanded the 1st Corps of Mounted Infantry from the beginning of the war. He evinced such special aptitude for this most important work that I entrusted him with a brigade of Mounted Infantry, which I have every confidence he will command with success.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. D. Pilcher, Bedfordshire Regiment, has, whilst in command of the 3rd Mounted Infantry, shown remarkable merit as a leader. Although a young officer, he is full of resource, capable of devising an excellent scheme, and resolute enough to put it into execution.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Dawson, Indian Staff Corps, is an officer possessing considerable experience of Cavalry work in the field. He in the first instance commanded Roberts's Horse, and afterwards commanded the 5th Corps of Mounted Infantry with credit during a period in which it was continually engaged with the enemy.

Captain H. de Lisle, D.S.O., Durham Light Infantry, has commanded the 2nd Corps of Mounted Infantry throughout the operations. He is one of the best of the many deserving junior officers which this war has brought into prominence. He possesses in a very marked degree the qualities of resolution, quickness, and daring, which are so necessary to the successful leading of mounted men.

Major W. Ross, Durham Light Infantry, has always played a distinguished part in command of the 8th Corps of Mounted Infantry. I much regret the loss of his services, which I trust may only be temporary, from a severe wound which he received whilst very gallantly commanding his men in an important and successful action.

Brevet-Lieut.-Colonel Le Gallais, whose death I deeply regret served during the war in command of a mounted corps, and also as chief staff officer to the Mounted Infantry Division. In both these capacities he rendered

brilliant service, and gave every promise of rising to the highest rank as a cavalry leader.

Major N. Legge, D.S.O., 20th Hussars, commanded the 6th Corps of Mounted Infantry throughout the operations. He, at all times and in all places, did most excellent service. He was a capable, painstaking and gallant leader. I deeply regret the early death of this most promising officer.

Major A. W. Thorneycroft, Royal Scots Fusiliers, in command of a regiment of Mounted Infantry, has already been brought to notice by Sir Redvers Buller. Since coming under my immediate command he has gained my confidence as a most gallant and capable leader.

Brevet-Major E. G. T. Bainbridge, The Buffs, has commanded the 7th Corps of Mounted Infantry throughout the operations. He is a very promising young officer, who knows how to handle mounted men with judgment and dash.

Major Colin Mackenzie, Seaforth Highlanders, is a very promising officer. He was appointed Military Governor of Johannesburg as soon as that city was occupied. Since that time many difficult problems have been brought before him for solution. In dealing with these he has displayed great judgment and force of character, and has thereby rendered valuable service.

Major G. J. Younghusband, I.S.C., commanded the 3rd Battalion of Imperial Yeomanry under Lord Methuen throughout the operations during which his battalion suffered 109 casualties out of a strength of 500 men. Major Younghusband is an officer of wide experience and great ability, and Lord Methuen speaks in the highest terms of his capacity as a commander.

Captain J. Bearcroft commanded the Royal Naval Brigade until the men finally rejoined their ships in October. I have already referred in my despatch of the 31st March to the valuable services rendered by him and his men, and I am glad to be able now once more to bear witness to the pluck, endurance, and cheerfulness which have been exhibited by all our sailors under most unusual and trying circumstances.

Finally, I wish to bring the names of the following officers to notice for meritorious services performed. It has been found impossible at this date to make the list complete, and junior officers especially will be brought to notice later.

- Major-General B. B. D. Campbell, M.V.O.
- Major-General J. E. Boyes.
- Colonel J. B. B. Dickson, C.B.
- Colonel R. E. Allen.
- Colonel I. R. Jones, Lt.-Colonel Scots Guards.
- Colonel, Earl of, C. G. Erroll.
- Colonel H. Cooper.
- Colonel G. E. Harley, C.B.
- Colonel C. H. Bridge, C.B., Army Service Corps.
- Colonel F. W. Benson.
- Colonel J. L. C. St. Clair.
- Colonel H. E. Belfield.
- Colonel Hon. J. S. Napier.
- Brevet-Colonel T. E. Hickman, D.S.O., Major Worcester Regiment.
- Brevet-Colonel C. A. Rochfort Boyd, Royal Engineers.
- Brevet-Colonel E. A. W. S. Grove, Lieut.-Colonel Royal West Kent Regiment.
- Brevet-Colonel E. S. Evans, Lieut.-Colonel Royal Munster Fusiliers.
- Colonel F. W. Rhodes, D.S.O.
- Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Godfray, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Flint, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel P. L. Clowes, 8th Hussars.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. McDonnell, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. G. C. Money, C.B., Northumberland Fusiliers.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Carter, Wilts. Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel P. T. Rivett-Carnac, West Riding Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Burney, Gordon Highlanders.

Lieutenant-Colonel B. D. A. Donne, Royal Sussex Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Lloyd, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel B. R. Mitford, Captain East Surrey Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Pink, D.S.O., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Sitwell, Northumberland Fusiliers.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. N. Guinness, Royal Irish Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Bradley, North Stafford Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. A. Wright, East Lancashire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Waldron, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. M. Lowe, 7th Dragoon Guards.

Lieutenant-Colonel P. T. Buston, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hon. N. de C. Dalrymple-Hamilton, Scots Guards.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Kelham, Highland Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hon. U. de R. B. Roche, South Wales Borderers.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Bethell, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Pratt, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. Hicks, Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. R. C. Graham, Cheshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Inglefield, East Yorkshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. H. Kenney, C.M.G., Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir R. A. W. Colleton, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lord E. B. Talbot, Half-pay.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Bell-Irving, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Alexander, 10th Hussars.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir G. V. Thomas, Bart., Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Douglas, Royal Scots.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. Butcher, Army Ordnance Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. R. Hobbs, Army Ordnance Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. D. Lysaght, Army Pay Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Dewar, Army Pay Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. C. Mackenzie, Suffolk Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. Woods, Essex Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Romilly, Scots Guards.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Samut, Army Ordnance Department.

Major J. H. Poett, Dorset Regiment.

Major R. C. Foster, Royal Artillery.

Major W. L. White, Royal Artillery.

Major E. J. Phipps-Hornby, V.C., Royal Artillery.

Major J. Hanbury Williams, C.M.G., Oxford Light Infantry.

Major F. B. Lecky, Royal Artillery.

Major E. B. Urmston, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

Major H. K. Jackson, Royal Artillery.

Major T. F. Bushe, Royal Artillery.

Major R. G. McQ. McLeod, Royal Artillery.

Major E. J. Granet, Royal Artillery.

Major R. B. Gaisford, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Major N. E. Young, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.

Major A. E. J. Cavendish, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

Major W. A. Young, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Major H. H. L. Malcolm, Cameron Highlanders.

Brevet-Major A. F. Pilson, Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

Major S. W. Lane, Royal Artillery.

Major R. N. R. Reade, Shropshire Light Infantry.

Major A. W. Money, Royal Artillery.

Brevet-Major W. Campbell, Gordon Highlanders.

Major J. S. Nicholson, D.S.O., 7th Hussars.

Major W. J. C. Butler, 6th Dragoon Guards.

Major R. C. B. Haking, Hampshire Regiment.

Major F. J. Davies, Grenadier Guards.

Major W. Prior, Indian Staff Corps.

Major F. C. Shaw, Derby Regiment.

Major H. C. V. Harrison, Royal Artillery.

Major C. C. Owen, Royal Artillery.

Major J. E. W. Headlam, Royal Artillery.

Major H. Guthrie Smith.

Major S. P. Rolt, Yorkshire and Lancashire Regiment.

Major W. R. Robertson, D.S.O., 3rd Dragoon Guards.

Major D. J. M. Fasson, Royal Artillery.

Major St. J. L. H. Du Plat-Taylor, Royal Artillery.

Major H. A. L. Tagart, 15th Hussars.

Major G. T. Forestier-Walker, Royal Artillery.

Major G. F. Milne, Royal Artillery.

Major H. M. Jackson, Royal Engineers.

Major R. S. Curtis, Royal Engineers.

Major W. R. Stewart, Royal Engineers.

Major E. S. Heard, Northumberland Fusiliers.

Brevet-Major W. D. Bird, West Surrey Regiment.

Major G. R. C. Paul, Army Service Corps.

Major P. E. F. Hobbs, Army Service Corps.

Major H. R. H. Jack, Army Service Corps.

Major R. W. M. Jackson, Army Ordnance Department.

Major H. D. E. Parsons, Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Major C. A. Bray, Army Pay Department.

Major E. A. Moulton Barrett, Army Ordnance Department.

Captain C. H. Villiers, Royal Horse Guards.

Captain H. S. Sloman, East Surrey Regiment.

Captain R. S. Oxley, King's Royal Rifles.

Captain H. C. Godley, Northampton Regiment.

Captain E. Bell, Worcester Regiment.

Captain W. C. Knight, Indian Staff Corps.

Captain G. M. Kirkpatrick, Royal Engineers.

Captain S. C. G. F. Astell, North Stafford Regiment.

Captain J. G. Rennie, Royal Highlanders.
 Captain C. J. Briggs, 1st Dragoon Guards.
 Captain J. A. Bell-Smyth, 1st Dragoon Guards.
 Captain J. M. Camilleri, Indian Staff Corps.
 Captain E. F. O. Gascoigne, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.
 Captain H. McMicking, Royal Scots.
 Captain D. H. A. Dick, Royal Scots Fusiliers.
 Captain A. E. Lascelles, Norfolk Regiment.
 Captain F. W. Kerr, D.S.O., Gordon Highlanders.
 Captain R. W. Thompson, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.
 Captain G. I. Walsh, Leicester Regiment.
 Captain C. H. Bennett, Worcester Regiment.
 Captain C. C. Carr, Royal Fusiliers.
 Captain K. R. Hamilton, Oxford Light Infantry.
 Captain C. Ross, Norfolk Regiment.
 Captain H. M. Patterson, Indian Staff Corps.
 Captain H. H. Cobbe, I.S.C.
 Captain H. McConaghey, Indian Staff Corps.
 Captain N. J. G. Cameron, Cameron Highlanders.
 Captain J. W. Yardley (late 6th Dragoons).
 Captain Hon. T. W. Brand, 10th Hussars.
 Captain R. W. R. Barnes, 4th Hussars.
 Captain Lord E. D. Loch, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.
 Captain L. W. Atcherley, Army Service Corps.
 Captain H. G. A. Garsia, Army Service Corps.
 Captain L. L. Maxwell, Indian Staff Corps.
 Captain H.S.H. Prince Alexander of Teck, K.C.V.O., 7th Hussars.
 Captain G. E. R. Kenrick, Royal West Surrey Regiment.
 Captain A. P. Murray (late Gordon Highlanders).
 Captain H. J. A. Banks, Hampshire Regiment.
 Captain J. H. Hale, East Lancashire Regiment.
 Captain Viscount Milton, 4th Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
 Captain R. B. Hopkins, Manchester Regiment.
 Captain A. D. Kirby, Royal Artillery.
 Captain H. D. O. Ward, Royal Artillery.
 Captain H. B. Williams, Royal Engineers.
 Captain R. N. Harvey, Royal Engineers.
 Captain J. Knowles, 15th Hussars.
 Captain J. R. K. Birch, Cheshire Regiment.
 Captain G. W. B. Brett, Army Pay Department.
 Captain E. C. Eicke, Army Pay Department.
 Captain F. Smerdon, Army Pay Department.
 Captain A. Y. Barton, Royal Marine Artillery (Ordnance Department).
 Captain C. C. Wrigley, Royal Warwickshire Regiment (Ordnance Department).
 Lieutenant R. A. C. Daunt, Royal Irish Rifles.
 Lieutenant J. J. Burnett-Stuart, Rifle Brigade.
 Lieutenant the Duke of Marlborough, Oxfordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.
 Lieutenant V. R. Brooke, 9th Lancers.
 Lieutenant A. G. Wauchope, Royal Highlanders.
 Lieutenant A. F. Macmillan Scott (late 5th Lancers).
 Lieutenant A. L. Renton (late 2nd Dragoons).
 Lieutenant R. P. Cobbold (late King's Royal Rifles).
 Lieutenant G. Hastie (late 18th Hussars).
 Lieutenant C. D. D. Shute (late 3rd Battalion, Royal West Surrey Regiment).
 Lieutenant (now Captain) E. Christian, Royal Scots Fusiliers.
 No. 3347 Sergeant W. H. Henry, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

No. 2663 Lance-Corporal A. Cairns, Royal Scots Fusiliers.
 No. 2457 Private R. Wills, Royal Scots Fusiliers.
 No. 3404 Private M. Lovatt, Royal Scots Fusiliers.
 No. 2655 Private C. Ravenhill, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

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 Colonel J. F. Supple.
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 Lieutenant-Colonel H. Grier.
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 Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. May.
 Lieutenant-Colonel E. North.
 Lieutenant-Colonel A. P. O'Connor.
 Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. Sloggett.
 Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. Williamson.
 Lieutenant-Colonel O. G. Wood.
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 Lieutenant E. T. Inkson.
 Lieutenant W. H. S. Nickerson.
 Lieutenant C. J. O'Gorman.
 Lieutenant W. R. Blackwell.
 Lieutenant E. B. Knox.
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 Reverend H. T. Coney, M.A.
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 Reverend E. R. Day, M.A.
 Reverend R. J. D. Oliver, M.A.
 Reverend W. S. Jaffray.

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Reverend H. Lowry (Wesleyan).
 Reverend G. Rudge Wilson, M.A. (Church of Scotland).

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Colonel W. D. C. Williams, New South Wales Army Medical Corps.

Major J. M. Antill, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Captain A. B. Baker, 1st Imperial Bushmen.

Captain A. J. Bennett, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Captain T. A. Greene, New South Wales Bearer Company.

Captain M. A. Hilliard, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Captain W. Holmes, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Captain R. E. Roth, New South Wales Bearer Company.

Captain A. E. Serkins, New South Wales Bearer Company.

Lieutenant W. Butler, Imperial Bushmen.

Lieutenant H. B. Christie, 1st New South Wales Bushmen Contingent.

Lieutenant S. C. Cope, Bushmen Contingent.

Lieutenant F. A. Dove, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant R. D. Doyle, Imperial Bushmen.

Lieutenant F. C. Learmonth, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant C. G. S. Lydiard, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant A. M. McLean, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant T. M. Moore, 1st Imperial Bushmen.

Lieutenant D. K. L. Tooth, New South Wales Mounted Infantry (now 2nd Lieutenant, 9th Lancers).

Lieutenant W. W. R. Watson, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant R. E. Zouch, 1st Imperial Bushmen.

No. 1 Sergeant-Major R. C. Holman, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Sergeant-Major F. Liggins, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

No. 424 Sergeant-Major Pallack, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

No. 80 Staff-Sergeant Jawasson, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

No. 11 Sergeant G. Dart, New South Wales Bearer Company.

No. 7 Sergeant T. Hender, New South Wales Bearer Company.

No. 12 Sergeant G. Rose, New South Wales Bearer Company.

Lance-Sergeant S. R. Antill, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

No. 82 Corporal C. Linfield, New South Wales Bearer Company.

No. 320 Private L. Hayward, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

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No. 81 Private G. Helmes, New South Wales Bearer Company.

No. 210 Private J. McCracken, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

Private P. Murphy, New South Wales Bearer Company.

No. 340 Private W. Neeld, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

No. 123 Private Rudd, New South Wales Mounted Infantry.

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Lieutenant-Colonel S. Newall, 5th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Infantry.

Major M. Cradock, New Zealand Mounted Infantry.

Major R. H. Davies, 4th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Major T. Jowsey, 3rd Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Major A. W. Robin, New Zealand Mounted Infantry.

Captain C. T. Major, 4th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Captain D. Polson, 5th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant A. Banchope, 4th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant S. R. Bradburne, New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant J. G. Hughes, New Zealand Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant G. H. R. Rolleston, 4th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant T. J. M. Todd, New Zealand Mounted Infantry.

No. 3 Sergeant-Major W. J. Burn, New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

No. 2438 Sergeant-Major W. H. Fletcher, 5th Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Sergeant-Major Harpur, New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Sergeant W. Cassidy, 2nd Contingent New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

No. 105 Sergeant E. Hazlett, New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Sergeant Luck, New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

Pioneer-Sergeant Harris.

Corporal Harler.

Corporal Hogg.

Trooper Gallaway.

Trooper Holroyd.

No. 407 Private H. B. Wade, New Zealand Mounted Rifles.

QUEENSLAND.

Lieutenant-Colonel P. R. Ricardo, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Major W. Bacon, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Major R. S. Browne, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Major H. G. Chauvel, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Major V. C. M. Selheim, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Major W. H. Tunbridge, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Captain A. T. Duka, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Captain R. Gordon, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Captain D. E. Reid, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant T. W. Glasgow, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Sergeant-Major Cooney, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

No. 65 Sergeant-Major J. Loynes, Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

Quartermaster-Sergeant W. F. L. Wright, 2nd Contingent Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

No. 6 Company Sergeant-Major J. F. Gill, Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

Corporal Davidson, 2nd Contingent Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

Corporal Harris, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

Lance-Corporal Trickett, Queensland Mounted Infantry.

No. 159 Private C. G. Barnes, Queensland Mounted Rifles.

No. 335 Private A. Clark, Queensland Mounted Rifles.

No. 126 Private R. E. Hutchinson, Queensland Mounted Rifles.

No. 313 Private F. W. Lucas, Queensland Mounted Rifles.

No. 193 Private Keogh, 2nd Contingent Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

Trumpeter A. E. Forbes, 2nd Contingent Queensland Imperial Bushmen.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Colonel J. M. Gordon, South Australian Bushmen.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Rowell, 4th Contingent South Australian Bushmen.

Major C. J. Reade, South Australia Mounted Rifles.

Captain A. E. Collins, South Australian Bushmen.

Captain Gran Hübbe, South Australian Bushmen.

Captain J. F. Humphries, South Australia Mounted Rifles.

Captain I. H. Stapleton, South Australian Bushmen.

Lieutenant C. M. Ives, South Australian Bushmen.

No. 69 Sergeant Ive.

Sergeant Knapman, South Australian Mounted Rifles.

No. 34 Corporal Currie.

No. 44 Corporal Fornby.

Corporal V. M. Newland, South Australian Mounted Rifles.

Lance-Corporal H. Balfour O'Gilvy, South Australian Mounted Rifles.

Private H. W. Brown, South Australian Mounted Rifles.

Private Cornish, South Australian Mounted Rifles.

Private Fetch, South Australian Mounted Rifles.

TASMANIA.

Colonel E. T. Wallack, Imperial Bushmen.

Major C. Cameron, Tasmanian Mounted Infantry.

Captain R. C. Lewis, Imperial Bushmen.

Captain A. H. Riggall, Imperial Bushmen.

Lieutenant R. Anderson, Imperial Bushmen.

Lieutenant R. Perkins, Imperial Bushmen.

Sergeant-Major J. Costello, Tasmanian Mounted Infantry.

No. 136 Sergeant J. J. Gardiner, Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

No. 131 Trooper R. Chant, Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

No. 36 Trooper P. Clark, Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

No. 135 Trooper R. Douglas, Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

No. 52 Trooper F. A. Groom, Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

No. 137 Trooper A. G. Hillier, Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

No. 143 Trooper E. R. Jacson (killed), Tasmanian Imperial Bushmen.

VICTORIA.

Colonel J. C. Hoad, Victorian Mounted Infantry.

Colonel T. Price, Victorian Mounted Rifles.
Lieutenant-Colonel N. W. Kelly, Victorian Imperial Bushmen.

Major Eddy, Victorian Mounted Rifles (killed).

Major D. McLeish, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant M. T. Kirby, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant and Adjutant J. L. Lilley, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant T. S. Slaughton, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

No. 210 Sergeant H. H. Bell, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

No. 196 Sergeant P. J. Dalimore, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

No. 67 Private H. J. Cooke, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

No. 118 Private R. J. Gardiner, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

No. 82 Private E. Starkey, Victorian Mounted Rifles.

WEST AUSTRALIA.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Pilkington (Reserve of Officers), 2nd West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Major H. G. Vialls, Bushman's Corps.

Captain S. Harris, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Captain F. M. Parker, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant H. F. Darling, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant J. C. de Castilla, 2nd Contingent West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant R. R. C. Vernon, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Lieutenant S. A. Olliver, 2nd Contingent West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 75 Sergeant J. Barry, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

Sergeant E. H. Draper, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 41 Sergeant P. M. Edwards, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 6 Corporal H. W. Clarkson, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 4 Lance-Corporal J. Burley, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 52 Private R. Corkill, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 13 Private H. Force, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

No. 19 Private A. Spiers, West Australian Mounted Infantry.

AUSTRALIAN ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant-Colonel Umphelby (died of wounds).

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lieutenant G. J. Grieve (killed).

No. 3258 Sergeant-Major H. Arnold, Australian Horse.

CANADA.

Colonel C. W. Drury, Royal Canadian Artillery.

Colonel W. D. Otter, Royal Canadian Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel L. Buchan, Royal Canadian Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel T. D. B. Evans, Royal Canadian Dragoons.
 Lieutenant-Colonel F. L. Lessard, Royal Canadian Dragoons.
 Lieutenant-Colonel S. B. Steele, Strathcona's Horse.
 Major R. Belcher, Strathcona's Horse.
 Major Houdin, Royal Canadian Artillery.
 Major A. M. Jarvis, Strathcona's Horse.
 Major G. Ogilvie, Royal Canadian Artillery.
 Surgeon-Major A. N. Worthington (attached), Royal Canadian Artillery.
 Captain G. W. Cameron, Strathcona's Horse.
 Captain F. L. Cartwright, Strathcona's Horse.
 Captain A. C. Macdonald, 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Captain A. H. Macdonell, Royal Canadian Regiment.
 Captain and Adjutant E. F. Mackie, Strathcona's Horse.
 Captain H. A. Panet, Royal Canadian Artillery.
 Lieutenant A. E. Christie, Strathcona's Horse.
 Lieutenant H. Davidson, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Lieutenant A. L. Howard, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Lieutenant W. M. Inglis, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Lieutenant L. E. W. Irving, Royal Canadian Artillery.
 Lieutenant J. E. Leekie, Strathcona's Horse.
 Lieutenant and Adjutant J. H. J. Ogilvie, Royal Canadian Regiment.
 Lieutenant R. E. W. Turner, Royal Canadian Dragoons.
 Lieutenant F. Young, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Surgeon-Lieutenant C. B. Keenan, M.D., Strathcona's Horse.
 Regimental Sergeant-Major Church, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Regimental Sergeant-Major J. Hynes, Strathcona's Horse.
 Squadron Sergeant-Major J. Richards, Strathcona's Horse.
 Battery-Sergeant-Major W. H. Grimlett, Royal Canadian Artillery.
 No. 517 Sergeant W. H. Nelles, Strathcona's Horse.
 Sergeant R. H. Ryan, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 No. 430 Sergeant J. M. B. Skirving, Strathcona's Horse.
 No. 218 Corporal T. Gallagher, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 No. 202 Corporal T. R. Miles, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 No. 259 Corporal F. W. Whitlow, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Trooper Crawley, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Trooper Waite, Canadian Mounted Infantry.
 Gunner Laidlaw, Royal Canadian Artillery.
 No. 7037 Private M. Crooke, Royal Canadian Regiment.
 Private Hammond, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 No. 8110 Private J. Kennedy, Royal Canadian Regiment.
 No. 169 Private T. Kerr, Canadian Mounted Rifles (killed).
 No. 7722 Private J. Landen, Royal Canadian Regiment.
 Private Miles, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Private L. W. R. Molloy, Royal Canadian Dragoons.

No. 431 Private S. E. Morrison, Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 No. 7552 Private R. R. Thompson, Royal Canadian Regiment.

CEYLON.

Major Murray Menzies.
 Lieutenant A. H. Thomas (killed).

BECHUANALAND RIFLES.

Captain B. W. Cowan.
 Sergeant R. Rowlands.

BETHUNE'S MOUNTED INFANTRY.

Captain A. E. Capell.
 Captain C. J. Collopy.
 Captain H. C. Erskine.
 Captain F. C. M. Ford.
 Lieutenant L. Lanham.
 Lieutenant M. Prior.
 No. 104 Sergeant F. Howroyd.
 No. 587 Corporal H. Schott.
 Lance-Corporal Glassborough.
 Trooper Allen.
 No. 142 Private A. S. Partridge.
 No. 1176 Private F. H. Vallecalle.

BORDER HORSE.

Major C. P. Crewe.
 Major M. W. Robertson.
 Regimental Sergeant-Major E. Burgess.
 Trooper H. C. Rutherford.

BRABANT'S HORSE.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Grenfell (1st Life Guards).
 Captain H. R. Cholmondeley.
 Captain J. S. G. Douglas.
 Captain Honourable L. Ogilvie.
 Surgeon-Captain R. C. Perkins.
 Lieutenant E. S. Stevenson.
 Lieutenant and Adjutant A. F. C. Williams.
 Sergeant Campbell.
 Corporal Dulton.
 Trooper P. E. J. Kornell.

BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA POLICE.

Colonel Walford.
 Lieutenant-Colonel W. Bodle.
 Lieutenant-Colonel H. White.
 Captain H. Bowden.
 Captain Greener.
 Captain Noel Llewellyn.
 Captain P. W. Williams Ashley.
 Surgeon-Major Holmden.
 Sergeant M. O. Delegh.
 Sergeant R. E. Murray.
 Corporal J. H. Houite.
 Corporal H. Jearey.

CAPE MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Hartley, V.C.
 Staff-Sergeant Wunschow.
 Private H. Cheese.
 Private S. Nathan.

CAPE GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Driver Rodger.

CAPE MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Dalgety.
 Major C. F. Sprenger (killed).
 Captain R. F. Cantwell.
 Captain H. W. Goldsworthy.
 Captain R. C. Grant.
 Captain H. T. Lukin, Artillery Troop.

Lieutenant J. E. G. Roy.
Sergeant-Major Robson.
No. 1900 Sergeant G. P. Roberts.
Corporal W. Bettington, attached R.A.M.C.
No. 3265 Private H. T. Rawlings.
No. 2865 Private F. Robarts.
No. 2966 Trumpeter R. Washington.

CAPE PIONEER RAILWAY REGIMENT.

Major G. H. Goodwin.
Major N. Wilson.
Captain W. E. O. Mitchell.
No. 500 Quartermaster-Sergeant W. Cartledge.
No. 945 Company-Sergeant-Major S. Beaton.
No. 893 Sergeant J. Marchant.
No. 679 Corporal T. McMeekan.
No. 304 Corporal G. M. Smythe.
No. 180 Private S. Stafford.
No. 118 Private W. Ure.

CAPE POLICE.

Major Berringer.
Major J. N. Neylan.
Captain A. Bates.
Captain Halse.
Captain Pope Hennessy.
Lieutenant Warren.
Inspector W. E. Ayliff.
Inspector Browne.
Inspector F. H. Elliot.
Sub-Inspector M. K. Crozier.
Sub-Inspector Cummings.
No. 7 Sergeant-Major Fuller.
Sergeant Abrams.
Sergeant Jenkins.
Corporal R. B. Christie.
Corporal (local Lieutenant) Currie.
No. 303 Trooper Lloyd.
Private Richards.

CAPE TOWN HIGHLANDERS.

Private Moore.

CORPS OF GUIDES.

Lieutenant Ross.
Trooper Newton.

DIAMOND FIELDS ARTILLERY.

Captain S. May.
Surgeon-Lieutenant A. J. Ortop.
Gunner F. D. Payne.

DIAMOND FIELDS HORSE.

Major T. H. Rodger.
Sergeant A. B. Nichollets.

DE MONTMORENCEY'S SCOUTS.

Captain A. McNeill.
Captain H. G. Turner.
Corporal C. Roberts.
Scout J. Murray.

DRISCOLL'S SCOUTS.

Captain D. P. Driscoll.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S OWN VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Major J. Lewis.
Captain W. V. Simkins.
Captain Prince.

EASTERN PROVINCE HORSE.

Lieutenant E. H. Higson.
Lance-Corporal Abrahamson.
Trooper Collett.
Trooper Ruddlesdin.

FRENCH'S SCOUTS.

Captain H. Bettelheim.
Sergeant A. E. Green.
Private W. S. Penny.

FRONTIER MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant de Serjat.
Lieutenant Gordon-Turner.
Lieutenant A. Milford.
Lieutenant H. Whittaker.

IMPERIAL LIGHT HORSE.

Colonel Frank Rhodes.
Lieutenant-Colonel Wools-Sampson.
Major H. Bottomley.
Major D. E. Doveton (killed).
Major W. Karri-Davis.
Major C. H. Mullins.
Surgeon-Major W. F. F. Davies.
Captain Curry (killed).
Captain C. H. Fowler.
Lieutenant Huntley (killed).
Lieutenant Kirk (killed).
Lieutenant P. H. Normand.
No. 185 Corporal C. H. Russell.
No. 231 Corporal H. Savory.
No. 174 Corporal E. W. Warby.
No. 148 Corporal W. A. Weir.
No. 555 Lance-Corporal W. H. Norton.
No. 167 Trooper W. Francis.
Trooper James.
Trooper Latham.
No. 491 Trooper H. London.
No. 572 Trooper F. H. Metcalfe.

IMPERIAL LIGHT INFANTRY.

Captain H. M. Bousfield.
2nd Lieutenant Gregorie.
No. 565 Corporal P. Weldon (killed).
Private Chambers (killed).
No. 929 Private T. Hughes.
No. 792 Private R. Hunter.
No. 195 Private G. Reed.

KAFFRARIAN RIFLES.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Cuming.
Major R. H. Price.
Captain George Farrar.
Captain J. P. Farrar.
Captain E. H. Muller.
Sergeant-Major R. Anderson.
No. 422 Signalling Sergeant C. W. Jones.
No. 1235 Trooper J. D. R. Macfarlane (dead).
Trooper J. Rupert (killed).

KIMBERLEY LIGHT HORSE.

Major T. C. Peakman.
Major R. G. Scott.
Captain W. E. Rickman.
Sergeant-Major W. H. Oatley.
Corporal H. Harris.
Trooper A. H. Armstrong.

KIMBERLEY REGIMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Finlayson.
Sergeant S. H. MacCullum.

KIMBERLEY TOWN GUARD.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Harris, V.D.
Captain T. L. Angel.
Captain F. Mandy.
Captain B. E. A. O'Meara.
Captain W. Pickering.
Captain S. Richards.
Lieutenant C. D. Lucas.
Lieutenant E. F. Raylan.

Sergeant-Major J. P. Russell.
Sergeant J. Russell.

KITCHENER'S HORSE.

Major F. J. Warren.
Captain C. H. M. Ritchie.
Captain W. Vaughan.
Lieutenant Clayton.
Lieutenant J. E. Jackson.
Lieutenant Skeene.
No. 3617 Squadron Quarter-Master-Sergeant
D. P. Bree.

Sergeant Drannette.
No. 3246 Sergeant S. R. Brunette-Coopers.
No. 3266 Sergeant G. Dawes.
No. 3252 Sergeant W. O'Shaughnessy.
No. 3253 Sergeant W. White.
No. 3362 Corporal G. Hill.
No. 3250 Trooper O. S. Purchase.
Trooper Suckle.

LOCH'S HORSE.

Captain J. H. Hodgson.
Lieutenant S. E. Craig.
Corporal Picton.
Trooper Blades.

LOVAT'S SCOUTS.

No. 8718 Sergeant J. Dewar.
No. 8797 Corporal D. Macdonald.
No. 8798 Private J. Macdonald.
No. 8857 Private J. Macpherson.

LUMSDEN'S HORSE.

Colonel D. M. Lumsden.
Major H. Chamney.
Captain J. B. Rutherford.
Lieutenant H. O. Pugh.

MARSHALL'S HORSE.

Major G. Marshall.

NATAL CARBINEERS.

Major D. McKenzie.

NATAL VOLUNTEER MEDICAL CORPS.

Private E. Clark.
Private J. Domingo.
Private G. H. Howard.
Private G. G. Smith.

NATAL VOLUNTEERS.

Colonel W. Royston (dead).
Major Bousfield.
Major H. T. Bru-de-Wold.
Major J. Hyslop, Principal Medical Officer.

NESBITT'S HORSE.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Nesbitt.
Major W. C. Currie.
Captain C. W. Nesbitt.
Trooper Franklin Hill.
Trooper Hiscock.
Private L. F. Brown.

ORANGE RIVER COLONY POLICE.

Captain R. H. Kitson.

ORPEN'S HORSE.

Major R. Orpen.

PRINCE ALFRED'S VOLUNTEER GUARDS.

Captain F. W. Leeds.
Lieutenant E. C. Olerenshaw.

PROTECTORATE REGIMENT.

Lieutenant G. Bridges.

Lieutenant J. A. P. Feltham.
Lieutenant Greenfield.
Lieutenant Mossum.
Lieutenant R. W. Waller.
Sergeant J. W. S. Lowe, Railway Division.
Corporal Metcalfe.
Trooper Bryant.
Trooper Calderwood.
Trooper Johnson.
Trooper Parsons.
Trooper Stevens.
Gunner J. Mulholland, Artillery Troop.

QUEENSTOWN RIFLE VOLUNTEERS.

Major J. W. Bell.
Major H. L. Halliwell (late Royal Scots).
Captain H. G. Bell.
Lieutenant Collins.
Lieutenant Robbins (killed).
Sergeant Arnott.
Sergeant A. Temlett.
Corporal F. Hayes.
Corporal W. W. Richards.
Private H. N. B. Helms.
Private W. M. Sladdin.
Private P. G. Stillwell.
Private T. N. Niland.
Private C. Currie.
Private D. Barton.
Private G. Bouchier.

RHODESIAN REGIMENTS.

Colonel Beale, British South African Com-
pany.

Colonel Spreckley, Rhodesian Regiment
(killed).

Major A. Weston Jarvis, Rhodesian Regi-
ment.

Captain G. Glyn, Rhodesian Regiment.

Captain G. Hook, South Rhodesian Volun-
teers.

Captain F. Smitheman, Rhodesian Regiment.

Lieutenant A. Myburgh, Rhodesian Regiment.
Sergeant-Major J. Lough, South Rhodesian
Volunteers.

Trooper C. Bentley, Rhodesian Regiment.

Trooper C. Duner.

Trooper G. F. Parton, Rhodesian Regiment.

Sergeant-Major Webb, South Rhodesian
Volunteers.

RIMINGTON'S GUIDES.

Captain Brown.
Lieutenant W. F. Murray.
Sergeant A. O. Vaughan.
Corporal W. Kirton.
Trooper F. Hardnek.
Trooper Murchie.
Trooper Nelson.
Trooper Patten.
Guide H. E. Jackson.

ROBERTS'S LIGHT HORSE.

Captain E. R. King.
Captain F. C. Vignolles.
Sergeant-Major (now Lieutenant) Montgomery.
Lieutenant R. Singer.
Lieutenant C. Ross.
Doctor Leslie.
Farrier-Sergeant Robinaus.
No. 925 Corporal A. Hayne.
No. 954 Corporal R. Thurston.
No. 906 Trooper H. L. Aped.
No. 971 Trooper J. McKuiri Chadwick.
No. 2329 Trooper G. Cullen.
No. 905 Trooper P. Fitzherbert.
No. 929 Trooper T. Jones.

Trooper H. Hilton.
Trooper T. Murphy.
Trooper V. D. Todd.

RUNDLE'S SCOUTS.

Sergeant-Major Sutherland.

SOUTH AFRICAN LIGHT HORSE.

Major Childe.
Captain S. Chapin.
Captain S. N. Tucker.
Lieutenant W. F. Barker.
Lieutenant G. Marsden.
Lieutenant R. Turner.
Lieutenant T. S. Wickham.
No. 158 Squadron-Sergeant-Major J. Hopper.
No. 62 Sergeant F. L. Battershill.
No. 1115 Sergeant J. Dudgeon.
No. 1096 Sergeant H. Tobin (killed).
No. 220 Corporal F. P. Erdmer.
No. 355 Lance-Corporal F. J. Murray.
No. 1713 Private D. Cochrane.
No. 398 Private T. Dow.

STRUBEN'S SCOUTS.

Lieutenant R. H. Struben.

TEMBULAND MOUNTED RIFLE CORPS.

Captain G. F. Smith.

THORNEYCROFT'S MOUNTED INFANTRY.

Captain M. G. Farquhar.
Captain C. Hamilton.
Lieutenant T. W. Howard.
Lieutenant G. S. O. Forbes.
Lieutenant W. R. Ponsonby.
Lieutenant T. Thompson.
Lieutenant R. N. Villiers.
705 Colour-Sergeant H. Macfeeler.
6744 Sergeant J. Mayne.
9886 Sergeant H. Sperling.
4559 Sergeant W. M. Strong.
4157 Private F. Glover.
5190 Private W. Lions.
6203 Private J. Mackechnie.
8556 Saddler W. Fox.

TRANSKEI TERRITORIES.

Sir H. E. Elliott, K.C.M.G.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Leary.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. M. Stanford, C.M.G.
Captain O. M. Blakeway.
Captain E. J. Hargreaves.
Captain W. W. Smith.

EAST GRIQUALAND MOUNTED RIFLE VOLUNTEERS.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Armstrong (O.C. Native Contingent).
Captain E. E. Dower.
Captain A. S. Leary.
Captain J. S. King.

TRANSKEI MOUNTED RIFLES.

Major S. St. J. Henley.
Surgeon-Captain C. P. B. Wall.

UMVOTI MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Leuchars.

WARWICK'S SCOUTS.

Captain J. A. Warwick.
Lieutenant H. MacAndrew.
Regimental-Sergeant-Major J. Searle.
Trooper Bentley.
Trooper W. G. Froude.
Trooper Irving.

CIVIL (BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA TERRITORIES).

Major Goold-Adams, C.B., C.M.G., Resident Commissioner, Bechuanaland.
Sir M. Clarke, Resident Commissioner, Matabeleland.
Captain Honourable J. Lawley, Administrator, Rhodesia.
Mr. Hirschler, Deputy Mayor, Buluwayo.
Mr. W. H. Surmon, Assistant Commissioner, Bechuanaland.
Mr. W. Fielders of Buluwayo (gallantry).
Conductor Gladwin, Transport, Bushman's Brigade.

CIVIL (CAPE COLONY).

G. Brown, Esq., Engineer in Chief, C.G.R.
M. H. Beatty, Esq., Chief Locomotive Superintendent, C.G.R.
G. L. Eyles, Esq., Consulting Engineer, C.G.R.
Mr. F. L. H. Aitchison, Resident Magistrate, Britstown.
— Chalmers, Esq., Resident Magistrate, Queenstown.
Major H. Hook, Resident Magistrate, Herschell.
C. T. Levey, Esq., Resident Magistrate, Dordrecht.
Mr. Wylde, Resident Magistrate, East London.
Lieutenant-Colonel Nelson, raised Grahams-town Town Guard.
Major King Hall, District Commissioner, Philippolis, defence of Jagersfontein.
— Mawby, Esq., Interpreter.
Lieutenant Dawson, defence of Jagersfontein.
Reverend Father Hartman, Civil Chaplain, Rhodesian Field Force.
Rev. Nickerck, Chaplain, Prieska.
Reverend Upscher, Civil Chaplain, Rhodesian Field Force.
Dr. A. H. Hopkins, of Britstown.
Chief Inspector Newey, P.W.D. Capetown.
Chief Engineer H. L. Templar, for work with traction engines.
Chief Engineer McLaren, for work with traction engines.
Works Manager Walker, for work with traction engines.
Works Manager Burrell, for work with traction engines.
Mr. T. Dyer, Mayor of King Williamstown.
C. Orpen, Esq., Civilian.
Mr. W. T. Brownlee, Civilian, Transkei.
Mr. Clarke, Guide, of Clarke's Siding, Dordrecht.
Mr. Gostling, defence of Philippolis, Resident Magistrate.
Mrs. Heckpoort.
Mr. Heckpoort (son of above).
Mrs. Dawson, defence of Jagersfontein.
Mr. Swan, of Houwater.
Mr. David Forbes, Guide.
Local Major Weil, Transport Officer.
Local Lieutenant R. W. Adcock, Transport Officer.
Conductor Johnston.
Conductor Wilkie, attached 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards.
Driver Anderson, for work with traction engines.
Driver Froude, for work with traction engines.
Foreman Horton, for work with traction engines.
Driver Mills, for work with traction engines.
Driver Monro, for work with traction engines.
Driver K. Simpson, for work with traction engines.

Driver R. A. Wilson, of Cape Town.
Mr. Tomkin, defence of Philippolis.
Mr. R. Preston, Telegraphist.

SOUTH AFRICA (MISCELLANEOUS).

Colonel Hamilton, Basutoland.
Colonel Bayly, for raising District Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hughes, for Staff work.
Rev. J. Durragh, Vicar of Johannesburg.
Civil Surgeon A. E. Ross.
Mr. Hogg, of Bloemfontein.
Mr. A. Cross, of Ladybrand.
Mr. Mooney, Resident, Basutoland.
Mr. Abe Bailey, Colonial.
Thomas Lafleur.

NURSING STAFF, ST. MICHAEL'S HOME, BLOEMFONTEIN.

Mother Superior Frances Vernon.
Sister Annie.
Sister Caroline.
Sister Ella.
Sister Flora Elizabeth.
Sister Frances Mary.
Sister Frances Louise.
Sister Isabel.
Miss Edith Cotton.
Miss Sophia Selene Jones.
Miss Ricarda Kennedy.
Miss Elsa Orbanowska.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CONVENT, BLOEMFONTEIN.

Mother Superior Francis de Sales.
Sister Adrian.
Sister Alphonsus.
Sister Evangelista.
Sister Ignatius.
Sister Lucian.
Sister Magdalen.
Sister Mary Louisa.
Sister Melanie.
Sister Philomena.
Sister Raphael.
Sister St. Anne.
Sister St. Leopold.
Sister St. Louis.
Sisters Stanislaus.
Sister Teresa.
Paramount Chief, Dalindybo, Chief of Tombus.
Chief Bokleni, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Cornelius, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Jamangile, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Moshesh, G., Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Makaula, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Nombewn, S., Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Nqwiliso, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Sofoniah, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Zibi, Native Chief, East Griqualand.
Chief Mesema, Native, Kuruman District.
Chief Mossi Liburn Seloi, Native, Kuruman District.
Chief Onyani, Native, Kuruman District.
Chief Osser Goliath, Native, Kuruman District.
Chief Pecho, Native, Kuruman District.
Chief Senyane, Native, East Kuruman District.
Chief Molala, Chief of Taungs.
Native Driver Matthews, Attached 2nd Battalion Coldstream Guards.

As this despatch is in continuation of my Despatch No. 9, I would request that all the "mentions" herein made may be considered as bearing the same date as those in that despatch.

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ROBERTS, F.M.

REPORT ON THE FIELD TRANSPORT IN SOUTH AFRICA.

IN describing the transport arrangements during the South African campaign it will be convenient first to explain, in general terms, the War Office system of transport under which the troops were equipped when they first landed in the country, and, secondly, to show what modifications in that system were rendered necessary by the strength of the force employed and the development of the military situation.

According to the regulations, as laid down in "War Establishments, 1898," each unit of a field force is given a certain amount of transport, calculated on the strength of the unit in men and horses, to carry the authorised weight of baggage, and from one to two days' supplies of food and forage. This transport is in regimental charge, and is supposed to remain attached to the unit so long as the latter is employed in the field. There are also supply columns for each brigade, for divisional troops, and for corps troops, carrying one day's supplies of food and forage; and a supply park for each army corps, calculated to carry three days' supplies of food and forage for the troops composing the army corps. The regimental transport is in charge of regimental transport officers selected from the several units, and the supply columns and parks are in charge of Army Service Corps officers. At the beginning of the war in South Africa it was decided that the regimental transport should consist of vehicles drawn by mules, and that ox wagons hired locally should be provided for the supply columns and parks. Under ordinary conditions mule wagons can march some 20 miles a day at the rate of three miles an hour, and ox wagons not more than 16 miles a day at the rate of two miles an hour. Thus the transport problem was complicated by the different paces and length of marches of the draught animals employed. Owing, however, to the delay that would have occurred in purchasing and shipping the enormous number of mules which would have been required had oxen not been utilised, the use of two sorts of transport was unavoidable; and the War Office system might have worked satisfactorily had the force been of the strength originally contemplated, and had each unit in that force been continuously engaged in active operations. But with a much larger force, a considerable portion of which had necessarily to be employed as garrisons for towns, in holding important strategical positions, or in guarding bridges and railways, the equipment of each unit with the same amount of regimental transport gave some of the troops more mule wagons than they wanted, thus lessening the mobility of the troops actually operating against the enemy. Again, it is obvious that a column might be wanted to carry out a rapid movement at such a distance from its base of supply that its equipment with nothing but mule transport would be obligatory. In such a case the War Office system would fail, unless a sufficient reserve of spare mule transport were immediately available, or unless other units were deprived, for the time being, of their regimental transport which, as previously mentioned, they were supposed to retain throughout the campaign. Difficulties would also arise

in regard to the organisation and supervision of the augmented mule transport of the column, regimental transport officers not being transferable from their respective corps for general transport duty.

On my arrival at Cape Town in January, 1900, one of the first things which engaged my attention was the state of the transport service, as I brought to notice in my Despatch, No. 1, dated the 6th February, 1900. Mobility is one of the most important factors in military operations, and mobility depends not only upon a sufficient amount of transport being forthcoming, but upon its being so organised that it can be employed in the most effective manner. I very early recognised that unless turning movements could be undertaken at a considerable distance from the railway, or my base transferred by a flank march from one railway to another, the Boers would obtain the enormous advantage of knowing beforehand my exact line of advance, and by destroying bridges and constructing entrenched positions would be able indefinitely to delay the offensive action from which alone a successful issue was to be expected. Consequent on the reverses in December, 1899, large reinforcements were being despatched from England, and as these landed they were at once pushed up to the front with whatever transport could be collected at the base. Early in the year the supply of transport could barely keep pace with the requirements of the fresh troops, and the result was that hardly any of the units, except those sent out at the beginning of the war, had been uniformly equipped with transport on the War Office scale. Ox transport had occasionally been substituted for mule, and in some cases the proportion of wagons was excessive, and in others deficient. These, however, were comparatively trivial matters. Of much more serious importance was the fact that no attempt had been made to introduce a comprehensive scheme of transport organisation, which would enable a force to operate in such portions of the enemy's territory as were not traversed by railways. The first thing to be done was to ascertain definitely what transport each unit possessed, and what additional mule and ox transport could be got ready by the beginning of February. Secondly, after providing for the obligatory requirements of the troops remaining on the defensive, it was necessary to collect all available transport at convenient points, and to divide it into manageable units under responsible officers, so that it might be in readiness to accompany the troops detailed for offensive action. On receipt of the returns showing the transport in possession of each corps, the points of concentration were selected, and commanding officers were directed to hand over their regimental transport to departmental charge, except such vehicles as ammunition and water carts, ambulances, and the wagons carrying the technical equipment and stores of the Royal Artillery and Royal Engineers. The mule transport so withdrawn was formed into mule transport companies under departmental transport officers. The latter, on the scale of two per company, were obtained partly from the Army Service Corps and partly from the list of special service officers, especially those who had acquired some knowledge of transport duties in India or Egypt. Each company consisted of 49 mule wagons with one Scotch cart and one water cart, this proportion being sufficient to carry the baggage and two days' supplies of food and

forage for an Infantry Brigade of four battalions, or a Cavalry Brigade of three regiments. The companies were provided with a suitable subordinate establishment of Europeans and Natives, and being self-contained and independent could be distributed in accordance with the requirements of the military situation, and the duties devolving on the several columns into which the field army was from time to time divided. Detailed tables of equipment, baggage, and supplies were drawn up and circulated for the guidance of general and commanding officers. The ox transport was similarly organised into companies of 100 wagons each, officered mainly by the Army Service Corps.

The administration of the transport service thus created was at first entrusted to the Director of Supplies at Head Quarters, but it was soon apparent that the officer in question had quite enough to do in attending to his own duties, and shortly after the march from the Modder River to Bloemfontein had begun, I found it advisable to appoint a separate Director of Transport. For this post I selected my Military Secretary, Major-General Sir W. G. Nicholson, who had assisted Lord Kitchener at Cape Town in elaborating the scheme of reorganisation, and whose previous war experience rendered him familiar with the departmental transport system. Major-General Nicholson had under him at Army Headquarters two Assistant Adjutant-Generals for Transport, namely, Colonel Bunbury, Army Service Corps, and Major Furse, Royal Artillery, and he carried on his duties in direct communication with the Director of Transport, Chief Ordnance Officer, and Director of Remounts at the base, besides being in constant personal communication with the Director of Supplies at the front. Being Chief Transport Officer on the Headquarters Staff, he dealt direct in regard to all transport questions with General Officers Commanding Brigades, Divisions, and Columns. As the Army advanced into the Orange River Colony and Transvaal, Deputy Directors of Transport and other staff officers were appointed to supervise transport arrangements at Bloemfontein, Kroonstad, Kimberley, and other important military centres; these officers reporting to, and receiving orders from, the Director at Headquarters. In addition to the transport officers of the mule companies attached to troops in the field, senior transport officers were posted to the staff of General Officers Commanding, being made responsible to the latter, as well as to the Director of Transport, for the care of the animals and general efficiency of the transport under their charge. It was their business to bring all irregularities and deficiencies to notice, and to insist on only the prescribed amount of baggage being loaded on the wagons.

It may be asked how the reorganisation of the transport service, admitting its desirability in other respects, facilitated the plan of operations for the relief of Kimberley and occupation of Bloemfontein. It did so in this way. There was only a limited amount of transport available at the beginning of February, 1900, and by withdrawing the greater part of the regimental mule wagons from the units left to guard the northern frontier of Cape Colony and the line of communication up to the Modder, sufficient mule transport could be collected to equip three Infantry Divisions and three Cavalry Brigades, together with the Artillery, Engineer, Mounted Infantry, and Medical units attached to the force. Had the troops which remained

on the defensive been allowed to keep their regimental transport on the War Office scale, at least another month must have elapsed before an advance could have been made, and during this period Kimberley must almost inevitably have fallen into the enemy's hands. In short, the departmental system which I introduced in January, 1900, possesses an elasticity and adaptability to the changing conditions of field service on a large scale which the regimental system lacks. It may indeed be contended that transport animals and establishment in regimental charge are likely to be better cared for than the transport temporarily attached to units under the departmental system, commanding officers being specially interested in the comfort of their men and the mobility of their corps. This, no doubt, is true to a certain extent, but, on the other hand, selected transport officers, with previous experience of the management of mules and control of European and Native subordinates, are better acquainted with their duties than ordinary regimental officers; and as their advancement depends on their efficiency, they may be expected to exert themselves to the utmost to maintain the transport under their charge in a serviceable condition. The regimental transport officer, however zealous, is an amateur, and the departmental transport officer a professional. Moreover, in South Africa every endeavour has been made to keep the mule transport companies with the Brigades and Divisions to which they were originally allotted, and by this means General and Commanding Officers have been led to realise that, while the responsibility for the proper care and feeding of the animals rests primarily with the transport officers, it is their duty to co-operate with the latter to the fullest possible extent.

After withdrawing all the available mule transport from corps which were not included in the force that was being concentrated for the relief of Kimberley and subsequent march to Bloemfontein, barely sufficient was forthcoming to carry the baggage and two days' supplies of food and forage on the prescribed scale. I was therefore reluctantly obliged to reduce the normal proportion of ambulances and mule wagons allowed for Medical units. In the case of bearer companies only two ambulances instead of ten, and one mule wagon instead of two, were taken; and in the case of field hospitals only two mule wagons instead of four. If the march had been longer, and if the force had been isolated from the day it left its advanced base on the Modder, this reduction might have caused considerable hardship, but communication was kept up with the Modder camp throughout the halt at Paardeberg, a subsidiary base being also established at Kimberley. The sick and wounded could therefore be conveyed in convoys of empty ox wagons to the hospitals at the Modder and Kimberley until the force marched from Poplar Grove to Bloemfontein. And here it may be mentioned that the ox wagon compares not unfavourably with the regulation ambulance as a conveyance for the sick and wounded. It moves more slowly, and the vehicle being heavier and longer, and its wheels bigger, it jolts less when going over bad roads or the open veldt.

When Cronje's commando was brought to a stand at Paardeberg, I thought it advisable to strengthen the force by bringing up the Brigade of Guards from the Modder, and some difficulty was found in equipping it with transport, most of the mule wagons previously attached to it

having been absorbed in the newly-formed transport companies. Lieutenant-General Lord Methuen, however, from whose division the Brigade of Guards was withdrawn, contrived to collect about half the authorised proportion, the deficiency being made good by ox wagons abandoned by the Boers during their retreat from Magersfontein.

As regards ox transport, the force moving from the Modder River to Bloemfontein required 475 wagons to carry ten days' supplies of food and forage, and 125 wagons for reserve ammunition. This number was provided, but unfortunately 180 loaded supply wagons were captured by the enemy early in the march at De Kiel's Drift. Strenuous efforts were made during the halt at Paardeberg to remedy this serious loss, fresh wagons being obtained from Kimberley and captured wagons being utilised. For some days the biscuit and grocery ration had to be reduced, the ration of fresh meat being increased; but on the whole the troops were sufficiently well fed, and on entering Bloemfontein the Director of Supplies had in hand groceries for eight days, and biscuit and bread-stuff for five days. The provision of a full ration of grain for the Cavalry, Artillery, and Mounted Infantry horses, and for the transport mules, presented greater difficulties. Until the wagons captured at De Kiel's Drift had been replaced, the force was living almost from hand to mouth, besides which the mounted corps were spread over such a wide area that it was no easy matter for their mule wagons to go in daily to the supply depôt and take out the requisite quantity of grain. To relieve the strain which was experienced on this occasion, and to ensure the mobility of the Cavalry, Horse Artillery, and Mounted Infantry, it was resolved on arrival at Bloemfontein to increase the proportion of mule transport with these units, so as to carry four instead of two days' supplies of food and forage.

During the march from the Modder River to Bloemfontein, and especially during the early part of it, water was scarce and the grazing poor. Still, the casualties among the transport animals were not excessive. On starting the total number of mules was 11,362; 10,566 mules reached Bloemfontein, the loss being 796, or 7 per cent. The total number of oxen on leaving the Modder was 9,788; 2,880 oxen with 180 wagons were captured at De Kiel's Drift, leaving a balance of 6,908; 184 fresh wagons with 2,680 oxen were obtained *en route*, raising the balance of oxen to 9,588; and on reaching Bloemfontein the number available was 8,968, the casualties being 620, or about 6½ per cent.

The operations above referred to lasted from 11th February to 13th March. During this period six additional mule companies had been organised in Cape Colony, a considerable number of ox wagons had been collected south of the Orange River, second-hand mule wagons of local manufacture had been purchased by the Chief Ordnance Officer, and an ample supply of mules and harness had arrived at Cape Town. The troops which marched from the Modder to Bloemfontein numbered about 34,000 men. The advance northward took place on 3rd May, by which date 48,000 additional troops, including Militia and Imperial Yeomanry, had been moved up across the frontier of Cape Colony. The transport requirements of these reinforcements, coupled with the necessity for making good the deficiencies in the transport of the units which had marched from the Modder,

inclusive of the bearer companies and field hospitals, imposed a severe strain on the transport department. This strain was intensified by the congestion of railway traffic north of the Orange River, which prevented any facilities from being afforded for railing up mules, wagons, or harness, and other transport stores, beyond Norval's Pont or Bethulie until a few days previous to the advance. The force detailed for the march northward consisted of 3½ Infantry Divisions, 4 Cavalry Brigades, and a Division of Mounted Infantry, with 42 Horse Artillery guns, 60 field guns, 10 naval and siege guns, and the usual proportion of Engineers and Medical units. Owing, however, to the disturbed state of the country, the troops left behind in the Orange River Colony had also to be fully equipped with transport. To carry the authorised amount of baggage, two days' supplies of food and forage for the Infantry, and four days' supplies for the Mounted Corps, as well as to equip the ambulances, and the technical vehicles belonging to the Artillery and Engineers, over 22,000 mules, with a corresponding number of wagons, were required. Besides this, 2,500 ox wagons, with 40,000 oxen, had to be provided for the ammunition and supply columns, to carry the reserve ammunition and an average of seven days' reserve supplies. During the halt at Bloemfontein steps had also to be taken to remobilise Lord Methuen's division, which had been denuded of most of its mule transport when I moved from the Modder River early in February; to equip with mule and ox transport Sir A. Hunter's division, which had been transferred from Natal to Kimberley; to provide 50 mule wagons for the flying column which was being organised for the relief of Mafeking; and to replace the 67 mule wagons which were captured by the Boers at Sanna's Post. To satisfy the above demands nearly 6,000 mules and 4,000 oxen were needed, as well as wagons, harness, and establishment. The task of supplying such a large amount of additional transport within six weeks was not an easy one, but it was successfully accomplished, and when I left Bloemfontein all requirements had been met, except as regards the mule wagons for two out of the four days' supplies to accompany the Cavalry Division. These, however, were ready a few days afterwards, and joined the Cavalry Division at Kroonstad.

During the march from Bloemfontein to Pretoria there was little to record affecting the transport, except that the mules suffered less than might have been expected from the long marches and cold nights, the casualties among them not exceeding 7 per cent. The ox is an animal of a more delicate constitution than the mule, and if he does not get sufficient time for grazing and rest, or is exposed to severe cold after a trying march, he almost invariably succumbs. The casualties, therefore, were heavier among the oxen, amounting to about 4,500 a month, that is, slightly over 11 per cent.

While the advance to Pretoria was taking place, fresh mule companies were being organised at Bloemfontein, and additional ox wagons were being collected along the lines of communication. These were pushed up to the front by road, and served to replace casualties and to equip the columns which were formed later on at Kroonstad for the pursuit of De Wet. After the establishment of Army Headquarters at Pretoria no very large demands were made on the transport department, but it was necessary

to provide for the equipment of Sir F. Carrington's force at Mafeking, to keep the existing transport in an efficient state, and continually to rearrange its distribution in accordance with the duties assigned to the several columns into which the force was now divided. In September, 1900, an advance was made along the Delagoa Bay Railway, and Komati Poort was occupied. Early the next month, as no further operations on a large scale seemed likely to take place, and as the departmental organisation had by this time got into thorough working order, I decided to reduce the Transport Staff at Headquarters. Sir W. G. Nicholson accordingly returned to India, being replaced as Director, first by Colonel Bunbury, Army Service Corps, and afterwards by Lieutenant-Colonel Wickham, Indian Staff Corps. Major Furse also, the Assistant Adjutant-General for mule transport, reverted to duty at the War Office.

From the foregoing brief narrative it will be seen that the departmental system which was introduced on my arrival in South Africa fulfilled my expectations. It proved capable of rapid expansion under circumstances of exceptional difficulty; the redistribution of transport units was effected without causing inconvenience or hardship to the troops, and the small percentage of casualties among the mules showed that the animals were at least as well cared for by departmental officers as by regimental officers under the War Office system. And here it may be stated that, while I was in chief command in South Africa, no mishaps occurred, nor had any military operation to be postponed or abandoned, owing to the transport being inadequate or inefficient. This satisfactory result must mainly be ascribed to the excellent work done by Major-General Sir William Nicholson and his Staff, and the capable officers in charge of mule and ox transport companies—work which was the more creditable, inasmuch as transport duty in the field does not usually carry with it the same chances of distinction as employment in the fighting line or on the general staff.

In this account of the transport arrangements in South Africa reference has only been made to the Force based on Cape Colony. The Natal Force, under the immediate command of Sir Redvers Buller, was equipped with ox transport, except such vehicles as water-carts, small-arm ammunition carts, ambulances, and the like, which were drawn by mules. Moreover, in the Natal Force the War Office system was adhered to, the transport for regimental baggage and supplies being retained in regimental charge. A somewhat higher scale of baggage was allowed, tents being carried for the troops as well as a moderate amount of supplementary stores for sale in regimental coffee shops. When, however, a portion of Sir Redvers Buller's force, consisting of one Infantry Division and two Cavalry Brigades, took part in the advance to Komati Poort, additional mule transport was brought up from Natal to carry the baggage on a reduced scale and two days' supplies for these troops. The system adopted in the Natal Force was no doubt suited to its requirements, but the conditions were so different from those existing in the much larger force which was based on Cape Colony, that what was feasible and appropriate in the one case would have been impracticable in the other.

It may be of interest to offer a few remarks on the description of transport employed in the war. The ox wagons and oxen were obtained locally through contractors, a team of 16 oxen

and two native drivers being allotted to each wagon. The load for a wagon was 6,000 lbs. The oxen were, as a rule, fine animals, and very tractable. The curious thing about them was that they would pull together, however large the team might be. With heavy guns as many as 20 spans of oxen were employed, and when they were on the move the trek chain was always taut. This characteristic is probably due to heredity, for in India, where oxen are commonly used for draught purposes, but where more than two spans are never attached to a native bullock cart, but little advantage is gained by employing more than four spans at the outside to draw a gun or other heavy load. The Kaffirs are unrivalled in their management of oxen, and extraordinarily proficient in the use of the long whip, by means of which they guide and urge on their teams. During the greater part of the year the oxen only need a sufficient daily interval for grazing and rest to keep in good condition, provided that they are not driven too fast, and that the marches are of moderate length. In the depth of winter the animals require hay and Indian corn to supplement the withered grass of the veldt, and are all the better for being covered at night with horse blankets or with blankets lined with felt, called in India "jhoods." At my request the Government of India supplied a considerable number of jhoods, and these were found to be of great service in keeping the oxen warm during the bitterly cold nights of July and August on the high veldt. Being built in the country of hard and seasoned wood of indigenous growth, the ox wagons lasted well and seldom needed repair.

The mule transport consisted of what are called in South Africa buck wagons, carrying a load of 3,500 lbs., and drawn by 10 mules each, with two native drivers. The War Office supplied as many mules as were asked for, and though many of the animals were untrained, they readily adapted themselves to draught. Besides receiving a sufficient grain ration, mules require careful and regular watering and grazing, and difficulty was experienced in getting the native drivers to attend to their duties in this respect. It was so much easier to tether the mules together in groups of five than to knee-halter them singly, that continual vigilance had to be exercised to prevent the former practice from being adopted. When tethered together the strongest animal drags the rest about, so that they can neither drink nor graze, and consequently they rapidly fall off in condition. Being accustomed to drive oxen, the Kaffirs are apt to use the long whip too freely in driving mule teams, and so much was this the case that it was found necessary to prohibit the use of the long whip with mule transport, the drivers being provided instead with short hunting whips.

The mules employed in the campaign have been imported from North and South America, Spain, and Italy. A few also were supplied from India, and as many as could be obtained were purchased locally. Taken all round, no complaint could be made of the quality of the animals. The best were the Cape mules, these being thoroughly acclimatised, hardy, short-legged, and compactly built. Next to them came the mules from the Punjab. Big mules are a mistake for ordinary field transport, as they require as much care and as large a grain ration as horses.

As regards the buck wagons, those purchased locally were found to be much more serviceable than those manufactured in England, technically

styled "Bristol pattern wagons." As in the case of the ox wagons, the former were built of hard, well-seasoned wood grown in South Africa. Mule wagons not being in common use at home, there was no stock in hand, and they had to be put together hurriedly, the wood used in their construction warping and shrinking in the dry climate of the veldt. The wheels, especially of the English wagons, gave a great deal of trouble, requiring frequent re-tyring and other repairs. Six buck wagons were imported for trial from the United States, and these proved to be superior to any other pattern of either Cape or English manufacture. The wheels were of hickory, the bodies of black walnut, and the metal work of steel. They were built by Messrs. Stude, Baker, and Co., who have a great wagon manufactory at South Bend, Indiana. The superiority of these vehicles was doubtless due to the fact that mule wagons are largely used in America for the carriage of goods as well as for military transport. The manufacturers have, therefore, learnt by practical experience what is the best type of wagon, and what are the most suitable materials to employ in building it. It may be added that the wagons in question cost considerably less than the Bristol pattern wagons.

The mule harness supplied from England, though perhaps a little too elaborate, was of excellent quality and much more durable than what was obtainable on the spot.

An account of the transport in South Africa would be incomplete without a reference to the steam traction-engines and trucks which were sent out in charge of Lieutenant-Colonel Templér, 7th Battalion King's Royal Rifle Corps. These were first landed in Natal and afterwards transhipped to Cape Town, where some were employed for carrying stores from the docks, the remainder being utilised at Kimberley, Bloemfontein, Johannesburg, and Pretoria. At these centres, where coal and water were readily obtainable, the engines proved a valuable adjunct to animal draught; but owing to the absence of fuel they could not be used on the line of march, or to haul supplies to bodies of troops encamped more than 20 miles from a coal depot. From a military point of view the defect of steam traction lies not only in the impossibility of working it unless coal and water are available at each halting-place, but in the weight of the fuel and water which each engine has to drag along, thus expending much of its tractive force. This defect would be greatly lessened if an efficient oil motor could be substituted for the steam motor, as in that case no water would be wanted, while the coal would be replaced by a more portable and concentrated description of fuel.

In conclusion it may be observed that, although in some respects the organisation and maintenance of an efficient transport service in South Africa was not an easy matter, the abundance of good grazing in almost every district of the Orange River Colony and Transvaal during the greater part of the year was an advantage which hardly any other country would have afforded. The ox transport was practically self-supporting, and no forage except a moderate grain ration, sometimes procurable locally, had to be provided for the mules. In the thinly populated and uncivilised regions in which the British Army generally fights it is not unfrequently as difficult to feed the transport animals as the troops themselves. In South Africa this difficulty was reduced to a minimum. 25th March, 1901. ROBERTS, F.M.

War Office, April 16, 1901.

ERRATA.

THE names of the undermentioned Officers, &c., brought to notice for their services in South Africa, and published in the London Gazette of 8th February, 1901, are as now and not as previously described:—

- Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Hoskier, 3rd Middlesex Volunteer Artillery, published as Major P. R. Hockin, 2nd Devonshire Volunteer Artillery (page 838).
 Mr. R. H. Coverton (page 933).
 Lieutenant G. T. M. Bridges, Royal Artillery, attached Imperial Light Horse (page 944).
 No. 822, Sergeant-Major C. T. Mudford, East Kent Yeomanry, attached South African Light Horse (page 946).
 Major F. S. Heuston, 4th Field Hospital (page 948).
 Major R. Fitzpatrick, No. 4 Stationary Hospital (page 948).
 Major S. F. Freyer, No. 4 General Hospital (page 948).
 Colonel C. K. Wood, Commanding Royal Engineer (page 950).
 Major H. H. Massy, Royal Engineers (page 950).
 Captain F. C. M. Ford, Bethune's Mounted Infantry (page 965).
 Captain (local Major) W. R. Birdwood, 11th Bengal Lancers (page 972).
 Corporal A. G. Brabbin, 17th Company, Royal Engineers (page 975).
 Lieutenant A. H. C. Kearsey, York and Lancaster Regiment (page 980).

The Battalion of the Rifle Brigade mentioned in General Sir R. Buller's Despatch of 13th September, 1900 (page 963, London Gazette of 8th February, 1901), should be the Second and not the First as stated therein; also for 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry, mentioned in paragraph 4 of his Despatch of 8th February, 1900, published in London Gazette of 22nd February, 1901, read *1st Battalion Durham Light Infantry*.

The first part of paragraph 44 of Sir R. Buller's Despatch of 14th March, 1900 (page 936, London Gazette of 8th February, 1901), should now read as follows:—

“The attacking party consisted of the Royal Irish and Royal Scots Fusiliers and the Royal Dublin Fusiliers under General Barton”; and not as previously published.

India Office, April 13, 1901.

THE King has been pleased to approve the appointment of Mr. Narayan Ganesh Chandavarkar to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, in the place of the late Mr. Mahadev Govind Ranadé, C.I.E.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, April 13, 1901.

THE King has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 11th instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, granting a Supplementary Charter to the Glasgow Royal Infirmary.

(F. & H. 6288.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, April 12, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from His Majesty's Representative at Berlin, intimating that the Harbour of Lüderitzbucht (German South-West Africa Protectorate) has been closed since 21st March for direct communication from Cape Colony, and that Swakopmund has been designated as the only quarantine port for the Protectorate in South-West Africa, to which place it is contemplated to dispatch a health officer, and to have the necessary materials for disinfection.

(F. & H. 6325.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, April 16, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, intimating that an order has been issued for the application of sanitary regulations of April 14, 1897, to arrivals from Alexandria.

(F. & H. 6384.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, April 16, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram from the High Commissioner for Cyprus, intimating that ten days' quarantine is imposed against Egypt in consequence of plague.

(F. & H. 6437.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, April 16, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Madrid, intimating that Rio de Janeiro has been declared foul on account of plague.

(F. & H. 6438.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, April 16, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Galatz, intimating that four days' quarantine is imposed on arrivals from Sulina, but that arrivals from Armenia, Trebizond, and Smyrna are only subjected to medical examination.

Admiralty, 11th April, 1901.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Frank Athow is placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with a gratuity. Dated 29th March, 1901.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant George Fison Muller is antedated to 29th March, 1901, vice Athow, retired.

Lieutenant William George Simpson to be Captain, on augmentation. Dated 1st April, 1901.

Admiralty, 13th April, 1901.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Captain Sydney Gaitskell is seconded for service as Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 1st December, 1900.

Captain William Bathurst Harkness, from Seconded List, is absorbed in the Establishment of Captains. Dated 9th January, 1901.

Admiralty, 15th April, 1901.

Captain Arthur Barrow has been appointed Naval Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty, in place of Captain William H. May, M.V.O., promoted to Flag rank. Dated 28th March, 1901.
 Clerk Arthur Leslie Withers has been advanced to the rank of Assistant-Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 26th February, 1901.

War Office, Pall Mall, 16th April, 1901.

2nd Dragoon Guards, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to complete establishment. Dated 22nd February, 1901 :—

M. R. Hall.
 C. E. Van-Notten-Pole.
 L. C. F. Oppenheim.
 C. E. A. L. Rumbold.
 G. De Goldsmidt.
 J. A. Gaynor.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Second Lieutenant G. G. Sadler to be Lieutenant, vice J. D. L. Arathoon, resigned. Dated 30th March, 1901.

1st Dragoons, Captain the Honourable Henry W. Mansfield is seconded for service with the 3rd Provisional Regiment of Dragoons. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Second Lieutenant H. McL. Lambert to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 3rd October, 1900.

5th Lancers, Lieutenant Walter T. Willcox is seconded for service with the South African Constabulary. Dated 20th November, 1900.

18th Hussars, Second Lieutenant F. E. C. Pilkington to be Lieutenant, vice C. F. Cawston, died of wounds received in action. Dated 4th February, 1901.

3RD PROVISIONAL REGIMENT OF DRAGOONS.
 Captain the Honourable Henry W. Mansfield, 1st Dragoons, to be Major, with the temporary rank of Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

2ND PROVISIONAL REGIMENT OF HUSSARS.
 Major J. L. Richardson-Gardner, Reserve of Officers, from Reserve Regiment of Hussars, to be Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

PROVISIONAL REGIMENT OF LANCERS.
 Major John C. B. Eastwood, 12th Lancers, to be Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

REMOUNT ESTABLISHMENT.
 Major H. F. Dent, late 7th Dragoon Guards, to be graded as an Assistant Adjutant-General, and to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed on remount duty in Canada. Dated 11th March, 1901.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.
5th Battalion, Second Lieutenant B. G. H. Vernon, Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry, to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 1st January, 1901.

10th Battalion, To be Lieutenants, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army :—
 Sergeant Edgar Sell. Dated 17th January, 1901.
 Lance-Corporal Lionel Bigge. Dated 30th January, 1901.

12th Battalion, Captain W. C. Knight, Indian Staff Corps, to be second in command, with the temporary rank of Major in the Army. Dated 16th August, 1900.

Captain J. S. Forbes, from 2nd Battalion, to be second in command, with the temporary rank of Major in the Army. Dated 16th August, 1900.

Lieutenant C. S. Paulet, from 2nd Battalion, to be Captain, with the temporary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 16th August, 1900.

Lance-Corporal V. R. Hoare to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 1st January, 1901.

14th Battalion, Sergeant Stewart Prell to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 26th September, 1900.

22nd Battalion, The appointments to Lieutenancies, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army, of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants, from Unattached, are antedated to 26th March, 1901 :—

G. Fraser.
 E. Bevington.
 K. T. Woodmass.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant (District Officer) Albert C. Chew is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteer Artillery. Dated 10th April, 1901.

Superintending Clerk Henry Weston to be Lieutenant (District Officer), vice A. C. Chew. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Captain Robert J. G. Elkington to be Major, vice D. C. Carter, promoted. Dated 25th March, 1901.

The undermentioned Captains are seconded :—
 Claud E. C. G. Charlton, for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 9th March, 1901.

Henry F. E. Lewin, for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 14th March, 1901.

William Strong, for service with the Militia Field Artillery. Dated 26th March, 1901.

Supernumerary Captain Walter A. Nicholson to be Captain, vice C. E. C. G. Charlton. Dated 9th March, 1901.

The promotions to the rank of Captain of the undermentioned Lieutenants are antedated as follows :—

A. R. Wainwright to 15th December, 1900, vice D. Arbuthnot, seconded.

H. B. Smith to 1st January, 1901, vice D. B. Stewart, appointed Divisional Adjutant.

H. de B. Miller to 15th January, 1901, vice E. P. England, promoted.

C. D. Balfour to 16th January, 1901, vice A. C. Birch, resigned.

W. H. F. Weber to 25th January, 1901, vice H. C. Sheppard, appointed Divisional Adjutant.

C. W. Scott to 28th January, 1901, vice E. H. T. Parsons, seconded.

P. Barton to 30th January, 1901, vice H. C. Oldnall, missing.

O. de l'E. Winter to 1st February, 1901, in succession to Major J. P. Du Cane, appointed to the Staff.

F. A. Wilson to 6th February, 1901, vice W. H. Olivier, promoted.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

Francis L. C. Livingstone-Learmonth, vice E. L. Wheeler, appointed Divisional Adjutant. Dated 18th February, 1901.

Norman McN. Gray, vice N. F. Gordon, appointed Divisional Adjutant. Dated 22nd February, 1901.

The undermentioned Captains to be Adjutants :—
 Henry A. Koebel, vice Captain H. C. C. Uniacke, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 22nd March, 1901.

Frederick W. Mackenzie, vice Captain W. Strong, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 26th March, 1901.

William H. Kay, vice Captain F. T. Ravenhill, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 30th March, 1901.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Brevet Colonel George D. Fanshawe, on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on half-pay. Dated 11th April, 1901.

Captain James R. Stansfeld is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 1st April, 1901.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Captains to be Captains:—

Frederick L. Alford, vice G. G. W. Corrie, seconded. Dated 15th March, 1901.

Norman E. B. Bellairs, vice J. R. Stansfeld. Dated 1st April, 1901.

Walter H. B. Jacob, on augmentation. Dated 1st April, 1901.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 1st March, 1901:—

Charles A. Ker, D.S.O., vice C. E. Blanford, seconded.

George S. Wilkes, vice C. F. Phipps, seconded.

Lieutenant Frederick Carey is retained on the Seconded List on promotion to his present rank. Dated 3rd April, 1901.

GRENADIER GUARDS.

Lieutenant Gilbert C. Hamilton is seconded for service with the South African Constabulary. Dated 28th November, 1900.

The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are antedated as follows:—

V. Vivian to 28th November, 1900, vice G. C. Hamilton.

B. N. Brooke to 14th December, 1900, to complete establishment.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Francis L. Festing, in succession to Major A. F. Dawkins, who holds an extra-regimental appointment. Dated 4th March, 1901.

Frederick R. Coates, vice H. E. B. Leach, seconded. Dated 12th March, 1901.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant H. E. Morrill to be Lieutenant, vice E. G. S. Truell, seconded. Dated 4th January, 1901.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. C. S. Chichester to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 25th February, 1901.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment), Lieutenant Harold N. Robinson to be Captain, vice H. S. Woolrych, Adjutant 5th Battalion the Worcestershire Regiment. Dated 5th March, 1901.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Edward H. Bell, from half-pay, to be Quartermaster, vice Honorary Lieutenant J. McCullough, seconded. Dated 17th April, 1901.

The Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant John D. Ingles to be Captain, vice M. H. Grant, seconded. Dated 12th November, 1900.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Second Lieutenant E. W. Worrall to be Lieutenant, vice J. B. C. Thomson, seconded. Dated 4th August, 1900.

The Royal Irish Regiment, Lieutenant Louis J. Lipsett to be Captain, vice C. H. Vigors, Adjutant 4th Battalion. Dated 21st February, 1901.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant A. L. Spafford to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 31st January, 1901.

The Worcestershire Regiment, Lieutenant C. M. Watson, 1st Volunteer Battalion, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army whilst serving with the Volunteer Company in South Africa. Dated 17th April, 1901.

The Hampshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant F. C. Moore to be Lieutenant, vice T. Faith, appointed Adjutant 3rd Battalion. Dated 23rd January, 1901.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Captain Keith R. Hamilton is seconded for service with the South African Constabulary. Dated 11th December, 1900.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant S. F. Hammick is antedated to 11th December, 1900, vice K. R. Hamilton.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), The restoration to the establishment of Supernumerary Captain S. H. Pollen, which was notified in the Gazette of 9th April, 1901, is cancelled.

The Royal Irish Rifles, Second Lieutenant Samuel F. Bristow is seconded for service with the South African Constabulary. Dated 15th November, 1900.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edward S. Evans, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1901.

Major Charles A. K. Hall to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel E. S. Evans. Dated 11th March, 1901.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain Arthur V. Hill is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 7th April, 1901.

The West India Regiment, Supernumerary Captain William P. Marley to be Captain, in succession to Major V. C. Climo, on special service in South Africa. Dated 18th March, 1901.

STAFF.

The undermentioned temporary appointments are made:—

Major G. R. C. Paul, Army Service Corps, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, in succession to Major P. E. F. Hobbs, Army Service Corps, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 8th April, 1901.

Captain F. G. C. M. Morgan, the South Wales Borderers, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General. Dated 1st April, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers to be Special Service Officers for employment with Mounted Infantry in South Africa, graded as Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-Generals whilst so employed:—

Major S. T. B. Lawford, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment). Dated 1st March, 1901.

Captain F. G. J. Manners, Scots Guards. Dated 1st March, 1901.

Major V. C. Climo, the West India Regiment. Dated 2nd March, 1901.

Captain H. R. Davies, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 2nd March, 1901.

Major (temporary Major in the Army) O. S. Martindale-Vale, 6th Battalion the Worcestershire Regiment. Dated 8th March, 1901.

Major (now Lieutenant-Colonel) J. L. Keir. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Major J. R. F. Sladen, the East Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain J. W. G. Roy, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain C. S. Chaplin, the King's Royal Rifle Corps. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain A. Stirling, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain J. J. B. Jones-Parry, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain E. H. R. C. R. Platt, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain G. W. D. B. Lloyd, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain H. de L. Walters, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain H. E. B. Leach, the Northumberland Fusiliers. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain M. H. Tomlin, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain R. J. A. Terry, the Manchester Regiment. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain E. G. Bedingfeld, from Royal Northern Reserve Regiment, retaining the temporary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain W. Greer, Reserve of Officers, from Royal Northern Reserve Regiment. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain T. F. Graham, from Royal Northern Reserve Regiment, retaining the temporary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain (temporary Captain in the Army) B. W. Pigott, 6th Battalion the Manchester Regiment. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain (temporary Captain in the Army) W. Neilson, 3rd Battalion the Highland Light Infantry. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Captain (temporary Captain in the Army) C. H. M. Tabuteau, 3rd Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Major A. V. Payne, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment). Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain A. Parkin, the Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain G. F. Milner, 1st Life Guards. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain G. B. Laurie, the Royal Irish Rifles. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain D. L. Hartley, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment). Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain H. B. des V. Wilkinson, the Durham Light Infantry. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Temporary Captain A. Ducrôt. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain (temporary Captain in the Army) R. P. Butler, 8th Battalion the King's Royal Rifle Corps. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain (temporary Captain in the Army) R. Ratliffe, 5th Battalion the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own). Dated 16th March, 1901.

Captain (temporary Captain in the Army) S. J. Brasier-Creagh, the Limerick City Artillery. Dated 18th March, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers to be Special Service Officers for employment with Mounted Infantry in South Africa, graded as Staff Captains whilst so employed :—

Lieutenant R. Hamilton Stubber, 1st Life Guards. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant in the Army) H. T. Peareth, 3rd Battalion the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders). Dated 12th March, 1901.

Lieutenant B. H. H. Cooke, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own). Dated 16th March, 1901.

Lieutenant H. C. W. Theobald, the Gloucestershire Regiment. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Lieutenant C. P. Grindle, Reserve of Officers. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant in the Army) B. L. Williams, 4th Battalion the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry). Dated 16th March, 1901.

Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant in the Army) H. P. B. White, 5th Battalion the Connaught Rangers. Dated 18th March, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers to be Special Service Officers for employment with Mounted Infantry in South Africa, graded as Staff Lieutenants whilst so employed :—

Second Lieutenant (temporary Second Lieutenant in the Army) A. Bull, 3rd Battalion the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 12th March, 1901.

Second Lieutenant (temporary Second Lieutenant in the Army) R. Palmer, 3rd Battalion the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment). Dated 16th March, 1901.

The undermentioned appointments to the Staff of the Lines of Communication made in South Africa are confirmed :—

To be Commandants, graded as Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-Generals whilst so employed :—

Major F. G. Stone, Royal Artillery. Dated 28th January, 1901.

Captain A. Nelson, Reserve of Officers. Dated 28th January, 1901.

Major R. M. B. F. Kelly, Royal Artillery. Dated 15th February, 1901.

Major C. G. Morrison, 1st Dragoons. Dated 15th February, 1901.

Major C. V. Humphrys, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment). Dated 15th February, 1901.

The following appointment to the Staff made in South Africa is confirmed :—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Bethune, 16th Lancers, to be graded as a Colonel on the Staff and to have the local rank of Colonel whilst commanding a force of mixed troops. Dated 12th February, 1901.

The name of the Officer of the Queensland Defence Force, appointed an Assistant Provost-Marshal, China Field Force, is Captain P. M. Keogh, and not Captain W. A. Coxen, as stated in the Gazette of 18th January, 1901.

Army Ordnance Department. The undermentioned Deputy-Commissaries of Ordnance and Honorary Captains to be Commissaries of Ordnance :—

D. E. Collins, on augmentation. Dated 1st April, 1901.

H. Cooper, vice Honorary Captain J. A. Roberts, retired. Dated 4th April, 1901.

Army Pay Department. The undermentioned Officers to be Paymasters :—

Lieutenant C. H. Richards, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 30th April, 1900.

Captain E. M. Murray, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. Dated 22nd June, 1900.

Lieutenant C. H. Richards, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, is granted the provisional rank of Captain whilst serving in the Army Pay Department. Dated 30th April, 1900.

MEMORANDA.

Major G. F. Chenevix-Trench, Indian Staff Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed as British Consul-General at Meshed. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Captain C. Delmé-Radcliffe, the Connaught Rangers, is granted the local rank of Major whilst employed with the Uganda Rifles. Dated 28th August, 1900.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant Thomas Wynn Loughborough, 2nd Volunteer Battalion the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

War Office, 16th April, 1901.

MILITIA.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division), Second Lieutenant C. H. Blackwood is seconded for service with the Imperial Yeomanry. Dated 27th March, 1901.

The Dublin City Artillery (Southern Division), The undermentioned Officers are seconded for service with the Remount Department:—

Captain J. R. Hamlyn-Nott. Dated 29th March, 1901.

Lieutenant P. R. Peebles. Dated 5th April, 1901.

The Fife Artillery (Southern Division), George Henry Lindsay Simson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1901.

The Glamorgan Artillery (Western Division), William Frederick Robert Kyngdon, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th April, 1901.

The Limerick City Artillery (Southern Division), Sir Charles Burton Barrington, Bart., is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Regiment. Dated 17th April, 1901.

The Mid Ulster Artillery (Southern Division), Captain and Honorary Major C. B. Phipson resigns his Commission on account of ill-health, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the prescribed uniform on retirement. Dated 17th April, 1901.

The Waterford Artillery (Southern Division), Thomas Hare, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th April, 1901.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Sir S. H. Child, Bart. Dated 16th March, 1901.

C. B. Northey. Dated 16th March, 1901.

E. C. Hill-Whitson. Dated 16th March, 1901.

R. C. Wrey. Dated 16th March, 1901.

J. C. H. Grant. Dated 16th March, 1901.

G. J. R. Clerk. Dated 16th March, 1901.

Cyril Edward Lambert, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1901.

4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, The absorption of Captain G. W. Biggs into the Establishment, announced in the London Gazette of the 19th March, 1901, bears date 5th February, 1901, and not as therein stated.

5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Cecil Tidswell Furber, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1901.

4th Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Francis Latham, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th April, 1901.

5th Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers, Captain G. Armitage to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Captain H. A. Schank, who vacates the appointment. Dated 1st April, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant C. Thorburn to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated 11th March, 1901.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

C. L. Leake. Dated 11th March, 1901.

I. B. Hopkins. Dated 11th March, 1901.

G. A. Greig. Dated 11th March, 1901.

S. D. Taylor. Dated 11th March, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Captain B. E. Phillips is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Second Lieutenant A. J. H. Byrne to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th April, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant Charles Douglas Home, from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th April, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment, Reginald Stretton Spurrier, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant E. Strachey, jun., to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), William Charles Owen Phillips, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 5th April, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. R. Wilkinson. Dated 12th March, 1901.

H. J. Taylor. Dated 12th March, 1901.

H. Richardson. Dated 12th March, 1901.

C. Leather. Dated 12th March, 1901.

E. S. Curling. Dated 12th March, 1901.

3rd Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain J. D. Graham resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.

James Robert Couper, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Arthur Henry Bell, late Lieutenant, to be Captain. Dated 4th April, 1901.

Second Lieutenant R. E. Dent, from 4th Battalion the Border Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 2nd April, 1901.

5th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

A. F. Coddington. Dated 17th April, 1901.

H. R. Osborne. Dated 17th April, 1901.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers are seconded for service with a Royal Garrison Regiment. Dated 3rd April, 1901:—

MILITIA.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Submarine Miners.

The Milford Haven Division, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry R. J. C. Oakes.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant F. G. Watson.

4th Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant E. H. Thirkell-White.

3rd Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Lieutenant H. G. Vaux.

3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant A. C. Benson.

5th Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Lieutenant C. St. G. French.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers are seconded for service with Line Battalions in South Africa :—

MILITIA.

INFANTRY.

4th Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Second Lieutenant J. H. Cantlay. Dated 12th March, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant M. I. G. Jenkins. Dated 12th March, 1901.

3rd Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant E. St. G. Mivart. Dated 26th February, 1901.

4th Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Lieutenant H. J. Phillips. Dated 26th February, 1901.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Cheshire (Earl of Chester's), George Crompton Lees-Milne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Royal 1st Devon, Lieutenant J. G. E. Templer (Captain, retired), to be Captain, and to be granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

7th Yeomanry Brigade (Herts and Suffolk), Captain J. Knowles, 15th Hussars, to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. Whitaker, 20th Hussars, who has retired from the Service. Dated 21st March, 1901.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

LIGHT HORSE.

1st Fifehire, Supernumerary Veterinary-Lieutenant J. McL. Young to be Veterinary-Lieutenant on the Establishment. Dated 10th April, 1901.

ARTILLERY.

1st Cheshire and Carnarvonshire, Hugh Corbet Vincent, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Edinburgh (City), Captain and Honorary Major J. McNiel to be Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

2nd Hampshire (Southern Division, Royal Garrison Artillery), William Dupree, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Lieutenant and District Officer A. C. Chew, Royal Garrison Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Captain M. M. D. Morrison, whose period of service expires. Dated 10th April, 1901.

Lieutenant and District Officer A. C. Chew, Royal Garrison Artillery, is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 10th April, 1901.

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1st Lanarkshire, Major A. McL. Shaw is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Lancashire, John Preston Reynolds, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Suffolk and Harwich, Lieutenant B. A. Posford is borne as Supernumerary whilst serving with the Royal Eastern Reserve Regiment. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Second Lieutenant W. McLearn to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Bedfordshire, Major G. J. R. Glünicke to be Lieutenant-Colonel on increase of Establishment and to command under paragraph 55A Volunteer Regulations. Dated 17th April, 1901.

2nd Cheshire (Railway), Lieutenant E. Davenport is borne as Supernumerary whilst serving with the Volunteer Section in South Africa. Dated 10th April, 1901.

1st Hampshire, Second Lieutenant J. Homan to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Lanarkshire, William Hamilton Campbell Kidston, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Lancashire, Lieutenant W. H. Fletcher to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Sussex, Second Lieutenant C. W. Buckwell is seconded for service with the Imperial Yeomanry in South Africa. Dated 3rd April, 1901.

RIFLE.

8th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Lieutenant J. Stevenson resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Second Lieutenant H. C. W. Wilkinson to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

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

H. M. Bathurst. Dated 17th April, 1901.

H. A. Steward. Dated 17th April, 1901.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant E. Powell to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.

5th (Irish) Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. A. Black resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.

David Radcliffe Grindley, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Second Lieutenant C. Patey resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant A. Scutt to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Major E. A. Mangin resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Battalion on retirement. Dated 17th April, 1901.

2nd (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Edward Harris Ballam, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 17th April, 1901.

- 4th (Hunts) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment,** Charles Archibald Lees, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 4th April, 1901.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment,** Captain S. Goward is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers,** John Basil Wrigley, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- Cadet Corps (Kilmarnock Academy) attached to 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers,** Second Lieutenant D. Yuille, 1st Volunteer Battalion the Royal Scots Fusiliers, to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers,** Second Lieutenant A. Bremner resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers,** Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. Colborne resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Battalion on retirement. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- Galloway,** Lieutenant C. A. McLean to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 3rd Lanarkshire,** Alexander Roxburgh, M.D., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment,** Charles Henry Harrington, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- Quartermaster T. James** is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment,** Acting Chaplain the Reverend J. T. Munn, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment,** Captain J. L. Lempriere resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment,** Lieutenant P. Hallett is borne as Supernumerary whilst serving with the Volunteer Company in South Africa. Dated 10th April, 1901.
- 1st (Pembrokeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment,** Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Roberts to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command under paragraph 55A Volunteer Regulations. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st (City of Dundee) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders),** George Francis Whyte, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 6th (Fifeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders),** Lieutenant D. D. Blair to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
- A. D. Hendry. Dated 17th April, 1901.
R. Wallace. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st (Oxford University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry,** Second Lieutenant S. T. Sheppard to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- Extra-Supernumerary Second Lieutenant R. F. H. Wallace** to be Lieutenant on the Establishment. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
- G. D. Barne. Dated 17th April, 1901.
F. K. Rooke. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st Bucks,** The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
- C. Gray. Dated 17th April, 1901.
H. L. C. Barrett. Dated 17th April, 1901.
E. G. B. Wace. Dated 17th April, 1901.
C. E. Cobb. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment,** Second Lieutenant S. S. Baxter resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment,** Norman Holt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st Herefordshire,** Captain G. R. Sowray, Manchester Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain C. J. Morse, East Lancashire Regiment, whose period of service has expired. Dated 2nd April, 1901.
- Cadet Corps (St. Paul's School, West Kensington) attached to 2nd (South) Middlesex,** Francis Paul Armitage, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment,** Lieutenant H. J. Wilson resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- Supernumerary Lieutenant A. A. Hopkinson** to be Lieutenant on the Establishment. Dated 1st January, 1901.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment,** William Crossland Ponter, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry,** William Falshaw Hobson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- George Shafto Legard, Gent.,** to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 3rd (the Blythswood) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry,** Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel W. Clark retires under paragraph 55A Volunteer Regulations, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Battalion on retirement. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel R. S. Murray** to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant under paragraphs 55A and 114 Volunteer Regulations. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 9th Lanarkshire,** Captain F. C. MacIvor resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 6th Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders,** Thomas Macaulay Smith, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders),** Colin Campbell MacCulloch, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st Dumbartonshire,** Honorary Colonel J. R. Thomson (Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel retired) resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.
- 1st Tower Hamlets,** Lieutenant I. J. Stephenson is borne as Supernumerary whilst serving with the Volunteer Company of the Oxfordshire Light Infantry in South Africa. Dated 10th April, 1901.

VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

The Manchester Companies, Surgeon-Lieutenant G. A. Wright, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1901.

VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADES.

Aberdeen, Lieutenant-Colonel G. B. M. Cumberland, retired pay, resigns the appointment of Brigade Major. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Forth, Colonel the Right Honourable Sir J. H. A. Macdonald, K.C.B., resigns the command of the Brigade, retaining the rank of Colonel in the Volunteer Force, with permission to wear the uniform prescribed by paragraph 913 Volunteer Regulations. Dated 17th April, 1901.

War Office, 16th April, 1901.

MEMORANDUM.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the formation of a Corps of Volunteer Artillery designated the 1st Cardigan Volunteer Artillery (Western Division Royal Garrison Artillery).

War Office, 16th April, 1901.

MEMORANDUM.

His Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the 4th Volunteer Battalion the Bedfordshire Regiment being in future designated the 4th (Hunts) Volunteer Battalion the Bedfordshire Regiment.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Sir Edward Grey, Bart., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1901.

Sir Benjamin Chapman Browne, Knt., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1901.

Sir William Haswell Stephenson, Knt., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1901.

William Armstrong Watson-Armstrong, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1901.

Shallross Fitzherbert Widdrington, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1901.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.

Major Robert Herbert Heath Jary to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1901.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Tuesday, the 23rd instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, and 52 Vic., cap. 6, to the amount of £1,000,000 in replacement of Bills falling due on the 30th instant.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 30th instant, and will be payable at nine months after date, viz. :—on the 30th January, 1902.

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Wednesday, the 24th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the

Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Tuesday, the 30th instant.

6. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, April 16, 1901.

Factory Department, Home Office,
April 11, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. Gardiner to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the King's Lynn District.

Factory Department, Home Office,
April 15, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. F. F. Jones to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Llanfyllin District of the county of Montgomery.

Factory Department, Home Office,
April 16, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. R. J. Denny, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, at Tralee, in the county of Kerry, is vacant.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 12TH APRIL, 1901.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

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 Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the nineteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the parishes of Winton, Holdenhurst, Pokesdown, Southbourne, Highcliff, Christchurch East, Sopley, Hurn, Milton, Hordle, Sway, and Milford, and the borough of Christchurch, in the administrative county of Southampton; and also comprising the borough of Bournemouth.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 12TH APRIL 1901.)

KENT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE)
REVOCATION ORDER OF 1901.

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 Orders described in the Schedule to this Order are hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Orders hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order, or inter-

ferre with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, the Orders hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.

3. This Order may be cited as the KENT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1901.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Orders Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
	1901.	
6214	4 February ...	The Kent (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1901.
6216	19 February ...	The Kent (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1901 (No. 2).
6217	26 February ...	The Kent (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1901 (No. 3).
6224	19 March ...	The Kent (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1901 (No. 4).

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 13TH APRIL 1901.)

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE (SWINE-FEVER)
ORDER OF 1901.

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:

Declaration of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

1. Such parts of the administrative county of Northampton as are mentioned in the Schedule to this Order are hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896.

Provisions of Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896 applied to the Borough of Northampton.

2.—(1.) The provisions of the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896 shall apply to the borough of Northampton, but no swine, fat or store, shall be moved out of the said borough except as expressly authorized by this Order.

(2.) Nothing in this Article shall be deemed to apply to the movement of swine where they are moved through that borough by railway from a place outside that borough to another place outside that borough without unnecessary delay and without the swine being untrucked or rebooked within that borough.

(3.) Swine may be moved with a Licence of an Inspector of the Board or of a person authorized by the Board to grant the same, which Licence will only be granted where the Board, after inquiry, are satisfied that exceptional circumstances render the movement necessary or expedient.

Offences.

3. If a pig is moved in contravention of this Order, the owner of the pig, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the movement, and the person moving or conveying the pig, and the consignee or other person receiving or keeping it knowing it to have been moved in contravention as aforesaid, and the occupier of the place from which the pig is moved, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Commencement.

4. This Order shall come into operation on the nineteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.

Short Title.

5. This Order may be cited as the NORTHAMPTONSHIRE (SWINE-FEVER) ORDER OF 1901.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

The parishes of Boughton, Moulton, Moulton Park, Weston Favell, Great Houghton, Hardingstone, Wootton, Roithersthorpe, Kislingsbury, Harpole, Upton, Duston, and Dallington, in the administrative county of Northampton.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 13TH APRIL 1901.)

DEVONSHIRE (SWINE-FEVER) ORDER OF 1901.

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 :

Declaration of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

1. Such parts of the administrative county of Devon as are mentioned in the Schedule to this Order are hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896.

Provisions of Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896 applied to the City of Exeter.

2.—(1.) The provisions of the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896 shall apply to the city of Exeter, but no swine, fat or store, shall be moved out of the said city except as expressly authorized by this Order.

(2.) Nothing in this Article shall be deemed to apply to the movement of swine where they are moved through that city by railway from a place outside that city to another place outside that city without unnecessary delay and without the swine being untrucked or rebooked within that city.

(3.) Swine may be moved with a Licence of an Inspector of the Board or of a person authorized by the Board to grant the same, which Licence will only be granted where the Board, after inquiry, are satisfied that exceptional circumstances render the movement necessary or expedient.

(4.) For the purposes of this Article the city of Exeter shall be deemed to include any detached portions of the administrative county of Devon surrounded by that city.

Offences.

3. If a pig is moved in contravention of this Order the owner of the pig, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the movement, and the person moving or conveying the pig, and the consignee or other person receiving or keeping it knowing it to have been moved in contravention as aforesaid, and the occupier of the place from which the pig is moved, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Commencement.

4. This Order shall come into operation on the eighteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.

Short Title.

5. This Order may be cited as the DEVONSHIRE (SWINE-FEVER) ORDER OF 1901.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

The parishes of Sherwood Villa, Whitestone, Alphington, Ide, Dunchideock, Shillingford, Kenn, Kenton, Powderham, Exminster, Topsham, Clyst St. George, Sowton, Heavitree (and its detached part), and Pinhoe, in the administrative county of Devon.

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

THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

THE Board of Agriculture have appointed William Hosken France Hayhurst to be a Temporary Assistant Inspector for the purposes of the above-mentioned Acts.

Board of Agriculture, 15th April, 1901.

THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Board of Agriculture have made the following Orders :—

Date.	Subject.
1901.	
12th April ...	Relating to a dog landed at Dover on or about the 10th instant, and believed to belong to Mrs. J. T. Gardner.
12th April ...	Declaring a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place in the county of Kent to be free from that disease.
13th April ...	Authorizing the movement to Warley, Essex, of certain swine detained at Brentwood Railway Station.

Copies of the Orders may be obtained at 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, April 16, 1901.

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

April 11, 1901.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Census Office, England: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), Reginald Cope, Reuben Arthur Wade, Arthur Wainwright.

Customs: Assistant of Customs, William Francis Laing.

Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Henry Mackenzie.

Local Government Board, England: Clerk (Class I), Alfred Ernest Greene.

Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Reginald Stanley Dailley.

Post Office: Male Learner, Leeds, Robert Joseph Austin.

Female Learners, Helen Balfour Hughes (Edinburgh), Mabel Elizabeth Davies (Cardiff).

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Second Division: Clerk, Thomas Hariland.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorters, London, William Joseph Ball, William Heath Butler, Frederick William Benjamin Carter, Charles Farley, William Farrant, Samuel James Goodger, Alexander Franklin Hall, Harry Herbert Hearn, Albert Samuel King, Harry Lawrence, David James Lewis, Samuel Mayne, Robert Lenny Pearce, George Smethers.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Chatham Dockyard, Shipwright, James William Strutt otherwise James William Borrett.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Female Warder, Christina Barrie.

Board of Trade: Messenger and Outdoor Officer in the Mercantile Marine Office, Gravesend, Alexander William Bryant Lukes.

Post Office: Sorter-Tracer, London, Timothy O'Donovan.

Postmen, London, Robert Stockins, John Byron Wickham.

Porters, London, William Johnstone, Henry Taylor.

Learner, Preston, George Crook Chitson.

Postmen, Robert Mackay (Lerwick), Robert Stephenson (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Jeremiah Lynch.

April 12, 1901.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Census Office, Scotland: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), John Guckion.

Post Office: Woman Clerk, Margaret Boyd Johnstone.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Second Division: Clerk, Charles Edward Humphreys.

Office of Woods: Second Class Clerk, James Boyce Stonebridge.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Pensioner Writer in His Majesty's Naval Yards, Alfred Allison.

Chatham Dockyard, Skilled Labourer, Charles Henry Florey.

Royal Victoria Yard, Deptford, Labourer, Albert Miller.

Royal William Yard, Plymouth, Cooper, William Henry Stephens.

Sheerness Dockyard, Boilermaker, Walter John Patterson.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, John Grassby.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Bertie Willis Bispham, George Edward Pittman.

Sub-Postmistress, Whithorn, Jane Lauder Ballantine.

Learners, John Augustus King (Windsor), Eleanor Alice Lewis (Merthyr Tydvil).

Postmen, Fred Ansell (St. Albans), Thomas Ernest Dewey (Cardiff), Frederick John Hammond (Woolwich), David John Jones (Llanelly), Edwin Ernest Miller (Chatham), Alfred Searle (St. Albans), Henry Smith (Welshpool), Joseph Edward Withers Toogood (Stony Stratford).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, Stephen Edward Andrew (Goole), Philip Denis Lane (Newport, Monmouthshire), Robert Gunning McFall (Belfast), Alexander Stevenson (Kilmarnock).

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

High Court of Justice, Ireland: Assistant Examiner in the Court of the Land Judge of the Chancery Division, Cyril Henry Dickinson.

India Office: Junior Clerk in the Store Department, Frederick Talbot Eades.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Percy Charles Marks.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Charles Cops.

April 13, 1901.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Second Class Clerk (Lower Section), for Port Service, George Frederick Pembleton.

Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), John David Eldredge Hayward, Theodore Francis Sime.

Stationery Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Thomas Corrigan.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Learner, Cardiff, Clara Annie Green.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Fitter, George Morton Evans.

Post Office: Learners, Kate Bagshaw (Wrexham), Wilfrid Beckerlegge (Exmouth), Frederick Thomas Brimble (St. Helens), James Cullen (Athy), Percy James Dilley (Ashbourne), Richard Francis Gardner (Shipston-on-Stour), Percy Albion Hitchcock (Hungerford), Emily Littlejohns (Chatham), Percy Moore (Douglas), Allen Hopkins Robbins (Maidenhead), Ernest Roddis (Rotherham), Percy Reginald Smith (Tunbridge Wells), Margaret Butter Stewart (Coldstream), Arthur John Henry Wild (Whitchurch, Salop).

Postmen, Allen Avison Akid (Manchester), George Frederick Astbury (Oldham), Daniel Daly (Aldershot), John Edward Hemming (Wellingborough), John Henderson (Edinburgh), James Mason Mathieson Inglis (Edinburgh), William Jeffs (Birmingham), Alfred Lee (Chester), Hugh McGowan (Omagh), William Angus Wallace (Edinburgh).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, John Bailey Dyson (Manchester), William Marsh (Birkenhead).

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 247 to 257 of the year 1901.)

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

No. 247.—SCOTLAND—ORKNEY ISLANDS.

St. Mary's Pier—Light Established.

INFORMATION, dated 1st March, 1901, has been received through the Board of Trade, that a red fixed light, elevated 13 feet above high water, has been established on the extremity of the eastern pier, situated about $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables north-eastward of Skaildaquoy Point, St. Mary's, Holm Sound.

It will be exhibited annually from 12th August to 31st March.

Approximate position, lat. $58^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $2^{\circ} 54\frac{1}{2}'$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Orkney Islands, No. 2180b. Also, List of Lights, Part I, 1901, page 110; and North Sea Pilot, Part I, 1894, page 217.

No. 248.—UNITED STATES—ATLANTIC COAST, NEW JERSEY.

Delaware River, Marcus Hook Bar—Light Buoy Established.

THE United States Government has given notice that, on 1st April, 1901, the red spar buoy No. 34, moored off the south-western end of Marcus Hook Bar, would be replaced by a light buoy, painted red, marked No. 34, and exhibiting a white occulting light every 20 seconds (viz., light, 10 seconds; eclipse, 10 seconds). It is situated with the outer end of Penn Grove landing bearing S. 27° W., distant $3\frac{1}{4}$ miles, and Fish Town, N. 70° W.

Approximate position, lat. $39^{\circ} 47'$ N., long. $75^{\circ} 27\frac{1}{2}'$ W.

[Variation 7° Westerly in 1901.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Delaware River, No. 2564. Also, Sailing Directions for the East Coast of the United States, 1899, page 572.

No. 249.—MEDITERRANEAN—MARSEILLE.

Pharo Point—Wreck Removed, Buoy Withdrawn.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 114 of 1900:—

The French Government has given further notice, dated 22nd March, 1901, that the wreck of the steamship "Ajaccio," which sank about 20 yards north-westward of Pharo Point Lighthouse, has been removed; the light buoy, painted green and exhibiting a green fixed light, has consequently been withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. $43^{\circ} 17\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $5^{\circ} 21'$ E.

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Marseille, No. 150. Also, Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. II, 1895, page 53.

No. 250.—NORTH SEA—HOOK OF HOLLAND.—NEW ROTTERDAM CANAL.

Noorddam Light—Character of Permanent Light.

WITH reference to Notices to Mariners Nos. 48, 153, and 230 of 1901:—

The Netherlands Government has given further notice, dated 28th March, 1901, that the white occulting light every twelve seconds established at Noorddam (Noorderhoofd) is temporary; the permanent light, when re-exhibited, will be, as formerly, a white flashing light every five seconds.

Approximate position, lat. $51^{\circ} 59'$ N., long. $4^{\circ} 5'$ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Dover and Calais, &c., No. 1406; Mouths of the Maas, No. 122; Hook of Holland, No. 3142. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1901, No. 174; and North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 1892, page 136.

No. 251.—UNITED STATES—PACIFIC COAST, CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO HARBOUR.

Alcatraz Island—Fog Bell Established.

THE United States Government has given notice that, on 5th April, 1901, a fog bell will be established, at an elevation of 55 feet above the sea, at the north-western end of Alcatraz Island, which will during thick or foggy weather be struck by machinery once every six seconds.

Approximate position, lat. $37^{\circ} 49'$ N., long. $122^{\circ} 25'$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—San Francisco Harbour, No. 591. Also, List of Lights, Part VII, 1901, No. 297; and Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of Central America, &c., 1896, page 355.

No. 252.—ENGLAND—RIVER THAMES.

The Warp—Wreck Marked by Buoy.

THE Trinity House, London, has given notice, dated 29th March, 1901, that the wreck of a steam vessel, with one mast showing at low water, lies sunk about $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles west from the Mouse Light-vessel.

A green wreck buoy has been moored to the northward of the wreck in a depth of $7\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, with S.W. Admiralty Beacon bearing N. 45° W., distant 13 cables, and Blacktail Spit Buoy, N. 61° E.

Approximate position, lat. $51^{\circ} 30'$ N., long. $0^{\circ} 55'$ E.

[Variation 15° Westerly in 1901.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—North Foreland to the Nore, No. 1607. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1897, page 317.

No. 253.—JAPAN—INLAND SEA.

Shiaku Seto—Wreck in Eastern Approach.

THE Japanese Government has given notice, dated 18th December, 1900, that the wreck of a large vessel lies sunk in the eastern approach to Shiaku Seto (St. Vincent Channel), situated at a distance of about $9\frac{1}{2}$ cables, S. 72° E. from Nate Sima Lighthouse.

Approximate position, lat. $34^{\circ} 22\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $133^{\circ} 50\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

[Variation 4° Westerly in 1901.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Seto Uchi, No. 2875; Bingo Nada, &c., No. 128. Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. IV, 1894, page 283.

No. 254.—FRANCE—WEST COAST.

Raz de Sein, Southern Approach—Directions.

THE French Government has given notice, dated 21st March, 1901, that a recent examination makes it probable that unknown rocks exist in the Raz de Sein, vessels therefore approaching from the southward should follow the undermentioned leading lines on which nothing less than a depth of $6\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms has been obtained:—

1. To pass between Moullec Rock and Masclougréiz bring Tévenneo Island to bear N. 18° W., open to the westward of La Vieille Lighthouse.

2. To pass between Masclougréiz and Cornoc Bras bring Pointe du Van, N. 58° E.

3. To pass between Cornoc Bras and Tête du Chat bring St. They Chapel in line with La Vieille Lighthouse, N. 74° E.

Approximate position, La Vieille Lighthouse, lat. $48^{\circ} 2\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $4^{\circ} 45\frac{1}{2}'$ W.

[Variation 17° Westerly in 1901.]

This Notice affects Sailing Directions for the West Coast of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1900, page 77.

No. 255.—CHINA.

Yang tse Kiang—Pilots Cruising Ground.

INFORMATION, dated 1st March, 1901, has been received from the Licensed Pilots Association, Shanghai, that the licensed pilots of Shanghai no longer cruise off the Saddle Islands or in the vicinity, but their boats are to be found at anchor or cruising off the Fairway Bell Buoy (red and black) in the southern approach to the Yang tse, except when a north-west gale is blowing or expected, when they will be found, either inside the Tungsha Light-vessel, or under the lee of Cape Yang tse, or the Saddle Islands.

Approximate position, Fairway Buoy, lat. $31^{\circ} 3\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $122^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

This Notice affects:—China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1894, page 408.

No. 256.—PACIFIC—HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

Laysan Island—Light Established.

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 16th March, 1901, that a white fixed light, elevated about 52 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of about 5 miles, has been established by a private Company on the north-eastern point of Laysan Island; it is exhibited from a lighthouse 38 feet high during the shipping season from April to September annually.

Approximate position, lat. $25^{\circ} 48'$ N., long. $171^{\circ} 52'$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pacific Ocean, No. 782; Laysan Island, on Sheet No. 1141. Also, List of Lights, Part VII, 1901, page 78; and Pacific Islands, Vol. III, 1900, page 248.

No. 257.—UNITED STATES, ATLANTIC COAST—NEW YORK.

Craven Shoal—Bell Buoy Established.

THE United States Government has given notice that on or about 21st March, 1901, a bell buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands, would be moored in a depth of 27 feet to the eastward and close to the spar buoy at present marking the Craven Shoal, New York Lower Bay. The spar buoy will be retained in position as well.

Approximate position, lat. $40^{\circ} 35\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $74^{\circ} 2\frac{1}{2}'$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Approaches to New York, No. 2491. Also, Sailing Directions for the East Coast of the United States, 1899, page 501.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
12th April, 1901.

INSTRUMENT substituting the New Church of Saint George, situate within the New Parish of Nailsworth, in the County of Gloucester, and in the Diocese of Gloucester, for the Old Church of All Saints, Shortwood, situate within and hitherto being the Parish Church of the same New Parish.

To all to whom these presents shall come the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England send greeting:

WHEREAS a new church has lately been built within the new parish of Nailsworth, in the county of Gloucester, and in the diocese of Gloucester, and has been consecrated and dedicated to Saint George.

And whereas the Right Reverend Father in God Charles John, by Divine Permission Lord Bishop of the said diocese of Gloucester, and also patron of the said new parish of Nailsworth, and the Reverend Gilbert Maxwell Scott, Vicar or Incumbent of the said new parish, have, by an instrument under their hands, bearing date on or about the twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one, certified to us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, that it would be for the convenience of the said new parish of Nailsworth, that the said new church of Saint George, situate within such parish, should be substituted for the old parish church (dedicated to All Saints) of the same parish.

And whereas we are the patrons of the said new church of Saint George.

And whereas the said Gilbert Maxwell Scott is also the Incumbent or Minister of the said new church of Saint George.

Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in exercise and execution of the power or authority in that behalf contained in the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter seventy, and in the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of all other powers or authorities in anywise enabling us in the same behalf, do, by this instrument under our common seal, with the consent (testified by these presents under his hand and episcopal seal) of the said Charles John, Bishop of the said diocese of Gloucester, both as such Bishop and also as patron of the said new parish of Nailsworth, and with the consent (testified by these presents under his hand and seal) of the said Gilbert Maxwell Scott, both as Vicar or Incumbent of such new parish, and also as Incumbent or Minister of the said new church of Saint George, and with the consent (hereby testified) of ourselves as patrons of the said new church, hereby declare that the said new church of Saint George situate within the said new parish of Nailsworth, and duly consecrated as aforesaid, shall be and the same is hereby substituted for the said old parish church (dedicated to All Saints as aforesaid) of the same parish, and that such new church shall henceforth be the parish church of the said new parish of Nailsworth, in lieu of the said old parish church of All Saints, as fully in all respects as if the said new church of Saint George, so hereby substituted, had been originally the parish church of the same parish.

And we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, and with such consents as aforesaid (testified as aforesaid), do hereby transfer all the endowments, emoluments, and rights of or belonging to the said old parish church (dedicated to All Saints as aforesaid) of the said new parish of Nailsworth, or of or belonging to the Vicar or Incumbent thereof, to the said new church of Saint George (now being by virtue of these presents the parish church of the said new parish of Nailsworth), and to the Vicar or Incumbent thereof, and his successors for ever.

In witness whereof to these presents, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have set our common seal,

and the said Charles John, Bishop of the said diocese of Gloucester, has set his hand and affixed his episcopal seal, and the said Gilbert Maxwell Scott has set his hand and affixed his seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Ecclesiastical Commissioners. (L.S.)
C. J. Gloucester. (L.S.)
Gilbert M. Scott. (L.S.)

STATEMENT of the Securities held by the Bank of England on 31st March, 1901, on account of the Eastern Bengal Railway "B" Annuity Sinking Fund, together with particulars of the investments made during the half-year ended 31st March 1901, pursuant to Act 47 and 48 Vict., cap. 204:—

Great Indian Peninsula Railway			
4% Debenture Stock	£18,640	0	0
Eastern Bengal Railway			
4% Debenture Stock	3,508	0	0
Southern Mahratta Railway			
4% Debenture Stock	12,341	0	0
Great Eastern Railway			
4% Debenture Stock	241	0	0
East Indian Railway			
4½% Debenture Stock	2,510	0	0
South Indian Railway			
4½% Debenture Stock	1,030	0	0
North British Railway			
3% Debenture Stock	4,161	6	8
South Eastern Railway			
5% Debenture Stock	1,184	0	0
Madras Railway			
4½% Stock	2,200	0	0
Nottingham Corporation			
3% Stock	9,403	7	8
Manchester Corporation			
3% Stock	6,920	2	5
India			
3½% Stock	13,248	12	6
Bank of England Stock	4,045	3	3
Scinde, Punjaub, and Delhi Rail- way "B" Annuity	498	0	0
Eastern Bengal Railway "B" Annuity	125	0	0
East Indian Railway "B" An- nuity	109	0	0
East Indian Railway "C" An- nuity	27	0	0
Birmingham Corporation			
2½% Stock	11,880	11	10
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Purchase of £3,836 5s. 8d. Man- chester Corporation 3% Stock	3,879	9	10
Purchase of £1,432 1s. 8d. Bir- mingham Corporation 2½% Stock	1,266	16	1

For the Governor and
 Company of the Bank of England,
 J. G. NAIRNE, Deputy Chief Cashier.
 11th April, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Baptist Tabernacle, situated at West-street, Crewe, in the civil parish of Monks Coppenhall, in the county of Chester, in the registration district of Nantwich, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 10th day of April, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85, being substituted for the Baptist School Chapel, West-street, Crewe, now disused.

No. 27305.

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—Witness my hand this eleventh day of April, 1901.

THOS. LOVATT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Baptist Church, situated at Windsor-road, in the civil parish of Slough, in the county of Buckingham, in the registration district of Eton, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 11th day of April, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 12th day of April, 1901.

R. H. BARRETT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Ebenezer Baptist Chapel, situated at Reading-road, in the civil parish of Fleet, in the county of Southampton, in the registration district of Hartley Wintney, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 11th day of April, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this twelfth day of April, 1901.

JAMES L. BROOKS, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Primitive Methodist Chapel, situated at Cockshutt, in the civil parish of Cockshutt, in the county of Salop, in the registration district of Ellesmere, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 10th day of April, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 12th day of April, 1901.

JOHN P. STANT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Moriah, situated at Llewellyn-street, Pentre, in the civil parish of Ystrad-y-fodwg, in the county of Glamorgan, in the registration district of Pontypridd, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 11th day of April, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 12th day of April, 1901.

WM. SPICKETT, Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Brighton Press Benevolent Fund Friendly Society, Register No. 544, held at Running Horse, King-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 1st day of April, 1901, 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.
 E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.
 28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
 the 1st day of April, 1901.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Key Hill Sick and Dividend Society, Register No. 1911, held at Cemetery Tavern, Key Hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, is dissolved

by instrument, registered at this office, the 1st day of April, 1901, 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. E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.
28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 1st day of April, 1901.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Pioneer Total Abstinence Benefit Society, Register No. 316, held at 79, Burdett-road, E., in the county of London, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 3rd day of April, 1901, 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.

E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 3rd day of April, 1901.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00133 of 1901.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Anglo Foreign Investment Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was, on the 12th day of April, 1901, presented to the said Court by the Guarantee and General Trading Corporation Limited, by Ernest Frank Peirson, of 17, Hertford-street, Coventry, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator thereof; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the 24th day of April, 1901; 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.

WARD BOWIE and Co., 7, King-street,
Cheapside, E.C., Solicitors for the
Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on, or send by post to, the above named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 23rd April, 1901.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter at 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure*, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the Week ended 13th April, 1901, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	32,905	0	26	5
Barley	6,809	6	26	0
Oats	5,936	7	18	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1897 to 1900.

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.
1897	41,923	4	10,481	2	6,240	3	27	0	23	0	16	3
1898	35,518	2	4,889	7	6,220	3	35	3	28	0	18	2
1899	62,879	5	12,628	2	12,685	4	24	6	25	7	16	10
1900	66,412	1	19,519	1	9,672	5	25	11	24	5	17	8

* 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.
April 13, 1901.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 13th April, 1901, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1900.	1901.
Animals, living :—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	8,295	6,249
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	6,852	5,189
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat:—						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	77,590	62,231
Mutton	...	...	...	"	81,288	127,522
Pork	...	...	...	"	13,124	10,331
Salted or Preserved Meat:—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	84,539	99,528
Beef	...	...	...	"	1,141	6,251
Hams	...	...	...	"	28,327	36,790
Pork	...	...	...	"	2,542	3,014
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh	...	...	...	"	12,873	13,330
Meat, preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	6,019	15,114
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	68,514	72,690
Margarine	...	...	...	"	17,731	19,757
Cheese	...	...	...	"	12,937	38,495
* Milk, Fresh, in cans or drums	...	...	...	"	327	—
* " Cream	...	...	...	"		62
* " Preserved, other kinds	...	...	...	"		14
* " Condensed	...	...	...	"		23,362
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	241,693	301,306
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	9,317	9,141
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	1,375	5,117
Lard	...	...	...	"	27,965	43,085
Corn, Grain, Meal and Flour:—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,423,800	1,282,800
Wheat, Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	462,800	348,700
Barley	...	...	...	"	342,500	193,500
Oats	...	...	...	"	246,700	339,300
Pease	...	...	...	"	22,900	40,500
Beans	...	...	...	"	19,900	17,400
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	925,400	788,600
Fruit, Raw :—						
Apples	...	...	...	"	20,484	31,907
Apricots and Peaches	...	...	...	"	—	—
Bananas	...	...	...	Bunches	26,225	32,622
Cherries	...	...	...	cwts.	—	—
Currants	...	...	...	"	—	—
Gooseberries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Grapes	...	...	...	"	752	340
Lemons	...	...	...	"	6,903	15,991
Oranges	...	...	...	"	131,170	127,361
Pears	...	...	...	"	30	803
Plums	...	...	...	"	37	12
Strawberries	...	...	...	"	—	2
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	1,488	88
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	3,010	1,825
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	1,363	1,069
Vegetables, Raw :—						
Onions	...	...	...	Bush.	97,146	129,525
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	163,339	240,195
Tomatoes	...	...	...	"	9,274	14,587
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	18,190	10,169
† Dried	...	...	...	cwts.	—	1,566
† Preserved by canning	...	...	...	"	—	2,050

* In 1900 these were not shown separately.

† Included with Vegetables Unenumerated prior to 1901.

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
April 15, 1901.

A. J. WOOD.

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 13th April, 1901.

Towns.	Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.		Towns.	Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London :—							Yorkshire, E.R. :—						
London	26	2	...		18	10	Hull	25	11	...		...
Middlesex :—							Howden	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Uxbridge	28	1	...		...	...	Beverley	25	11	...	...	...	...
Essex :—							Bridlington	25	7	22	2	17	2
Romford	27	3	...		...	...	Nottinghamshire :—						
Chelmsford	29	1	29	4	19	6	Retford	25	10	...	...	...	...
Colchester	27	11	29	3	17	5	Worksop ... ..	...	24	5	18	6	
Braintree	26	9	27	6	...	...	Mansfield	26	9	23	11	17	7
Saffron Walden	26	3	...		...	...	Newark	25	8	...	...	...	...
Hertfordshire :—							Nottingham	26	7	22	7	18	5
Bishop's Stortford	27	4	28	9	...	...	Leicestershire :—						
Hertford	27	3	...		...	...	Loughborough	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Royston	26	0	27	0	18	0	Leicester	26	2	...	...	19	3
Hitchin	26	8	24	1	18	7	Melton Mowbray ... ..	...	...	...	...	20	4
Bedfordshire :—							Rutland :—						
Luton	27	1	...		...	...	Oakham	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Bedford	26	1	...		17	8	Northamptonshire :—						
Huntingdonshire :—							Peterborough	25	9	24	1	18	4
St. Neots	26	3	27	8	...	...	Kettering	26	0	23	2	...	...
St. Ives	26	4	24	7	18	7	Northampton	26	2	25	1	19	1
Cambridgeshire :—							Warwickshire :—						
Wisbech	26	2	22	5	17	9	Coventry	24	7	...	...	...	...
Ely	26	3	...		...	...	Birmingham	28	10	...	...	...	...
Cambridge	26	9	27	9	17	0	Warwick	25	11	25	1	17	8
Suffolk :—							Stratford-on-Avon	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Haverhill	26	5	...		...	...	Oxfordshire :—						
Sudbury	26	1	26	7	...	...	Banbury	26	2	21	4	...	...
Hadleigh	27	7	...		...	...	Oxford	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Ipswich	26	4	29	8	16	10	Bicester	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Woodbridge	27	3	...		...	...	Buckinghamshire :—						
Stowmarket	26	8	28	2	...	...	Newport Pagnell	25	5	23	9	...	...
Bury St. Edmunds	26	6	27	11	18	1	Aylesbury	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Saxmundham	27	9	...		...	...	Berkshire :—						
Framlingham	25	10	...		...	...	Abingdon	26	9	25	3	...	...
Eye ... ..	...	...	25	6	16	9	Wallingford	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Halesworth ... ..	...	...	28	7	...	...	Hungerford	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Bungay	26	11	...		...	...	Newbury	27	3	...	...	...	...
Beccles	Nil.	...	...		...	...	Reading	27	0	...	...	...	...
Norfolk :—							Surrey :—						
Dias	Nil.	...	...		...	...	Farnham	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Harleston	26	8	...		...	...	Guildford	26	5	...	...	...	...
Yarmouth ... ..	...	...	25	2	17	3	Redhill	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Norwich	25	3	26	8	18	5	Kingston	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
North Walsham	26	3	...		...	...	Croydon	27	7	...	...	...	...
Holt	Nil.	...	...		...	...	Kent :—						
Fakenham	Nil.	...	...		...	...	Rochester	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
East Dereham	Nil.	...	...		...	...	Sandwich	29	6	...	...	18	6
Waiton	Nil.	...	...		...	...	Canterbury	28	11	31	7	16	10
Lynn	26	1	25	7	17	10	Ashford	28	8	...	...	...	...
Lincolnshire :—							Maidstone	27	6	...	...	...	...
Spalding	25	9	22	7	17	8	Tunbridge	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Stamford	25	11	...		...	...	Sussex :—						
Grantham	25	9	23	11	18	9	Lewes	26	9	...	...	...	...
Sleaford	25	6	23	0	19	6	Brighton	26	2	...	...	...	...
Boston	25	9	23	10	18	4	Hayward's Heath	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Louth	25	5	23	2	16	8	Horsham	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	25	10	22	9	17	3	Pulborough	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...
Gainsborough	26	7	...		...	...	Chichester	25	8	...	...	...	...
Brigg	25	7	25	1	...	...					

Average Price of Wheat, Barley and Oats—continued.

Towns.	Wheat.		Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.		Barley.	Oats.
	s.	d.				s.	d.		
Hampshire :—					Staffordshire :—				
Newport ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Wolverhampton ...	28 3	25 2	...	...
Fareham ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Stafford ...	26 6	...	18 4	...
Southampton ...	27 7	...	...	...	Burton-on-Trent ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Winchester ...	26 8	...	...	...	Derbyshire :—				
Basingstoke ...	25 10	...	18 2	...	Derby ...	27 1	...	...	...
Andover ...	25 0	...	...	...	Yorkshire, W.R. :—				
Ringwood ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Sheffield ...	25 6	...	...	...
Dorsetshire :—					Doncaster ...	25 9	19 5	17 3	...
Wimborne ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Goole ...	26 1	...	18 6	...
Wareham ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Pontefract ...	23 9	23 10	...	...
Dorchester ...	26 9	...	...	...	Wakefield ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Blandford ...	27 5	25 5	17 3	...	Leeds ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Bridport ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Knaresborough ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Devonshire :—					Ripon ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Tiverton ...	Nil.	...	...	...	York ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Barnstaple ...	...	...	16 4	...	Yorkshire, N.R. :—				
Exeter ...	27 1	...	17 2	...	Easingwold ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Newton Abbot ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Malton ...	25 11	24 5	19 7	...
Totnes ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Scarborough ...	25 4	...	...	...
Kingsbridge ...	...	23 5	...	...	Thirsk ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Plymouth ...	...	...	17 8	...	Bedale ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Okehampton ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Northallerton ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Cornwall :—					Durham :—				
Liskeard ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Darlington ...	26 5	...	...	...
Wadebridge ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Stockton-on-Tees ...	26 11	...	...	...
Truro ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Bishop Auckland ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Somersetshire :—					Sunderland ...	26 2	...	...	...
Bridgwater ...	26 5	...	...	...	Northumberland :—				
Taunton ...	26 3	...	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	...	...	18 11	...
Yeovil ...	26 1	23 2	...	...	Alnwick ...	...	22 10	...	...
Frome ...	26 2	...	...	...	Berwick ...	24 6	23 3	18 6	...
Bath ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Cumberland :—				
Bristol ...	26 3	...	...	...	Carlisle ...	...	...	18 1	...
Wiltshire :—					Cockermouth ...	...	...	20 6	...
Warminster ...	25 4	...	22 0	...	Penrith ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Salisbury ...	26 4	26 2	18 10	...	Westmorland :—				
Devizes ...	25 9	23 5	18 6	...	Kendal ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Swindon ...	25 10	...	...	...	Lancashire :—				
Gloucestershire :—					Garstang ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Cirencester ...	26 5	23 8	17 1	...	Preston ...	25 1	...	...	...
Gloucester ...	27 4	...	...	...	Manchester ...	27 9	...	...	...
Cheltenham ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Warrington ...	26 1	...	...	...
Tewkesbury ...	26 5	...	18 0	...	Cheshire :—				
Monmouthshire :—					Chester ...	26 6	...	...	...
Chepstow ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Anglesey :—				
Newport ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Llangefni ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Abergavenny ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Carnarvonshire :—				
Herefordshire :—					Carnarvon ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Ross ...	25 10	...	...	...	Denbighshire :—				
Hereford ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Denbigh ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Worcestershire :—					Wrexham ...	27 1	...	...	...
Evesham ...	25 10	...	...	...	Montgomeryshire :—				
Worcester ...	26 1	...	20 2	...	Welshpool ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Shropshire :—					Cardiganshire :—				
Ludlow ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Cardigan ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Bridgnorth ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Pembrokeshire :—				
Shrewsbury ...	Nil.	...	...	...	Haverfordwest ...	Nil.	...	...	...
Oswestry ...	25 11	...	...	...	Glamorgan :—				
Market Drayton ...	26 5	26 0	17 7	...	Cardiff ...	Nil.	...	...	...
					Brecknockshire :—				
					Brecon ...	Nil.	...	...	...

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 15 Weeks ended 11th April, 1901.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 11th April, 1901.												
Liverpool	57,441	...	34	6,592	250	64,317	362	...	...	1,591	6	1,959
London ... ..	...	...	419	...	...	419	...	...	114	...	...	114
Hull	1,453	...	...	...	...	1,453	351	300	...	...	...	651
Manchester	12,850	...	...	...	...	12,850	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,989	...	...	...	...	3,989
Total	71,744	...	453	6,592	250	79,039	4,702	300	114	1,591	6	6,713
15 Weeks ended 11th April, 1901.												
Liverpool	846,870	12,934	16,310	94,043	20,367	990,524	11,777	510	918	18,080	1,716	33,001
London	11	...	14,140	...	331	14,482	...	...	8,778	...	...	8,778
Hull	10,838	...	650	1,416	301	13,205	14,268	300	1,174	1,454	...	17,196
Manchester	172,468	...	...	36,003	...	208,471	7	...	...	...	...	7
Other Ports	35,484	...	...	...	...	35,484	27,810	...	...	...	...	27,810
Total	1,065,671	12,934	31,100	131,462	20,999	1,262,166	53,862	810	10,870	19,534	1,716	86,792

Dated April 12, 1901

A. E. BATEMAN,
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 6th day of April, 1901.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
Ashford Bank	...	...	Ashford	...	Pomfret and Co.	...	£ 4643
Aylesbury Old Bank	...	...	Aylesbury	...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.	...	6085
Banbury Bank	...	...	Banbury	...	Gillett and Co.	...	4984
Banbury Old Bank	...	...	Banbury	...	T. R. Cobb and Son	Not received.	
Bedford Bank	...	...	Bedford	...	Barnard and Co.	...	11926
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	...	...	Bicester	...	Tubb and Co.	...	9387
Buckingham Bank	...	...	Buckingham	...	Bartlett and Co.	...	6925
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	...	...	Cambridge	...	Foster and Co.	...	19815
Canterbury Bank	...	...	Canterbury	...	Hammond and Co.	...	7403
Derby Bank	...	...	Derby	...	Samuel Smith and Co.	...	4733
Faversham Bank	...	...	Faversham	...	Hilton and Co.	...	2574
Hull and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank	...	...	Kingston-upon-Hull	...	Smith Brothers and Co.	...	9155
Ipswich Bank	...	...	Ipswich	...	Bacon and Co.	...	9353
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	...	...	Kington	...	Davies and Co.	...	12226
Leeds Old Bank	...	...	Leeds	...	Beckett and Co.	...	40911
Lincoln Bank	...	...	Lincoln	...	Smith, Ellison, and Co.	...	52633
Llandoverly, Lampeter, and Llandovery Banks	...	...	Llandoverly	...	D. Jones and Co.	...	7801
Naval Bank	...	...	Plymouth	...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.	...	3038
Newark Bank	...	...	Newark	...	Samuel Smith and Co.	...	5285
Newmarket Bank	...	...	Newmarket	...	Hammond and Co.	...	3791
Nottingham Bank	...	...	Nottingham	...	Samuel Smith and Co.	...	13039
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	...	...	Witney	...	Gillett and Co.	...	3506
Reading Bank	...	...	Reading	...	Simonds and Co.	...	9438
Richmond Bank	...	...	Richmond	...	Roper and Co.	...	2924
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank	...	...	Sleaford	...	Peacock and Co.	...	8974
Wallingford Bank	...	...	Wallingford	...	Hedges, Wells, and Co.	...	957
Wellington Somerset Bank	...	...	Wellington	...	Fox, Fowler, and Co.	...	3669
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank	...	...	Wakefield	...	Leatham, Tew, and Co.	...	14420
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank	...	...	Worcester	...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.	...	13532
York and East Riding Bank	...	...	Beverley	...	Beckett and Co.	...	40637

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven	11174
Bradford Banking Company Limited	Bradford	18202
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Bradford	10354
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	Carlisle	25687
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	Carlisle	34810
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	Halifax	5623
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax	7190
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Halifax	12027
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	Harrogate	18490
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	Lancaster	46221
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	Lincoln	40460
North and South Wales Bank Limited	Liverpool	44805
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham	23234
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester	18757
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	Sheffield	5742
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Sheffield	10538
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	Sheffield	12166
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	Stamford	37057
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	Langport	108441
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	Wakefield	6199
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	Huddersfield	9596
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Whitehaven	27111
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	Salisbury	64471
York City and County Banking Company Limited	York	90578
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	Leeds	90653
York Union Banking Company Limited	York	72897

ERNEST CLEAVE, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, April 13, 1901.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of March, 1901.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 9th day of April, 1901.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	Sheffield	5739

ERNEST CLEAVE, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, April 18, 1901.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended April 13th, 1901, 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.
Bedford	5	19	Warwick	3	35
Buckingham	2	1	Wilts	2	8
Isle of Ely	10	27	York, East Riding	1	...
Chester	6	29	„ West Riding	6	13
Derby	1	1	WALES.		
Durham	1	6	Denbigh	1	5
Gloucester	3	20	Glamorgan	2	1
Hants	5	13	SCOTLAND.		
Hereford	4	17	Argyll	2	12
Hertford	6	20	Ayr	1	...
Lancaster	5	19	Forfar	1	2
Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey	1	5	Renfrew	2	7
Norfolk	12	19	TOTAL		
Northampton	3	6		97	317
Notts	2	1			
Salop	3	8			
Somerset	5	22			
Stafford	2	1			

* 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:—

Bedfordshire.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Bedford; and also comprising the boroughs of Bedford and Luton (1 April, 1901).

Buckinghamshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Stoke and Burnham, and the parishes of Hughenden, West Wycombe, Chepping Wycombe Rural, Little Marlow, Wooburn, and Hedsor, in the administrative county of Buckingham; and also comprising the borough of Chepping Wycombe (6 September, 1900).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Hanslope, Castle Thorpe, and Haversham, in the administrative county of Buckingham (21 March, 1901).

Gloucestershire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Gloucester, in the administrative county of Gloucester; and also comprising the city of Gloucester (15 March, 1901).

Isle of Ely.—See *Norfolk and Isle of Ely.*

Kent.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Bromley, in the administrative county of Kent (11 January, 1901).

Lancashire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Leigh, Warrington, Childwall, Prescott (including its detached portion), St. Helens (including its detached portion), and Wigan (except the parish of Haigh), and the parish of Garston, in the administrative county of Lancaster; and also comprising the boroughs of St. Helens, Leigh, Warrington, Widnes, and Wigan (9 January, 1901).

Norfolk and Isle of Ely.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Freebridge Marshland and Freebridge Lynn (except the parishes of Harpley, Little Massingham, Great Massingham, Castle Acre, and West Acre), and the parishes of Heacham, Sedgeford, Fring, Snettisham, Ingoldisthorpe, Shernborne, Watlington, Tottenhill, Wormegay, Runcton Holme, South Runcton, Wallington-cum-Thorpland, Shoulham Thorpe, Shouldham, Marham, Outwell, and Upwell, in the administrative county of Norfolk; the petty sessional division of Wisbech, and the borough of Wisbech, in the administrative county of the Isle of Ely; and also comprising the borough of King's Lynn (16 April, 1901).

Northamptonshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Wellingborough, and the borough of Higham Ferrers, in the administrative county of Northampton (7 February, 1901).

Shropshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Bradford Newport and Bradford Wellington, and the parishes of Shifnal, Kemberton, Sutton Maddock, and Stockton, in the administrative county of Salop; and also comprising the borough of Wenlock (11 April, 1901).

Somersetshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Kilmersdon, and the parishes of Ashwick, Binegar, Emborrow, Chewton Mendip, East Harptree, Litton, Stone Easton, Hinton Blewett, Cameley, Farrington Gurney, Paulton, High Littleton, Clutton, Chelwood, Farmborough, Timsbury, Priston, Camerton, Dunkerton, Combe Hay, and Wellow, in the administrative county of Somerset (12 November, 1900).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896 (continued).

Staffordshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Lichfield and Brownhills, the parishes of Longdon, and Curborough and Elmhurst, and the borough of Lichfield, in the administrative county of Stafford (11 April, 1901).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Amblecote, Kingswinford, Brierley Hill, Quarry Board of Agriculture, 16th April, 1901.

Bank, and Kinver, in the administrative county of Stafford (11 April, 1901).

Wiltshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Salisbury and Amesbury, and the borough of Wilton, in the administrative county of Wilts; and also comprising the city of Salisbury (28 December, 1900).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended April 13th, 1901, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

ANTHRAX.			FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.			
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.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.			
	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
Bedford	1	1	Essex	2	...	8
Dorset	1	8	GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
Hants	1	6	County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous Week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
Hertford	1	2	ENGLAND.			
Suffolk	1	1		No.	No.	No.
Westmorland	2	2	Hertford	1	...	1
Wilts	2	3	Kent ... ..	...	1	...
SCOTLAND.			London	16	...	22
			Middlesex	1	...	2
Aberdeen	3	3	Northampton	1	...	1
Banff	1	1	Stafford	1	...	1
Perth	1	8	Surrey ... ..	...	1	...
Wigtown	1	1	Warwick	1	...	1
TOTAL			SCOTLAND.			
	15	36	Lanark ... ..	...	...	1
			TOTAL			
				21	2	29

* 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.—The County of Brecon (17 December, 1900).

Carmarthenshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Llandovery, Llandeilo, Llanelly, Carmarthen,

Newcastle-in-Emlyn, and Llanfihangel-Ar-Arth, and the boroughs of Kidwelly and Llandovery, in the administrative county of Carmarthen. Borough of Carmarthen (15 October, 1900.)

Glamorgan.—The parishes of Llangiwig, Cilybebyll, Ynys-y-Mond, Rhyngdwycladach, Mawr and Llandeilo-Talybont, in the administrative county of Glamorgan (15 October, 1900).

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).		Pleuro-Pneumonia.			Babies.		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 April 13, 1901	No. 15	No. 36	No. 2	No. 8	No. 21	No. 29	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. 97	No. 317
Corresponding week in	1900	11	15	...	...	21	44	...	...	...	...	30	666
	1899	13	32	...	...	19	29	...	...	...	...	53	550
	1898	18	28	...	...	11	20	...	...	1	...	57	980
Total for 15 weeks, 1901	194	296	12	660	352	612	...	...	...	...	1	818	3,823
Corresponding period in	1900	168	268	7	99	308	571	...	...	...	...	513	6,954
	1899	159	314	...	...	204	377	...	...	1	...	697	9,323
	1898	185	285	...	...	223	420	1	1	220	9	702	13,256

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

Board of Agriculture, 16th April, 1901.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00132 of 1901.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Smelting Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Corporation by the High Court of Justice was, on the 12th day of April, 1901, presented to the Court by George A. Watson and Co. Limited, of 81, Tower-buildings, Liverpool. 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 24th day of April, 1901; and any creditor or contributory of the said Corporation 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 Corporation requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

WALTONS, JOHNSON, BUBB, and WHATTON,
101, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C.,
Solicitors for the Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 23rd day of April, 1901.

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

Mr Justice Wright.
00168 of 1898.
0009 of 1901.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to

1890; and in the Matter of the Aranco Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Arrangement Act, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an Order dated the 25th March, 1901, Mr. Registrar Hood has directed separate Meetings to be convened of (1) the holders of 5 per cent. debenture bonds (2) the holders of 6 per cent. debenture bonds (3) the unsecured creditors and (4) the contributories of the above named Company for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, approving with or without modification a scheme of arrangement proposed to be made between the said Company and the said debenture bond holders and the said unsecured creditors. A copy of the said scheme can be seen and forms of proxy obtained at the office of the above named Company situate at Nos. 55 and 56, Bishopsgate-street Within, London, E.C., or at the offices of Messrs. Blunt and Co., of No. 95, Gresham-street, London, E.C., Solicitors, or at the office of Messrs. Budd Johnsons and Jecks, of 24, Austin Friars, London, E.C., the Solicitors for the Liquidator. Such Meetings will be held respectively at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1901, at 12 o'clock at noon, for the holders of the 5 per cent. debenture bonds, at 2 o'clock P.M. for the holders of the 6 per cent. debenture bonds, at 3 o'clock P.M. for the unsecured creditors, and at 3.30 o'clock P.M. for the contributories. The Court has appointed Edwin Waterhouse, the Liquidator of the said Company, to act as Chairman of the said Meetings. The said debenture bond holders, unsecured creditors, and contributories may attend at such Meetings and vote either personally or by proxy. The debenture bond holders and the holders of share warrants must to enable them to vote at the above Meetings produce their bonds or share warrants at the office of the Company situate at Nos. 55 and 56, Bishopsgate-street Within aforesaid, not later than 4 o'clock P.M. on Friday, the 26th April, 1901, and on such production certificates will be given entitling them to attend and vote at such

Meetings respectively.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

EDWIN WATERHOUSE, 3, Frederick's-place,
Old Jewry, London, E.C., Liquidator of
the above named Company.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of April 12,
1901.]

Northern Distilleries Limited, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Note having been presented to the Right Honourable the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Lord Stormonth-Darling, Ordinary,—Mr. M'Cauley, Clerk), for John Mackintosh Macleod, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, and Robert Alexander Murray, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Liquidators of the Northern Distilleries Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and having its registered office at Gartloch Distillery, Garnkirk, appointed by Interlocutor of the said Lords of Council and Session, dated 26th January, 1901, pronounced in petition by Finlay MacLintock, Oakbank, Balloch, and John Crosbie, 93, George-street, Glasgow, for winding up of the said Company, praying their Lordships, inter alia, to order and ordain all creditors of the Company to lodge their claims and grounds of debt with the Liquidators by the 15th day of May, 1901, and to order and ordain notice of such order for claims to be advertised by the Liquidators once in each of the London and Edinburgh Gazettes, and twice a week for two consecutive weeks in the following newspapers, viz.:—Scotsman, Glasgow Herald, Inverness Courier, Aberdeen Journal, and in such other newspapers as their Lordships may think proper, Lord Stormonth-Darling, on 10th April, 1901, pronounced an Interlocutor, inter alia, ordering and ordaining all creditors of the Company to lodge their claims and grounds of debt with the Liquidators by the 15th day of May, 1901, and appointing notice of said order for claims to be advertised in the newspapers named in the prayer of said Note, and as therein craved.

Of all which intimation is hereby given.

And all creditors of the said Company are required to lodge with the Liquidators their claims and grounds of debts on or before 15th May, 1901, accordingly.

JAMESON, MACLAE, and BAIRD, Writers,
Glasgow,

DAVIDSON and SYME, W.S., Edinburgh,
Agents for the Liquidators.

11th April, 1901.

In the Matter of the Chesapeake Steam Ship
Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"Whereas the Steam Ship 'Chesapeake' formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867."

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Delaware Steam Ship
Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"Whereas the Steam Ship 'Delaware' formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867."

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Genesee Steam Ship
Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"Whereas the Steam Ship 'Genesee' formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867."

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Hudson Steam Ship
Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"Whereas the Steam Ship 'Hudson' formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867."

And at such last-mentioned Meeting William

Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Lackawanna Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

“Whereas the Steam Ship ‘Lackawanna’ formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Ottawa Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

“Whereas the Steam Ship ‘Elbruz’ formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Osceola Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

“Whereas the Steam Ship ‘Osceola’ formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London,

E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Potomac Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

“Whereas the Steam Ship ‘Potomac’ formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Suwanee Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

“Whereas the Steam Ship ‘Suwanee’ formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Tuscarora Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

“Whereas the Steam Ship ‘Tuscarora’ formerly belonging to this Company having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London,

E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Weehawken Steam Ship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"Whereas the Steam Ship 'Weehawken' formerly belonging to this Company, having been sold and transferred out of the ownership of this Company, and whereas the said steamship was the only steamship owned by this Company, it was resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867."

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Albro Hawkins, of No. 22, Billiter-street, London, E.C., was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—April 12th, 1901.

JAS. McDONALD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Henry Street Mill Company Limited

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Messrs. Butcher Litton and Pownall, 42, Spring-gardens, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 10th day of April, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the same Meeting Mr. Alfred Herbert Pownall, of 42, Spring-gardens, Manchester aforesaid, Chartered Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1901.

Z. W. BROWN, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

Special Resolution of the Electric Street Car Manufacturing Syndicate, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 47, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton, on the 8th day of March, 1901, 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 26th day of March, 1901, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Michael Fletcher be appointed Liquidator."

EDWIN THORLEY PARKER, Chairman.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

The Consolidated Gold Mines of Western Australia, Limited.

Special Resolution. Passed 11th March, 1901.

Confirmed 26th March, 1901.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Institute of

Chartered Accountants Moorgate-place, London, E.C., on the 11th day of March, 1901, the following resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at Nos. 3 and 4, Great Winchester-street, London, E.C., on the 26th day of March, 1901, the following resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution:—

The resolution above referred to.—1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily under provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and that Mr. R. Lawrence Spicer, of 3 and 4, Great Winchester-street, London, E.C., be appointed the Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 10th day of April, 1901.

JOHN CHESTER, Chairman.

The Gold Coin Mining Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, No. 24, Coleman-street, London, E.C., on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

Resolution.—That this Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable that the same should be wound up voluntarily, and that the Company be wound up accordingly.

That Mr. George Browning, of 58, Coleman-street, London, E.C., Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company for the purposes of such winding up.

Dated this tenth day of April, 1901.

CHARLES J. KNELLER, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

Kydd and Kydd Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, Frodsham, in the county of Chester, on the 9th day of April, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed, viz.:—

"That it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, it is hereby resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. W. E. Mounsey, of 3, Lord-street, Liverpool, be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator to conduct such winding up."

J. G. KYDD, Chairman.

The Associated Financial Corporation, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of April, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

Resolution.—That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting, that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Edwin Fewings, of Broad-street-avenue, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

HORATIO BOTTOMLEY.

Extraordinary Resolutions.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of the Alabama Gold Mining Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at Worcester House, Walbrook, in the city

of London, on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed, viz. :—

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

2. "That Thomas Gray, of Worcester House, Walbrook, in the city of London, Accountant, be, and he is hereby appointed, Liquidator, at a remuneration of £10."

ARTHUR L. PEARSE, Chairman.

In the Matter of Barff Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at No. 144, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on the ninth day of April, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed :—

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

And at such Meeting, Mr. Arthur Goddard, of 46 and 47, London Wall, in the city of London, Chartered Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.—Dated 9th April, 1901. G. W. T. WOOD, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898, and of the Carlton Bank, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 38, Finsbury-pavement, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 9th day of February, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed, viz. :—

1. 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 the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. That Mr. Henry Valentine Park, of No. 6, Shrubland-road, Dalston, London, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up. E. J. OLIVER, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Tella Camera Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at Number 110, Shaftesbury-avenue, London, W., on the 15th day of March, 1901, 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 2nd day of April, 1901, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that William Dunmore, of 'The Cedars,' Stoneygate, in the county borough of Leicester, Gentleman, be, and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1901.

WM. DUNMORE, Chairman.

In the Matter of the British Loan Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held on the 8th day of March, 1901, 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 29th day of March, 1901, the following resolutions were duly confirmed :—

"That it is desirable to sell the assets and undertaking of the Company to the Imperial Loan Company, Limited, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. T. R. Pickett, of 156, Fleet-street, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

"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 Imperial Loan Company 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 Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the Imperial Loan Company in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect, with such, if any, modifications as he may think expedient."

H. WELLS EAMES, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1855 to 1892.

(Isle of Man.)

In the Matter of the Manx Cycle and Motor (Hiring) Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at St. George's-chambers, 1, Athol-street, in the town of Douglas, in the Isle of Man, on Wednesday, the 27th day of March, 1901, the following resolution was duly passed :—

(1.) "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.

(2.) "That William Francis Price, of 50, Athol-street, Douglas, Isle of Man, Accountant, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

CHAS. WM. COOLE, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Oak Manufacturing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, held at the offices of Messrs. Joseph Eastwood and Company, 5, Cross-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 22nd day of March, 1901, the following Special Resolution was passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, held at the same place, on the 9th day of April, 1901, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed, namely :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and that Messrs. James William Travis Cocker, of Alderley Edge, and Jabez Kay, of Haslingden, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up."

JAMES W. T. COCKER, Chairman of the Meetings.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

Special Resolution of the Newbury Estates and Investment Company, Limited.

Passed 14th March, 1901.

Confirmed 4th April, 1901.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Mr. W. H. Belcher, Solicitor, Newbury, in the county of Berks, on the 14th day of March, 1901, the following resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the

Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the offices Mr. W. H. Belcher, aforesaid, on the 4th day of April, 1901, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company should not continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily.”

And at such last mentioned Meeting, Messrs. Edmund Parfitt, Alfred Jackson, and William Skinner, were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up.

EDMUND PARFITT, Chairman of Meeting
on 14th March, 1901.

WM. SKINNER, Chairman of Meeting on
4th April, 1901.

The Nannine Consolidated Gold Mines, Limited.
Special Resolutions.

Passed 4th March, 1901.

Confirmed 1st April, 1901.

AT Extraordinary General Meetings of the above named Company, duly convened and held respectively on the 4th day of March, 1901, and the 1st day of April, 1901, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed and confirmed:—

Resolutions.—1. “That the re-organization scheme, as sent to the Shareholders, and the draft agreement now produced to this Meeting, referring to the same, and purporting to be made between this Company and the Liquidator thereof, and the proposed new Company, are hereby approved.”

2. “That, having regard to the said scheme and draft agreement, it is desirable to wind up this Company, and accordingly that the Nannine Consolidated Gold Mines, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Edward Joseph Townsend, of 52, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator at a fee of fifty guineas and out-of-pocket expenses.”

3. “That the said Liquidator of this Company be, and is hereby authorized to carry the said scheme and agreement into effect, with such modifications (if any) as shall be agreed upon, and that he be authorized and required to distribute in kind amongst the Members of this Company, in proportion to the number of shares held by them respectively, the 120,000 shares in the new Company of £1 each (credited with 15s. per share as paid up thereon) referred to in the said scheme and agreement, so that each Member of this Company shall be entitled to have his or her proportion thereof under the said scheme allotted to himself or herself, or his or her nominees, on claiming the same in the manner and within the time required by the Liquidator, in accordance with the said scheme and agreement.”

JOHN NEWMARCH, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of the Nannine Consolidated Gold Mines Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before Monday, the 13th day of May, 1901, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Mr. Edward Joseph Townsend, of 52, Queen Victoria-street, in the city and county of London, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors, or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before

such debts are proved.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

ARBER and LEWIS, 11, Old Jewry-chambers, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Liquidator.

In the Matter of Thomas Scott and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the first day of June 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 George William Townend, of Goole, 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 12th day of April, 1901.

HIND, SON, and BURNISTON, Goole, Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of Berry and Phillips Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May, 1901, 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 Henry Vale, of Ramsden-square, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, 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 April, 1901.

S. M. S. TOWNSEND, Solicitor to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Oak Manufacturing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 17th day of May, 1901, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to the Liquidators of the Company at Messrs. Joseph Eastwood and Co., 5, Cross-street, in the city of Manchester; and if required by notice in writing from the Liquidators, or from 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 13th day of April, 1901.

H. BOOTH and SONS, Queen-street, Oldham, Solicitors for the Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Anglo-Westralian Development Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 22nd day of May, 1901, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Augustus Cecil Weller, of 9, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., the Liquidator of the above Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are personally, or by their Solicitors, to

come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

A. CECIL WELLES, Liquidator.

A. Olley and Co. (Enfield) Limited.
In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1901, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to the undersigned, Liquidator of the said Company; 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 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 12th day of April, 1901.

E. G. DAVIES, Chartered Accountant, 1,
Lombard-court, E.C., Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Electrical Vehicle Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Alfred Holmes, of Portland-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Electrical Engineer, 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 15th day of April, 1901.

GRESHAM, DAVIES, and DALLAS, 12, Old
Jewry-chambers, E.C., Solicitors to the
above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Townana Gold Mines of
Western Australia Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, 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 us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from us, 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 12th day of April, 1901.

BIRCHALLS, 85, Gracechurch-street,
London, E.C., Solicitors for Alfred
Samuel Peake, of 80, Coleman-street,
London, E.C., the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Universal Corporation of
Western Australia Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, 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 us, the

undersigned, the Solicitors for the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from us, 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 12th day of April, 1901.

BIRCHALLS, 85, Gracechurch-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for Alfred Samuel Peake, of 80, Coleman-street, London, E.C., the Liquidator.

F. Madeley and Company Limited.
In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 17, Newhall-street, Birmingham, on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1901, 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 this 12th day of April, 1901.

THOMAS ASTON, Liquidator.

Haslingden Land and Building 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 Mr. Robert Kidd Whitaker, 126, Blackburn-road, Haslingden, in the county of Lancaster, on the 23rd day of May next, at 6.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 12th day of April, 1901.

ROBERT WAITE, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1852 to 1893.

The General Council of Safe Medicine Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the General Council of Safe Medicine Limited, will be held at 20, New Oxford-street, W.C., on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1901, at 6.30 o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them by the Liquidator (pursuant to section 142), showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

ROBT. HOARE, Liquidator.

In the Matter of Tippings Wheel Plateways
Company Limited. In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at 30, Norfolk-street, W.C., on Tuesday, the 21st May, 1901, 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 hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 4th day of April, 1901.

J. D. STEWART BOGLE, A.C.A., Liquidator.

HENRY P. SPOTTISWOODE, Solicitor to the said Liquidator.

The Associated Murchison Gold Mines Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 11, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., on Monday, 20th May, 1901, at 3 P.M., to receive the Liquidator's report, showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and its property disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 12th April, 1901.

W. FENTON PUGH, Liquidator.

W. STOPHER, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C., Solicitor.

The "Eureka" Salt Manufacturing Company Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the registered offices of the Company, No. 33, Tower-buildings West, Water-street, Liverpool, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May next, at twelve 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 13th day of April, 1901.

STONE, FLETCHER, HULL and STONE, 42, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Liquidator.

The Phoenix Barge Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Associated Portland Cement Manufacturers (1900) Limited, situate at No. 95, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1901, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the Liquidators.—Dated the 13th day of April, 1901.

JOHN MCGOWAN, } Liquidators.
IVAN ARTHUR MORRIS, }

FREDERIC T. MEDCALF, Solicitor, of the firm of Deacon, Gibson, Medcalf, and Marriott, 9, Great St. Helen's, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Liquidators.

The Phoenix Portland Cement Company Limited
NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Associated Portland Cement Manufacturers (1900) Limited, situate at No. 96, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., on Thursday, the 16th

day of May, 1901, at 1.15 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.—Dated the 13th day of April, 1901.

JOHN MCGOWAN, } Liquidators.
IVAN ARTHUR MORRIS, }

FREDERIC T. MEDCALF, Solicitor, of the firm of Deacon, Gibson, Medcalf, and Marriott, 9, Great St. Helen's, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Liquidators.

"Moritz Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 10, Bolt-court, Fleet-street, London, E.C., on Friday, the 17th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report, showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and other documents of the Company.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901. G. A. E. SMITH, Liquidator.

The Blackburn Exchange 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 Exchange, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1901, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidators thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 13th day of April, 1901.

JAMES HOYLE, Chairman of, and on behalf of the Liquidators.

W. Gall Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 5, Acanthia-street, Cambridge, on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1901, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1901. JOSIAH CHATER, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900 and of the Workington Hematite Iron and Steel 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 registered offices of the Workington Iron Company, Limited, Workington, on Tuesday, the 28th day of May, 1901, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon,

for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanations that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

BROWN, AULD, and BROWN, 12, Scotch-street, Whitehaven, and 28, Station-road, Workington, Solicitors for the Liquidator.

Wivenhoe Gas and Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Extraordinary and Final General Meeting of the Members of and in the Wivenhoe Gas and Coal Company, Limited, will be held, pursuant to section one hundred and forty-two of the Companies Act eighteen hundred and sixty-two, at the Black Boy Inn, Wivenhoe, in the county of Essex, on Monday, the 20th day of May, nineteen hundred and one, at seven o'clock in the evening precisely, for the purpose of having the accounts of the final winding up laid before them by the Liquidator, showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and hearing any explanation that may be given to them by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution (pursuant to section one hundred and fifty-five of the principal Act) the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of; and of passing any other resolution that may be deemed necessary or advisable for the final closing of the said liquidation.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

FRANK C. PRICE, Liquidator.

CHAS. E. DENTON, Colchester, Solicitor.

Anglo-Westralian Development Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at No. 9, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 23rd day of May, 1901, 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.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

A. CECIL WELLER, Liquidator.

In the Matter of North and East Coolgardie Developments Syndicate, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, at 54, Old Broad-street, E.C., in order to receive an account, showing how the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1901.

A. O. CHUDLEIGH, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of Hillsdon and Stones Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Mr. Richard Brooks, Solicitor, 24, Lawrence-lane, Cheapside, in the city of London, on Thursday,

the 16th day of May next, at 2.30 o'clock P.M. precisely, for the purposes of receiving the Liquidator's account, showing how the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given relative thereto; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator, are to be disposed of.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901. JOSEPH EDWARD STONES, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

The Steamship Manauense Company, Limited.
In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the registered offices of the Company, 10 and 11, Lime-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report, showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and its property disposed of; to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and other documents of the Company.—Dated the twelfth day of April, 1901.

DAVID BRUCE, Liquidator.

The Eden Pantomime Trust Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the Eden Pantomime Trust Limited, will be held at 5, Buckingham-road, Brighton, on Friday, the seventeenth day of May, 1901, at seven o'clock P.M., precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them by the Liquidator (pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862), showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator. J. W. STRIPP, Liquidator.

Hartridges Smokeless Fuel Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 3, Crown-court, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1901, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 12th day of April, 1901.

J. ROBBIE WHAMOND, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the Fortis Powder and Explosives Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 80A, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1901, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the liquidation has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Com-

pany, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

GEO. S. BANKART, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Grey and Henry Grey, carrying on business as Lightermen, at Number 3, Love-lane, in the city of London, under the style or firm of "Henry Grey, junior," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of March, 1901. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Grey. And that in future such business will be carried on by the said Henry Grey, Thomas Hopkins Woodward and George Woodward.—Dated this twelfth day of April, 1901.

ROBERT GREY.
HENRY GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Miller Thompson and John Pratt Thompson, carrying on business as Cabinet Makers and Timber Merchants, at 36 and 55, Dunloe-street and 41, Brunswick-street, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of "E. M. Thompson and Sons," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of March, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Miller Thompson, at 41, Brunswick-street, Shoreditch, aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1901.

W. M. THOMPSON.
J. P. THOMPSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Atkinson Hill and John Thomas Hume, carrying on business as Coopers, at 40, Danbury-street, London, N., formerly under the style or firm of Hill and Son, but lately of Hill and Hume, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 2nd day of April, 1901. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Thomas Hume.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1901.

CHA. A. HILL.
JOHN T. HUME.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Walter Seawell Ward, of 44, Lessar-avenue, Clapham Common, in the county of Surrey, Tailor, and Andrew Maconie, of 29, Robertson-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Tailor, carrying on business as Tailors and Outfitters, at No. 15, Hanover-street, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Ward and Maconie, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 1st day of January, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Walter Seawell Ward.—Dated 11th day of April, 1901.

W. S. WARD.
A. MACONIE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Mead and James Willsher, carrying on business as Builders, at Dovercourt, in the county of Essex, under the style or firm of Mead and Willsher, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 12th day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Willsher.—Dated 12th day of April, 1901.

GEORGE MEAD.
JAMES WILLISHER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Duckitt Knight, Noel Dudley Knight, and Thomas Edmund Knight, carrying on business as Stuff Merchants, at 6, Booth-street, in the city of Bradford, under the style or firm of "Knight Bros.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 10th day of April, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received or paid by the said Henry Duckitt Knight and Thomas Edmund Knight, by whom the business will henceforth be carried on.—Dated this 10th day of April 1901.

H. D. KNIGHT.
NOEL DUDLEY KNIGHT.
T. E. KNIGHT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, David Jones Powell and David Edwards, carrying on business as Iron and Metal Merchants, at 4, Wind-street, in the county borough of Swansea, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the date hereof.—Dated the 12th day of April, 1901.

DAVID EDWARDS.
D. JONES POWELL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William George John Francis and James Kerr, carrying on business as Woolen Manufacturers, at Llanidloes, in the county of Montgomery, under the style or firm of "George Francis and Kerr," has been dissolved by mutual consent, the said John Francis retiring therefrom as and from the eleventh day of April, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William George and James Kerr.—Dated the eleventh day of April, 1901.

WILLIAM GEORGE.
JOHN FRANCIS.
JAMES KERR.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Church and William Hutton, carrying on business as Drapers at Commerce House, High-street, Chatham, in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of "Church and Hutton," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 10th day of April, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Church who will continue to carry on the business.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1901.

GEO. CHURCH.
WILLIAM HUTTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Bowmer Fletcher and Jonathan Fletcher, carrying on business as Millers, Corn Factors, and Farmers, at Milford, near Derby, under the style or firm of Fletcher Brothers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of March, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Jonathan Fletcher.—Dated 9th day of April, 1901.

THOMAS BOWMER FLETCHER.
JONATHAN FLETCHER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Pile and Charles Henry Bass, carrying on business as Shipwrights and Boat Builders, at Cardiff, Barry, and Penarth, under the style or firm of Pile and Bass, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 25th day of March, 1901. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Pile.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1901.

C. H. BASS.
GEORGE PILE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Barton and Joseph Barton, carrying on business as Farmers, at Gascow Farm, near Ulverston, and at the Park Farm, Dalton-in-Furness, both in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of "W. and J. Barton," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 23rd day of March, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid as to the business carried on at Gascow Farm aforesaid by the said William Barton, who will carry on business there in his own name and on his own account, and as to the business carried on at the Park Farm aforesaid by the said Joseph Barton, who will carry on business there in his own name and on his own account.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

WILLIAM BARTON.
JOSEPH BARTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Goldseller and Fanny Goldseller, carrying on business as General Merchants, at No. 37, Back George-street, Manchester, under the style or firm of Israel Goldseller, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 28th day of February, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Benjamin Goldseller, who will continue the business at the said address.—Dated the ninth day of March, 1901.

BENJAMIN GOLDSSELLER.
The
FANNY x GOLDSSELLER,
Mark of.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Clegg and Edmund Clegg, carrying on business as Mineral Water Manufacturer, at Hanging Heaton, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Clegg and Son, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the eleventh day of April, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edmund Clegg.—Dated 11th day of April, 1901.

JOSEPH CLEGG.
EDMUND CLEGG.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Caleb William Roberts, of Wollaston Hall, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, Ironmaster and Timber Merchant, and John Hough, of Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Mining Engineer, carrying on business as Colliery Proprietors, at the Tiled House Colliery, Pensnett, in the said county of Stafford, under the style or firm of John Hough and Co., was on the 25th day of March, 1901, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Caleb William Roberts by whom the business will in future be carried on in the said name of John Hough and Co.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1901.

CALEB WILLIAM ROBERTS.
JOHN HOUGH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Christopher Mardon Taylor and Alan Barcham Green, trading under the style or firm of "Taylor and Bodley," at Northam's Foundry, Commercial-road, Exeter, as Ironfounders, Engineers, and Millwrights, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of January, 1900. All debts due to and from the firm will be received and paid by the said Alan Barcham Green, who will henceforth carry on the business for his own benefit, under the style of "Taylor and Bodley."—Dated this 10th day of April, 1901.

C. M. TAYLOR.
ALAN B. GREEN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert George Towler, of 12, Bedford-avenue, Clarendon-road, Moss Side, in the city of Manchester, and James Thornley, of the same place, carrying on business as Paint Grinders, at Brownsfield Mills, Great Ancoats-street, in the said city of Manchester, under the style or firm of "The Trade Paint-Grinding Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 12th day of April, one thousand nine hundred and one.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

R. G. TOWLER.
JAS. THORNLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Owen Milner and Albert Edward Diggett, carrying on business as Furniture Manufacturers and Dealers, at 114, Duke-street, in the city of Liverpool, under the style or firm of "Milner and Diggett," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 12th day of April, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Albert Edward Diggett, and the business will in future be carried on by him under the style or firm of "Milner and Diggett."—Dated the 12th day of April, 1901.

W. O. MILNER.
A. E. DIGGETT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ellen Emily Blogg and Ethel Garland, carrying on business as Drapers, &c., at High-street, Dorking, under the style or firm of "Blogg and Garland," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said Ellen Emily Blogg who for the future will carry on the business on her own account.—Dated this 14th day of April, 1901.

ELLEN EMILY BLOGG.
ETHEL GARLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Nelson Frost and William Key Adams, carrying on business as Drapers, at Wholesale House, Birmingham-street, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, and Park-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Frost and Adams, was dissolved as and from the 11th day of April, 1901, by mutual consent.—Dated the 11th day of April, 1901.

THOMAS NELSON FROST.
WILLIAM KEY ADAMS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles William Outram and William Hassall, carrying on business as Sanitary Earthenware Manufacturers and Brickmakers, at Woodville, in the county of Derby, under the style or firm of "C. W. Outram and Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred. All debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Hassall, by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on under the same style.—Dated this fourth day of April, 1901.

C. W. OUTRAM.
WM. HASSALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Steel and William Harriman Allen, carrying on business as Builders' Merchants, at Gill Bridge-avenue, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, under the style or firm of "Steel and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 30th day of September, 1900. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alfred Steel.—Dated this twenty-eighth day of March, 1901.

ALFRED STEEL.
W. H. ALLEN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Hunter and Thomas John Hunter, carrying on business as Builders and Contractors, at Washington, in the county of Durham, under the style or firm of Thomas Hunter, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 28th day of February, 1901. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Hunter, who will continue to carry on the said business at Washington aforesaid.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1901.

THOS. HUNTER.
THOMAS JOHN HUNTER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Otter, Henry Hall Richardson, George Hastings, and George Maw, as Farmers, at the Outland Farm, Gringley-on-the-Hill, Notts, under the style or firm of "The Co-operative Farm," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 25th day of March, 1901, so far as Thomas Otter is concerned.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1901.

THOMAS OTTER.
HENRY HALL RICHARDSON.
GEORGE HASTINGS.
GEORGE MAW.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ethel Maud Hale and Ada Edith Emily Haynes, carrying on business as Dressmakers and Milliners, formerly at No. 105, Great Portland-street, but now at 110, Great Portland-street, in the county of London, under the style or firm of Hale and Haynes, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 23rd day of March, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Ethel Maud Hale.—Dated 15th day of April, 1901.

ETHEL M. HALE.
ADA E. E. HAYNES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Herbert Firth, Fred Firth, Samuel Firth, and Cooper Firth, carrying on business at Colne-road Mills, Huddersfield, in the county of York, as Woollen Manufacturers, under the style or firm of "Firth Brothers," was on the first day of August, 1900, dissolved by effluxion of time. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said Herbert Firth and Fred Firth, who will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the said firm.—As witness our hands this thirtieth day of January, 1901.

HERBERT FIRTH. SAMUEL FIRTH.
FRED FIRTH. COOPER FIRTH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Anthony George Edwards and John Bartholomew Parker, carrying on business as Grocers and Provision Dealers, at Clevedon, in the county of Somerset, under the style or firm of "Parker and Edwards," was dissolved as and from the 30th day of March, 1901, by mutual consent.—Dated the 12th day of April, 1901.

ANTHONY GEORGE EDWARDS.
JOHN B. PARKER.

Pursuant under the Partnerships Act, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I the undersigned, having for some time past carried on business under the name of Ward Armstrong and Co., in conjunction with the American firm bearing that name, as Merchants, at 53, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, hereby give notice that in future I shall carry on the said business in my own name, under the same style, and will be personally responsible for all liabilities and transactions as and from the 1st day of April, 1901.—Dated the 13th day of April, 1901.

RÉGINALD WARD.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action between Charles Birkett, plaintiff, and Mary Ann Middleton, wife of David Middleton, defendant, 1901, B., No. 586. Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the said Charles Birkett and Mary Ann Middleton, carrying on business as Stone Merchants, at City-road Station, Bradford, in the county of York,

under the style or firm of C. Birkett and N. Middleton, has been dissolved by the Order of the Court as and from the 2nd day of February, 1901. Particulars of the debts due to and owing by the said late firm must be sent before the 30th of April, 1901, to James Cousin, of Shipley, in the county of York, Accountant, the Receiver appointed by the Court in the said action. And notice is hereby given that the said Receiver will not be liable to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

JOHN B. ATKINSON, Yorkshire Bank-chambers,
Shipley, Solicitor for the Receiver.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of April 12, 1901.]

NOTICE.

Kelso, 8th April, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the sole interest in the business carried on under the firm of Redpath and Company, Hardware and General Merchants and Manufacturers, Tweedside Works, Kelso, by the late John Thompson, Hardware and General Merchant and Manufacturer, Kelso (of which firm he was, at the time of his death, the sole Partner), and which has since his death been carried on by John Thomas Thompson and George Henry Thompson, sons of the said deceased John Thompson, for behoof of Mistress Marion White or Thompson, widow and executrix of the said deceased John Thompson, has been acquired by the said John Thomas Thompson and George Henry Thompson, as at 31st December, 1900, from which date the said business will be carried on by the said John Thomas Thompson and George Henry Thompson for their own behoof and at their own risk, under the firm name of Redpath and Company.

The new firm of Redpath and Company will collect all sums due to, and pay all debts due by, the late firm.

MARION WHITE THOMPSON,
Executrix of the said John Thompson.

JOHN T. THOMPSON.
GEO. H. THOMPSON.

Jas. M'Laren, Clerk to Messieurs James and David W. B. Tait, Writers to the Signet, Kelso, witness to the signatures of the said Marion White Thompson, John T. Thompson, and Geo. H. Thompson.

David M. Sturrock, Law Agent's Apprentice to David Wardlaw Brown Tait, Writer to the Signet, Kelso, witness to the signatures of the said Marion White Thompson, John T. Thompson, and Geo. H. Thompson.

GEORGE MILLS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Mills, late of Newton Abbot, in the county of Devon, Brewer and Maltster, deceased (who died on the 26th day of November, 1900, and whose will was proved in the District Probate Registry at Exeter of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of February, 1901, by James Stooks, Auctioneer, and Hugh Mills, Builder, both of Newton Abbot aforesaid, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the first day of June, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901.

BAKER, WAITS, ALSOP and WOOLLCOMBE,
Newton Abbot, Devon, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN BALLE PINSENT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Balle Pinsent, late of Newton Bushel, in the county of Devon, Brewer and Maltster, and Wine, Spirit and Coal Merchant, deceased, who died on the 16th day of January, 1901, and whose will (with a

codicil thereto) was proved in the District Probate Registry at Exeter of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of March, 1901, by Arthur Stephen Rendell, of Newton Abbot, in the said county of Devon, Surveyor, and Francis Waits, of Newton Abbot aforesaid, Solicitor, the executors named in the said will, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 24th day of May, 1901, 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 11th day of April, 1901.

BAKER, WAITS, ALSOP and WOOLLCOMBE,
Newton Abbot, Devon, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re GEORGE NOBLE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of George Noble, formerly of No. 5, Stannington-avenue, in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, late of 8, Laimer-street, Tynemouth, in the county of Northumberland, and carrying on business at No. 7, Dean-street, in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, as a Consulting Engineer (who died on the 18th day of January, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Probate Registry on the 11th day of April, 1901, by Mary Jane Noble and Robert James Thompson, the executrix and executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, after which date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

SEPTS. G. WARD, Clayton-chambers, 61, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Executrix and Executor.

Re JOHN ROSS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Ross, late of No. 15, Third-street, Wallsend, in the county of Northumberland, retired Mason, deceased (who died on the 25th day of January, 1901, and of whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Probate Registry, on the 21st day of March, 1901, to John Ross, the natural and lawful son and one of the next-of-kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims 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 he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

SEPTS. G. WARD, Clayton-chambers, 61, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

Miss ELEANOR JANE KENDALL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Eleanor Jane Kendall, late of Sussex House, Rowlands-road, Worthing, in the county of Sussex, Spinster (who died on the 30th day of December, 1900, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 16th day of February, 1901, by Sydney Edward Jones and Charles Edwin Day, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, to us, the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of May next, after which day the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, and will not be liable therefor to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1901.

YOUNG, JONES, and CO., 2, St. Mildred's-court, Poultry, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

ANNIE MARY COOK, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 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 debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of Annie Mary Cook, late of No 53, Liverpool-road, Birkdale, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Spinster, deceased (who died on or about the 24th day of November, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of March last, by Samuel Towle, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of May next; and notice is hereby further given, that at the expiration of such time the said executor will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

JOHN HENRY LEA, 8, Sussex-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Executor.

WILLIAM HENRY SHIRLEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Henry Shirley late of Allerton House, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Shipowner, deceased (who died on the 31st day of January, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 18th day of February, 1901, by William Miles Moss, of 31, James-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Shipowner, and John North, of 4, East-parade, in the city of Leeds, Solicitor, two of the executors therein named), are hereby requested to send in the particulars of the claims and demands to the said William Miles Moss, and John North, or either of them, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the fourth day of May, 1901; and notice is also hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1901.

NORTH and SONS, 4, East-parade, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re ALICE ROBINA JOLL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Alice Robina Joll, late of Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, deceased (who died on the 10th day of December, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of March, 1901, by Frederick Watson Joll, of the city of Cork, Ireland, and Samuel Gee Overton, of Horncastle aforesaid, two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the executors, on or before the 11th day of May, 1901, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

TWEED and OVERTON, Horncastle, Solicitors for the Executors.

MARY CONSTANCE BROWNELL, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of Mary Constance Brownell, late of 1, Royal-crescent, Bath, in the county of Somerset, Spinster (who died on the 10th day of November, 1900, and to whose estate letters of administration were

granted on the 27th day of March, 1901, to Peter Ludlam Brownell, the administrator, by His Majesty's High Court of Justice out of the Principal Probate Registry), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said Administrator, on or before the 30th day of April, 1901, after which date the administrator 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 notice; and the said administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands he shall not then have notice.—Dated the 10th day of April, 1901.

MILLER, PEEL, HUGHES, RUTHERFORD and CO., 43, Castle-street, Liverpool.

EMMA KEYES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Emma Keyes, late of 4, Powis-grove, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and of 5, Judd-street, London, in the county of Middlesex, deceased (who died on the 11th day of February, 1900, at 8, Powis-grove, Brighton aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 18th day of June, 1900, by Edward George Whittle, of Regency-square, Brighton aforesaid, Doctor of Medicine (one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said executor, or to the offices of the undersigned, his Solicitors, on or before the 18th day of May next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Emma Keyes, deceased, amongst the persons 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 11th day of April, 1901.

J. K. NYE and TREACHER, 58, Ship-street, Brighton, Solicitors for the said Executors.

FREDERIC JOHN LEWIS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Frederic John Lewis, late of No. 74, Coronation-road, Bristol, Brewer, (who died on the 11th day of October, 1900, and probate of whose will was granted in the Bristol District Registry of the Probate Division of Her late Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of November, 1900, to Edward Payne Press and Edgar Tom Harris, the executors are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 30th day of May, 1901; after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

PRESS and PRESS, Carlton-chambers, Baldwin-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the above named Edward Payne Press and Edgar Tom Harris.

CHARLES JAMES JACKSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Charles James Jackson, deceased, late of West View, 16, Higher-parade, New Brighton, in the county of Chester (who died on the 11th day of March last, and whose will was proved by Joseph Jackson, the sole executor therein named, on the 4th day of April, 1901, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, before the 11th day of May next, after which date the executor will proceed to deal with the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased so dealt with, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

GRIERSON and MASON, 34, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Executor.

Re THOMAS BUTCHER, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Butcher, late of London-road, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 20th day of September, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 29th day of October, 1900, by William Webber, of Ipswich aforesaid, Bookseller, the sole executor therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the said executor, on or before the 18th day of May, 1901; 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 11th day of April, 1901.

E. E. BLYTH, 11, Upper King-street, Norwich.
Solicitor for the said Executor.

Re THOMAS PRATT, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Pratt, late of Fernhill, Vicarage-road, King's Heath, in the county of Worcester, Railway Agent, deceased (who died on the third day of March, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Worcester District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the third day of April, 1901, by Elizabeth Pratt and Herbert Smith, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars in writing, of their claims or demands, to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the executors, on or before the fourteenth day of May, 1901, 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 eleventh day of April, 1901.

COLEY and COLEY, 63, Temple-row, Birmingham,
Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re BENJAMIN BRADSHAW, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Benjamin Bradshaw, late of Bramley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 16th March, 1880, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th August, 1880, by Susannah Isabella Bradshaw, since deceased, Annie P. Clark, and William Trickett, three of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of May, 1901, after which date the present Trustees under the will of the said Benjamin Bradshaw, deceased, 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 12th day of April, 1901.

DAY and VEWDALL, 4, Central Bank-chambers,
Leeds, Solicitors for the said Trustees.

GEORGE COZENS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and any other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Cozens, late of No. 32, Edgware-road, in the county of London, General Dealer and House Furnisher, deceased (who died on the 6th day of January, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of February, 1901, by William Robert Cozens, Sydney Frederick Cornish, and Frederick Augustus Freeman, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said

executors, on or before the 1st day of June, 1901, 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 debts, claims, or 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 debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

SAXTON and MORGAN, 29, Somerset-street,
Portman-square, London, W., Solicitors for the Executors.

Re Miss SELINA HELENA NORTHCOTE, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Selina Helena Northcote, late of Upper Nutwell Woodbury, in the county of Devon, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 4th day of February, 1901, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Exeter of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of March, 1901, by Sir William Lewis Stucley Stucley, of Hartland Abbey and Affeton Castle, in the county of Devon, Baronet, and George Ormond Kekewich, of No. 69, Queen's-road, Twickenham, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned Messrs. Battishill and Houlditch, on or before the 26th day of April next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard 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 12th day of April, 1901.

BATTISHILL and HOULDITCH, The Close,
Exeter, Solicitors.

Re WILLIAM CAME SAUNDERS, Deceased, and
ROBERT COOK SAUNDERS, Deceased.

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

ALL creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of William Came Saunders, late of Stratford-sub-Castle, in the county of Wilts, Esqre., deceased, who died on the 11th day of April, 1894, and whose will dated the 13th day of May, 1889, was proved in the Salisbury District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of May, 1894, by Georgina Saunders, since deceased, the widow of the said William Came Saunders, and the said Robert Cook Saunders, since deceased, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, Esqre. (the executors in the said will named), or against the estate of the said Robert Cook Saunders (the surviving executor of the said William Came Saunders), late of the Cedars, Ryde, Isle of Wight, deceased, who died on the 18th day of February, 1901, and by his will appointed his widow Amelia Saunders an executor thereof, are required to send on or before the 11th day of May, 1901, particulars, in writing, of such claims to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said Amelia Saunders, as executrix of the said William Came Saunders and Robert Cook Saunders, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Came Saunders and Robert Cook Saunders, having regard only to the claims of which she then has notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

HAMILTON FULTON, of Salisbury, Solicitor of
the said Executrix.

JOHN BROWN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim upon the estate of John Brown, late of Warboys, in the county of Huntingdon, Builder (who died on the 27th day of March, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry by James Brown, Montagu George Maule, and Arthur George Dilley, the three executors therein named), on the 21st day of July, 1900), are requested to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us the undersigned, on or before the 27th day of April instant, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1901.

MAULE and SONS, Huntingdon, Solicitors to
the Executors.

GEORGE BROTHERS, 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 George Brothers, late of Stoke Cottage, Stoke-road, Heavitree, near Exeter, in the county of Devon, deceased, who died on the 23rd day of December, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of January, 1901, by James George Chisman, of Upavon, in the county of Wilts, Farmer, and Richard Smith, of Saint John's Hospital, in the city of Exeter, Schoolmaster, the executors therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 6th day of May, 1901, 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 15th day of April, 1901.

GOULD and CROMPTON, 2, Bedford-circus, Exeter, Solicitors for the Executors.

AGNES TYSON, 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 Agnes Tyson, late of Little Union-street, Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died on the 29th day of December, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Lancaster Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 18th day of January, 1901, by John Smith, of Ulverston aforesaid, Wine and Spirit Merchant, the executor 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 executor, on or before the 21st day of May 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 11th day of April, 1901.

HART, JACKSON and SON, of 49, Market-street, Ulverston, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re THOMAS ALEXANDER MACBETH, 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 Thomas Alexander Macbeth, of 97, Yarburgh-street, Alexandra Park, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman (who died on the 3rd day of October, 1900, and whose will with two codicils, were proved in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 3rd day of November, 1900, by Gertrude Cecile Macbeth, of 97, Yarburgh-street, Alexandra Park, Manchester aforesaid, Spinster, and Henry Beesley, of Wirksworth, in the county of Derby, Bank Manager, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 30th day of April 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 12th day of April, 1901.

ANDREW MACBETH, Wirksworth, Derbyshire, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re SOPHIA CONSTANTIA ELTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Sophia Constantia Elton, late of the Cottage, Parkstone, Poole, in the county of Dorset,

Spinster, deceased (who died on the 18th day of December last, and whose will was on the 30th day of January last, duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by the Reverend Canon Frederick Evelyn Gardiner and Miss Louisa Josephine Lancaster, the executor and executrix therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of May next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among 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 12th day of April, 1901.

TREVANION, CURTIS, and RIDLEY, of Richmond-chambers, Bournemouth, Solicitors for the Executors.

Re WILLIAM WOOD, 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 Wood, late of Henley House, Rawdon, in the county of York, Gentleman (who died on the 6th day of March, 1901, and administration of whose estate was granted on the 3rd day of April, 1901, by the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Mary Lund Wood, of Henley House, Rawdon aforesaid, Widow), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the twentieth day of May, 1901, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall 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 eleventh day of April, 1901.

HERMAN WALMSLEY, Yeadon, near Leeds, Solicitor to the Administratrix.

Re HAROLD SMITH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Harold Smith, late of 23, Alleyn Park, West Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, and formerly of Ingleside, Colwyn Bay, North Wales, Esquire (who died on the 16th day of February, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th day of March, 1901, by Kate Smith, of 23, Alleyn Park aforesaid, Widow, and William Hodgson, of Trinity House-lane, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, Solicitor, the executors named in the said will, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the first day of May next, after which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

HOLDEN SONS and HODGSON, Trinity House-lane, Hull, Solicitors for the said Executors.

WILLIAM HENRY MARRIS, Deceased.

Notice.—Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of William Henry Marris, late of Wilnecote, in the county of Stafford, but formerly of Kibworth, Beauchamp, in the county of Leicester, and No. 6, Friar-lane, in the county borough of Leicester, Chartered Accountant, deceased, who died on or about the 10th day of January, 1901, are hereby required to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to Mr. James Sherwin Dickinson, the administrator of the estate of the deceased, before the 31st day of May, 1901, after which day the assets of the deceased will be distributed, having regard only to claims then notified.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

OWSTON, DICKINSON and SIMPSON, 23, Friar-lane, Leicester, Solicitors to the Administrator.

Re FRANCIS DOUGHTY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Frances Doughty, late of Ellesmere Port, in the county of Chester, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 13th day of February, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Chester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of February, 1901, by Harriet Penlington (wife of Alfred Penlington) and Martha Musson, Widow, the executrices therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to me the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executrices, on or before the 20th day of April next, after which date the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

FREDK. R. WILSON, 48, Hamilton-square, Birkenhead, Solicitor for the Executrices.

MARY ELIZABETH PATE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Mary Elizabeth Pate, late of Broughton Ross-road, South Norwood-hill, in the county of Surrey, Widow (who died on the 17th day of November, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of February, 1901, by William Gandy, the executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executor, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Powell and Burt, 28 and 29, St. Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, after the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

POWELL and BURT, 28 and 29, St. Swithin's-lane, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN HUNT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Vic., c. 35, s. 29.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having claims against the estate of John Hunt, late of Webheath, in the parish of Feckenham, in the county of Worcester, Brick Maker, Farmer, and Coal Dealer, deceased (who died on the 1st day of May, 1880, and whose will was proved by Charles White, late of Redditch, in the said county of Worcester, Auctioneer (since deceased), Joseph Brandon, of the same place, Grocer, and Reuben Hunt, of Webheath, near Redditch aforesaid, the executors therein named, on the 26th day of June, 1880, in the Worcester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, Solicitor of the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of May next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that date the 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 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 the 13th day of April, 1901.

EDWD. C. BROWNING, Church-road, Redditch, Solicitor for the present Executors of the Testator.

Re JOHN HENRY HAWKING BURTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Henry Hawking Burton, late of Tancred, Whixley, in the county of York, Farmer, and formerly of Spring Cottage, Portishead, Bristol, in the county of

Gloucester, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the twenty-second day of July, 1900, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the thirtieth day of August, 1900, by Florence Burton, of Tancred aforesaid, Widow, and Robert Brogden, of the Grand Hotel, Scarborough, in the North Riding of the county of York, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to Mrs. Florence Burton, of Park House, Whixley, York, on or before the eighth day of June, 1901, 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 twelfth day of April, 1901.

JOHN R. WOOD, 12, Pavement, York, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re WILLIAM BUNCHEER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Buncher, late of 27, Hall-road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Stamper and Piercer, deceased (who died on the 12th day of February, 1901, and whose will was proved by Harold Buncher, of 80, Hall-road, Handsworth aforesaid, Stamper and Piercer, Arnold Haseler, of Hall-road, Handsworth aforesaid, Jeweller, and Joseph Gilbert Rolason, of Radnor-road, Handsworth aforesaid, Jeweller, the executors therein named, on the 26th day March, 1901, in the Lichfield District 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 me, the undersigned, on or before the 16th day of May, 1901; 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 13th day of April, 1901.

W. H. EGGINTON, 39, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Executors.

Re JAMES ESLICK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Eslick, late of No. 5, Cardrew-terrace, Redruth, in the county of Cornwall (formerly of No. 7, Ambrose-terrace, Redruth aforesaid), retired Mining Captain, deceased (who died on the 29th day of January, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of May, 1900, by Thomas Dennis Jenkins, one of the surviving executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of May, 1901, 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 13th day of April, 1901.

FAIGE and GRYLLES, Redruth, Cornwall, Solicitors for the said Executor.

KATE HANNAH WHITEFORD, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of Kate Hannah Whiteford late of "Dovedale," Albion-street, New Brighton, in the county of Chester, Widow, deceased (who died on the 15th February, 1901, and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Anastasia McKay, of 30, Windsor-street, New Brighton aforesaid, on the 2nd April, 1901, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, must send particulars to us, on or before the 13th May next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to those claims of which notice shall have been received.—Dated this 12th April, 1901.

VANDYS and WILLIAMS, 5, Cook-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

HENRY MERRICK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Merrick, late of Bradford-on-Avon, in the county of Wilts, Barrister-at-Law, deceased (who died on the 25th day of October, 1900, and whose will was proved by William Merrick, the younger, of Broad-street-avenue, in the city of London, Solicitor, and Henry Summers Baynton, of Midway Manor, Bradford-on-Avon aforesaid, Esquire, the executors therein named, on the 28th day of March, 1901, 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 us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 30th day of May, 1901; 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 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 13th day of April, 1901.

MERRICK and CO, Broad-street-avenue, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Executors.

Re EDWIN HOMER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Edwin Homer, late of No. 212, Ladywood-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, retired Publican, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of January, 1901, and whose will was proved in the District Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice at Birmingham on the 27th day of February, 1901, by Edwin Homer, of Key Hill, in the city of Birmingham, Electro Tinner, and Fred Homer, of No. 33, Latimer-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Electrician, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands, to me, the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of May, 1901, 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 12th day of April, 1901.

T. W. WALTHALL, 3, Newhall-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Executors.

LOUISA GUISE HODGKINSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Louisa Guise Hodgkinson, lately residing at The Hydropathic Establishment, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, but formerly of Haigh Lawn, Bowden, in the county of Chester, and afterwards of Church View, Bowdon aforesaid, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of November, 1900, and letters of administration of whose estate was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 1st day of April, 1901, to Alexander Hodgkinson, of The Grange, Wilmslow, in the county of Chester, Doctor of Medicine, are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 31st day of May, 1901, after which date the said administrator will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1901.

ADDLESHAW WARBURTON and CO., 15, Norfolk-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re HANNAH GILL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Hannah Gill, formerly of 30, Upper Belgrave-road, Clifton, Bristol, afterwards of Livingstone Lodge, Coombe Down, Bath; Arbutus Cottage, Westbury-on-Trym, near Bristol; and late of 14, Manilla-crescent, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 29th day of Septem-

ber, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of November, 1900, by the Reverend Gordon Robertson, of the Vicarage, Sutton-on-Trent, in the county of Nottingham, Clerk in Holy Orders, and the Reverend William Parker Jones, of Shiplake, Henley-on-Thames, in the county of Oxford, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 15th day of May 1901, 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 15th day of April, 1901.

HARGREAVES and JOBLIN, 14, Market-place, Durham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re KATHERINE SOPHIA SKYNNER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of Katherine Sophia Skynner, late of 18, Upper Rock-gardens, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and of 5, Springfield-villas, Groombridge, in the county of Kent, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 6th day of March, 1901, and whose will, together with a codicil thereto, were duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of April, 1901, by Frank-Richardson, Edward George Whittle, and the Reverend John Jackson Mallaby, the executors in the said will and codicil named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June, 1901; 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 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 12th day of April, 1901.

FRANK RICHARDSON and SADLER, 28, Golden-square, London, W., Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN CHARLES SALT, 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."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Charles Salt, late of No. 61, Ennismore-gardens, London, S.W. (who died on the 11th day of February, 1901, at No. 61, Ennismore-gardens aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of March, 1901, by Frederick John Salt, Henry Salt, and Ernest Murray Pollock, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of any such debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 15th day of May, 1901, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets, and deal with the estate 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 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 12th day of April, 1901.

PRIDEAUX and SONS, Goldsmiths' Hall, London, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re JULIUS COHEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Julius Cohen, late of 36, Rotherbenmchause, in the city of Hamburg, and Empire of Germany, and a partner in the firm of Julius Cohen and Josephy, of 42, Basinghall-street, in the city of Leeds, deceased (who died on the 4th day of August, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division

of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of March, 1901, by Max Cohen, of 43, Stadthausbrücke, in the city of Hamburg aforesaid, and Bernard Josephy, of 42, Basinghall-street, in the city of Leeds aforesaid, two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the thirteenth day of May 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 12th day of April, 1901.

BARR, NELSON and CO., 4, South-parade, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Executors.

SARAH HERBERT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

ALL creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Sarah Herbert, formerly of Ranelagh-road, afterwards of Netley-villas, and late of "St. Leonards," No. 15, Mount Park-road, all in the parish of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster (who died on the 25th day of January, 1901), are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors for George Herbert and Robert Sortwell, the executors of the deceased, on or before the 1st day of June, 1901, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

PILLEY and MITCHELL, 29, Bedford-row, London, W.C., and Ealing, London, W., Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re JAMES EUSTACE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Eustace, late of Number 2, Penrhyn-view, Llandvilloyn Rhos, Colwyn Bay, in the county of Denbigh (formerly of the city of Sheffield), out of business, deceased (who died on the 30th of November, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th of February, 1901, by Thomas Henry Bishop, Walter Turton, and Charles Basford Hobbs (the executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, before the 31st of May, 1901, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th of April, 1901.

BURDEKIN, BENSON and BURDEKINS, 41, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, Solicitors to the said Executors.

THOMAS WARRINGTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Warrington, late of the Cottage, Pottery Bar, Middlesex, Esquire, deceased, who died on the 21st of February, 1901, and whose will was proved by Thomas Rolls Warrington, K.C., Mary Jane Ellis, and Charles Watson Hill, the executors thereof, in the Principal Probate Registry on the 10th of April, 1901, are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 28th of May, 1901; and notice is hereby also given, that after the last-mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Warrington, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 12th of April, 1901.

COLLYER - BRISTOW HILL CURTIS and DODS, 4, Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitors for the Executors.

Re JANE HALLIDAY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 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 other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Jane Halliday, late of 13, Wilkinson-street, in the city of Sheffield, Widow, deceased (who died on the 20th of January, 1901, and whose will, with three codicils thereto, was proved at Wakefield on the 18th of March, 1901, by Charles Orr and Charles Basford Hobbs, the surviving executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, before the 31st of May, 1901, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th of April, 1901.

BURDEKIN, BENSON, and BURDEKINS, 41, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, Solicitors to the said Executors.

ROBERT JESSE CHILLINGWORTH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Robert Jesse Chillingworth, deceased, late of No. 53, Mare-street, Hackney, and Spital-square, Norton Folgate, both in the county of London, Chenille Manufacturer, who died on the 10th day of December, 1900, at No. 53, Mare-street, Hackney aforesaid, and whose will was proved by William Anthony Tharp, of 9, Norton Folgate aforesaid, Surveyor, and Selina Susannah Chillingworth, and George Chillingworth, both of No. 4, Farnley-road, Chingford, Essex, the executors named therein, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of January, 1901, are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, thereof to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of May 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 debts, 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 debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

ANNING and CO., 78, Cheapside, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

MARY CALDECOTT, Deceased.

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of Mary Caldecott (the wife of Richard Caldecott), late of Grove-street, New Ferry, in the county of Chester (who died on the 23rd day of December, 1900, and whose will was proved in the Chester District Probate Registry on the 16th day of January, 1901, by John Williams, the executor therein named), are requested to send particulars of such claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executor, on or before the 17th day of May next, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims then received.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1901.

THOMAS PUGH, 9, Duncan-street, Birkenhead, Solicitor for the said Executor.

GEORGE DIBLEY, 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."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of George Dibley, late of the Inns of Court Hotel, Holborn, in the county of London, who died on the 19th day of January, 1901, and whose will was proved by George Dibley, of Gaveston-place, Nut-hurst, Horsham, in the county of Sussex, Colonel in His Majesty's Militia, Edwin Dibley, of Talana, Ipsden, Oxfordshire, Gentleman, and Henry Dixon Kimber, of 79, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Solicitor, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of March, 1901, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 4th day of June, 1901; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testators 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 15th day of April, 1901.

KIMBERS and BOATMAN, 79, Lombard-street, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 14th day of December, 1900, by George Knapton, of Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

THE creditors of the above named George Knapton who have not already sent particulars of their debts and claims are required, on or before the 4th day of May, 1901, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of such debts or claims, to Alfred Herbert Allen, of Bank-chambers, Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said Deed of Assignment, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

H. S. and S. WATTS, Solicitors to the said Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment by James Davies, of 5, Smithfield-terrace, South-lane, Elland, in the county of York, Wholesale Confectioner, dated the 9th day of January, 1901.

JOHAN ARTHUR HALLIDAY, C.A., of 5, Horton-street, Halifax, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor, must deliver them to the Trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the Trustee. Creditors who have not already assented to the said deed must do so within 30 days from this date, or they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

O. T. RHODES and SON, 3, Commercial-street, Halifax (and at Brighouse), Solicitors acting in the proceedings.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of the Creditors, executed on the 13th day of May, 1896, and registered on the 19th day of May, 1896, by George Phipps and Frederick Phipps, both of Oxford, Builders.

THE creditors of the above named George Phipps and Frederick Phipps, who have not already sent in their claims are required, on or before the 18th day of May, 1901, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Edward Webb, of Summertown, in the city of Oxford, Brickmaker, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the First and Final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1901.

EDWARD WEBB, Trustee.

Re THOMAS HENRY CHAPPELOW.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment, for the benefit of his Creditors, executed on the 25th day of January, 1901, by Thomas Henry Chappelow, of Highbridge, in the county of Somerset, Chemist and Druggist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors who have not already assented to the said deed, and all persons having claims against the estate of the said debtor, are required to send their names and addresses, with full particulars of their claims, to Edward William Helps, of Bank-chambers, Bridgwater aforesaid, Incorporated Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed, on or before the 4th May, 1901, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the Dividend to be declared.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

F. W. BISHOP, Bridgwater, Solicitor to the said Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment, executed on the 23rd day of January, 1901, by John Edward Russell, of 63, Saint Mary-street, Weymouth, in the county of Dorset, and residing at Eaton House, East-street, Weymouth, General Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Trustee under the above deed, will on the 30th instant, or as soon thereafter as conveniently may be, pay a Dividend under such deed amongst those creditors of the said John

Edward Russell whose debts have been then admitted. All creditors who have not sent in particulars of their debts must before the said 30th instant send the same to Messrs. Viney, Price and Goodyear, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Chartered Accountants, and be prepared to prove them, otherwise they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1901.

PHELPS SIDGWICK and BIDDLE, 22, Aldermanbury, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

A SEVENTEENTH and Final Dividend of 1s. in the pound (making 20s. paid) has been declared in the matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Richard Humphris, of Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, in the county of London, Clerk in the London Bankruptcy Court, and the same will be paid by me, the undersigned, at the offices of Messrs. Edward Lee Davis and Lee, 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 24th day of April, 1901, or on any day thereafter.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1901.

EDWARD LEE, 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, E.C., Trustee, Solicitor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. **A** SUPPLEMENTAL Dividend of 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of James Edward Beer, residing at 32, Spellow-lane, Kirkdale, and carrying on business at 89, Victoria-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Clothier and Outfitter, and will be paid at the offices of the Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, in the city of Liverpool, on or after the 18th day of April, 1901.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

F. GITTINS, Official Receiver.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated the eighteenth day of September, 1865, against John Stanway, late of Harting, in the county of Sussex, of no trade or business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that further Statutory Interest, at the rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. making with previous interest $3\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on account of $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent., is now payable, and that drafts for the same may be received, by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's Department, Bankruptcy-buildings, High Court of Justice, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, any day until the 11th day of October 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.—12th day of April, 1901.

E. LEADAM HOUGH, Official Receiver, performing the duties of Official Assignee.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 25th day of March, 1901.

To H. J. Sibley, late of Artillery Mansions, Victoria-street, Westminster, and lately carrying on business at 53, Parliament-street aforesaid, but whose present address the Judgment Creditor is unable to ascertain, Company Promoter.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of George Nock, of 5, 6, 7, and 8, Cheapside, in the city of London, Lace Merchant, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this Notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspaper shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 12th day of April, 1901.

J. E. LINKLATER, Registrar.

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.
1252	Applegate, James	Late of 13, Kinloch-street, Hornsey-road, in the county of London, but whose present address is unknown to the Petitioning Creditor	Late Dairyman and Wholesale Milk Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 15, 1901	285 of 1901	April 13, 1901	190	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1253	Barwell, George (trading as Barwell and Son)	Lately residing and carrying on business at Herongate, near Brentwood, Essex, but whose present address the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	Grocer and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 19, 1901	305 of 1901	April 13, 1901	192	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1254	Dormer, E. H.	Residing at 10, Wetherby-place, South Kensington, in the county of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 15, 1901	288 of 1901	April 12, 1901	189	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1255	Holt, G. H.	7, Avonmore-gardens, West Kensington, in the county of London	Insurance Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 31, 1901	104 of 1901	April 12, 1901	187	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1256	Paynter, Thomas Smith (trading as T. Smith and Co.)	13, Clarendon-road, Holland Park-avenue, late of 16, Shaftesbury-avenue, both in the county of London	Manufacturers' Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	April 11, 1901	387 of 1901	April 11, 1901	185	Debtor's	
1257	Seward, William (formerly carrying on business as W. Seward and Co.)	26, Greenhill-road, Harlesden, Middlesex, formerly carrying on business at 7, Drapers-gardens, Throgmorton-avenue, in the city of London	Outside Stock and Share Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 12, 1901	272 of 1901	April 11, 1901	184	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1258	Stocker, James	Carrying on business at 14A, Swan-street, Southwark, in the county of London, temporarily residing at Wandsworth Prison, in the county of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 16, 1901	295 of 1901	April 11, 1901	186	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1259	Wilcox, Edward Martin	95, Wiesbaden-road, Stoke Newington, London, N., employed at 54, Billiter-buildings, Billiter-street, and formerly employed at 118, Bishopsgate-street Within, both in the city of London	Employed as a Mercantile Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	April 13, 1901	395 of 1901	April 13, 1901	191	Debtor's	
1260	I. Woolf and Co.	37, Steward-street and Duke-street, Spital-fields, in the county of London	Boot Manufacturers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 21, 1901	313 of 1901	April 11, 1901	188	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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1261	Walker, John, and Walker, John, the younger (trading in co-partnership as Walker and Son) ...	Barnstaple, Devonshire...	Barnstaple ...	April 4, 1901	8 of 1901	April 13, 1901	4	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1262	White, William (trading as W. White and Son)	19, Upper Borough Walls, and 'Cornwell-buildings, Bath, Somerset	Ironmonger and Gas-fitter	Bath	Mar. 30, 1901	4 of 1901	April 12, 1901	4	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.) and (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1263	Callaghan, Arthur ...	5, Princess-street, Waterfall, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing and carrying on business at 93, King-street, Blackburn aforesaid	Undertaker	Blackburn and Darwen	April 11, 1901	15 of 1901	April 11, 1901	14	Debtor's	
1264	Fairclough, Thomas ...	497, Tonge Moor-road, Castle Hill, Tonge, Bolton, Lancashire	Provision Dealer... ..	Bolton	April 11, 1901	14 of 1901	April 11, 1901	14	Debtor's	
1265	Kaye, Uriah	Bank House, Micklethwaite, Bingley, and Yorkshire Bank-chambers, Bradford, both in the county of York	Wool Merchant	Bradford	April 11, 1901	38 of 1901	April 11, 1901	39	Debtor's	
1266	Sargeant, W. S., and Co.	Strand-on-the-Green, Chiswick, Middlesex ...	Boat Builders	Brentford	Mar. 7, 1901	9 of 1901	April 12, 1901	9	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1267	Collins, Frank	Silverdale, Portslade, Sussex	Horse Dealer	Brighton	Mar. 14, 1901	17 of 1901	April 12, 1901	18	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1268	Gannicliff, Charles Cenrad	Southbourne House, Kenn-road, Clevedon, in the county of Somerset	'Temperance' Hotel Proprietor	Bristol	April 11, 1901	30 of 1901	April 11, 1901	26	Debtor's	
1269	Greenhalgh, Thomas ...	Now residing at 54, Carlton-street, Nelson, Lancashire, lately residing at 4, Canning-street, and carrying on business at the Market Ground, both in Burnley, Lancashire, and previously thereto residing at 49, Wilkinson-street, and carrying on business at Holme-street, both in Nelson aforesaid	Wholesale Fruit and Potato Merchant	Burnley	April 11, 1901	13 of 1901	April 11, 1901	12	Debtor's	
1270	Corfield, John Hollingsworth (carrying on business under the style or firm of Corfield, Son, and Co.)	141, Cathedral-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, and carrying on business at Windsor-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Builders' Merchant ...	Cardiff	April 11, 1901	13 of 1901	April 11, 1901	12	Debtor's	

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1271	Davies and Smith ...	10, Glenroy-street, Roath, Cardiff ...	Drapers ...	Cardiff ...	Mar. 19, 1901	9 of 1901	April 4, 1901	11	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1272	Golby, Thomas George	Earlsdon, in the city of Coventry ...	Builder ...	Coventry ...	April 4, 1901	7 of 1901	April 12, 1901	5	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1273	Robinson, W. F. W. George Thomas, and Robinson, Wilson (trading as Tom Robinson and Sons)	Residing at Culvert House, Culvert Dye Works, Soothill, in the county of York Residing at East Bath-street, Batley, in the county of York At Culvert Dye Works, Soothill, in the county of York	Dyer Dyer ...	Dewsbury ...	April 10, 1901	17 of 1901	April 10, 1901	17	Debtor's	
1274	Bentley, William Robinson	60, Barton-street, Gloucester ...	Grocer ...	Gloucester ...	April 12, 1901	9 of 1901	April 12, 1901	9	Debtor's	
1275	Winckler, Henry...	13, Dacres-road, Forest Hill, Kent, lately trading at 110, Cannon-street, London	Commission Agent ...	Greenwich ...	April 11, 1901	6 of 1901	April 11, 1901	9	Debtor's	
1276	Greenwood, Thomas ...	12, Haley-hill, Halifax, Yorkshire ...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Halifax...	April 11, 1901	10 of 1901	April 11, 1901	9	Debtor's	
1277	Atkinson, Frederick ...	Milward House, Milward-road, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, lately carrying on business at 39, Havelock-road, Hastings aforesaid, and Sackville-chambers, St. Leonards-road, Bexhill, in the said county	Solicitor ...	Hastings ...	April 11, 1901	15 of 1901	April 11, 1901	7	Debtor's	
1278	Lakin, John Henry ...	42, Load-street, Bewdley, Worcestershire, formerly 90, Welch-gate, Bewdley	Saddler and Harness Maker	Kidderminster...	April 11, 1901	3 of 1901	April 11, 1901	3	Debtor's	
1279	Brown, Thomas ...	Carrying on business at St. James-street, and residing at Regent's-terrace, Anlaby-road, both in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Timber Merchant ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Mar. 28, 1901	12 of 1901	April 11, 1901	14	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1280	Mountain, Percival ...	Lately residing at Albany House, South Cliff-road, Withernsea, in the East Riding of the county of York, now at 77, De Grey-street, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Vaccination Officer ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	April 12, 1901	15 of 1901	April 12, 1901	15	Debtor's	

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1281	Bradley, Alfred	The Forge Quarries, Kirkstall, in the city of Leeds	Quarry Owner	Leeds	Mar. 29, 1901	39 of 1901	April 10, 1901	32	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1282	Westmoreland, John Thomas	Lately residing and carrying on business at 15, Market-place, Otley, in the county of York, now residing in lodgings at Back-lane, Horsforth, near the city of Leeds	Lately Fried Fish and Chipped Potato Dealer, now out of business	Leeds	April 11, 1901	40 of 1901	April 11, 1901	33	Debtor's	
1283	Wilby, Robert and Wilby, Albert (carrying on business together in copartnership under the style or firm of R. Wilby and Son) ...	Residing in lodgings at 163, Charnwood-street, in the county borough of Leicester Residing in lodgings at 8, Parry-street, Leicester aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	Leicester	April 12, 1901	41 of 1901	April 12, 1901	37	Debtor's	
1284	Kellie, John	21, Norton-street, Liverpool	Watchmaker	Liverpool	Mar. 22, 1901	27 of 1901	April 11, 1901	25	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
1285	Bright, Thomas Henry ...	Formerly of the White Hart Inn, Neath, Glamorganshire, now residing at 83, Neath-road, Britonferry, in the said county	Lately Licensed Victualler	Neath and Aberavon	April 12, 1901	10 of 1901	April 12, 1901	9	Debtor's	
1286	Hutchinson, John	Residing at 5, York-street, lately residing and trading at 189, Westgate-road, both in Newcastle-on-Tyne	Pianoforte Dealer and Music Seller	Newcastle-on-Tyne	April 11, 1901	18 of 1901	April 11, 1901	18	Debtor's	
1287	Walters, Henry	Lately residing at 13, Godfrey-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, and lately carrying on business at 155, Commercial-street, Newport aforesaid, now residing and carrying on business at 54, Bridge-street, Newport aforesaid	Bootmaker	Newport, Mon.	April 13, 1901	8 of 1901	April 13, 1901	8	Debtor's	
1288	Gant, Benjamin	30, Old Palace-road, in the county of the city of Norwich	Builder	Norwich	April 13, 1901	14 of 1901	April 13, 1901	15	Debtor's	
1289	Williams, Thomas Jenkin	High-street, Neyland, in the county of Pembroke	Grocer	Pembroke Dock	April 11, 1901	5 of 1901	April 12, 1901	5	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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1290	Buckley, John	Late, of St. John's House, Cardiff-road, Portsmouth, now of 94, St. George's-square, Portsea, Hants	Retired Captain, Royal Army Medical Corps	Portsmouth ...	April 11, 1901	13 of 1901	April 11, 1901	11	Debtor's	
1291	Hardman, George	101, Egerton-road, Blackpool, Lancashire ...	Builder	Preston	Mar. 29, 1901	18 of 1901	April 12, 1901	17	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1292	Baines, Egerton Charles Augustus	Bell-street, Henley-on-Thames... ..	Surgeon	Reading	Jan. 29, 1901	3 of 1901	Mar. 9, 1901	5	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1293	Mason, James Douglas Cattley	Goort Cottage, Petersham, in the county of Surrey	Clerk	Wandsworth ...	Feb. 9, 1901	8 of 1901	April 11, 1901	17	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1294	Sidney, Stephen Henry...	103A, Micklegate and Skeldergate, both York	Chocolate Manufacturer and Confectioner	York	April 10, 1901	12 of 1901	April 10, 1901	12	Debtor's	

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Brockbank, James Harrison	5, Phoenix Lodge-mansions, Brook Green, lately resid- ing at 6, Stonor-road, West Kensington, both in the county of London.	Vocalist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	378 of 1901	April 25, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - build- ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 22, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca- rey - street, London, W.C.	
Holt, G. H.	7, Avonmore-gardens, West Kensington, in the county of London	Insurance Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	104 of 1901	April 30, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - build- ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 23, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca- rey - street, London, W.C.	
Léger, Charles	36, Willow-walk, also of 7 and 8, Lynton-mews, both in Bermondsey, Surrey	Carman and Con- tractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	325 of 1901	April 25, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - build- ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 24, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca- rey - street, London, W.C.	
Morrice, George Lever	34 and 36, Gresham-street, in the city of London, lately carrying on busi- ness at 14, Nova Scotia, Mann Island, Liverpool, Lancashire, and formerly residing at Bradley, Frodsham, in the county of Chester	Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	253 of 1901	April 29, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - build- ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 24, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca- rey - street, London, W.C.	
Shorland, Herbert (trading as the Grocery and Pro- vision Shop Asso- ciation)	Lately trading at 147, Oxford-street, in the county of London, and now of 8, Bream's-build- ings, Chancery-lane, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	145 of 1901	April 24, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - build- ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 21, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca- rey - street, London, W.C.	
Silver, Samuel and Silver, Henry (carrying on business as S. and H. Silver)	Residing at 16, Wiesbaden- road, Stoke Newington Residing at 34, Laleham- buildings, Calvert-avenue, Shoreditch, both in the county of London At 53, Rivington-street, Curtain-road, in the county of London, lately carrying on business at 50 and 52, Rivington- street, Curtain - road aforesaid	Manufacturing Upholsterers	High Court of Justice; in Bankruptcy	358 of 1901	April 25, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - build- ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 21, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca- rey - 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.
Theurer, Charles Albert	Residing and carrying on business at Mason's Hall Tavern, Mason's-avenue, Basinghall-street, in the city of London	Licensed Victualler	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	361 of 1901	April 25, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 21, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Windred, William	24, Sprules-road, Brockley, Kent	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	244 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 21, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Aspinall, William	201, Old-street, Ashton-under - Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing and carrying on business at Arundel-street, Mossley	Grocer	Ashton - under-Lyne and Stalybridge	2 of 1901	April 24, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	April 25, 1901	12.30 P.M.	Townhall, Ashton - under - Lyne	April 10, 1901
Clark, Arthur W.	Milton House, Aylesbury, in the county of Buckingham	...	Aylesbury	3 of 1901	April 23, 1901	3.30 P.M.	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford	May 6, 1901	11 A.M.	County Hall, Aylesbury	
Lancaster, Herbert and Belfield, Samuel (trading as H. Lancaster and Co.)	Formerly residing at 93, Manor-road, and now residing at #5, Massey-park, both in Liscard, Cheshire Formerly residing at 19, Albion-street, Gorton, in the city of Manchester, and now residing at 13, Sheffield - street, Gorton aforesaid At the Wallasey Pool Boat-yard, Great Float, Birkenhead, Cheshire	Shipwrights and Boat Builders	Birkenhead	8 of 1901	April 24, 1901	12 noon	Office of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	April 26, 1901	11 A.M.	Court - house, Pilgrim-street, Birkenhead	April 12, 1901
Avery, Charles	2, Falcon-view, the Cotteridge, King's Norton, in the county of Worcester	Hay, Straw, and Chaff Dealer	Birmingham	34 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11 A.M.	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	May 20, 1901	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Mar. 23, 1901
Barnett, David	105, Yardley-road, Small Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Manager of a Company	Birmingham	29 of 1901	April 25, 1901	11 A.M.	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	May 15, 1901	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	April 12, 1901

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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.
Letts, Benjamin Walter	Lately residing at 145, Coventry-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and carrying on business at 71, Coventry-road aforesaid, and Albert Building, High-street, Erdington, in the county of Warwick	Plumber and House Decorator	Birmingham ...	38 of 1901	April 26, 1901	11 A.M.	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	May 20, 1901	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	April 12, 1901
Thorley, John Evans (lately carrying on business under the style or firm of John Thorn and Company)	Lately carrying on business at 304, Summer-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, now residing in lodgings at Great Tindal-street, Ladywood, Birmingham aforesaid	Late Brass-founder, now out of business	Birmingham ...	35 of 1901	April 24, 1901	12 noon	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	May 15, 1901	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Mar. 28, 1901
Fairclough, Thomas...	497, Tonge Moor-road, Castle Hill, Tonge, within Bolton, in the county of Lancaster	Provision Dealer...	Bolton ...	14 of 1901	April 25, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Exchange-street, Bolton	May 7, 1901	3 P.M.	Court-house, Mawdsley-street, Bolton	April 12, 1901
Mason, Sarah Alice (lately Harris)	The Four Horse Shoes Hotel, Deansgate, Bolton, lately carrying on business at the Queen's Hotel, Bradshawgate, Bolton, Lancashire	Licensed Victualer, a Married Woman trading separately and apart from her husband, lately a Widow	Bolton ...	11 of 1901	April 24, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Exchange-street, Bolton	May 7, 1901	3 P.M.	Court-house, Mawdsley-street, Bolton	April 11, 1901
Kaye, Uriah ...	Bank House, Micklethwaite, Bingley, and Yorkshire Bank-chambers, Bradford, both in the county of York	Wool Merchant ...	Bradford ...	88 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	May 8, 1901	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor-row, Bradford	
Stephens, Edwin ...	Drayton Court Hotel, Kaling, Middlesex	Hotel Keeper ...	Brentford ...	3 of 1901	April 24, 1901	3 P.M.	Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 14, 1901	11 A.M.	Townhall, Brentford	
Gannicliff, Charles Conrad	Southbourne House, Kenn-road, Clevedon, in the county of Somerset	Temperance Hotel Proprietor	Bristol ...	30 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11.45 A.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	May 10, 1901	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	April 13, 1901

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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.
Goss, Charles... ..	Residing at 107, Easton-road, and carrying on business at 40, Broadmead, both in the city and county of Bristol	Eating - house Keeper	Bristol	28 of 1901	April 24, 1901	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwinstreet, Bristol	May 10, 1901	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Puddy, Nathaniel Strong and Cox, Charles Chick (trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Puddy and Cox) ...	The Ferns, Soundwell-road, Kingswood, in the county of Gloucester	Boot Manufacturers	Bristol	26 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwinstreet, Bristol	May 10, 1901	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Winter, George	153, Fishponds-road, Eastville, and 192, Stapleton-road, both in the city and county of Bristol	Grocer	Bristol	29 of 1901	April 24, 1901	3 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwinstreet, Bristol	May 3, 1901	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Eldridge, Joseph	Osprings-street, Osprings, Kent	Carman	Canterbury	14 of 1901	May 2, 1901	9 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 68, Castlestreet, Canterbury	May 2, 1901	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	April 11, 1901
Terry, Edmund Richard	6, Brunswick-street, Ramsgate, Kent	Drover and Cattle Dealer	Canterbury	15 of 1901	May 2, 1901	9.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 68, Castlestreet, Canterbury	May 2, 1901	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	April 12, 1901
Haslam, John Rivett	5, Hare-lane, Gloucester ...	General Dealer and Porter	Gloucester	7 of 1901	April 23, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Station-road, Gloucester	April 29, 1901	12 noon	Shirehall, Gloucester	April 12, 1901
Lagg, James Michael Arthur	Bear Inn, Bisley, Gloucestershire	Licensed Victualer, Dealer, and Farmer	Gloucester	8 of 1901	April 23, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Station-road, Gloucester	April 29, 1901	12 noon	Shirehall, Gloucester	April 12, 1901
Lee, Robert	72, Church-lane, Charlton, London	Tailor	Greenwich	5 of 1901	April 23, 1901	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	April 30, 1901	1 P.M.	Court-house, Burney-street, Greenwich	
Greenwood, Thomas...	12, Haley-hill, Halifax, Yorkshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Halifax	10 of 1901	April 24, 1901	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Townhall-chambers, Halifax	April 29, 1901	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Prescott-street, Halifax	April 13, 1901

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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.
Shilkoff, Isaac ...	Residing at Stafford-street, and carrying on business at Marsh-street, both in Hanley, Staffordshire	Wholesale Cabinet Manufacturer	Hanley ...	2 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Office of Receiver's Office, Newcastle-under-Lyme	April 25, 1901	11 A.M.	Townhall, Hanley	Mar. 29, 1901
Possnett, Tom Callas	39, Leicester-road, Great Wigston, Leicestershire	Boot Dealer and Repairer	Leicester ...	39 of 1901	April 23, 1901	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	May 3, 1901	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Wilby, Robert ... and Wilby, Albert ... (carrying on business together in co-partnership under the style or firm of R. Wilby and Son) ...	Residing in lodgings at 163, Charnwood-street, in the county borough of Leicester Residing in lodgings at 8, Parry-street, Leicester aforesaid At back of 9, Bow-street, Leicester aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	Leicester ...	41 of 1901	April 23, 1901	3 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	May 3, 1901	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Carey, Joseph Williamson	Residing at Prenton Villa, Aintree, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and practising at 22, Manchester-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Solicitor ...	Liverpool ...	20 of 1901	April 24, 1901	2 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	April 25, 1901	11 A.M.	Court - house, Government - buildings, Victoria - street, Liverpool	Mar. 28, 1901
Elliott, Joseph Jackson	Residing at 11, Wellington-road, Eccles, Lancashire, and carrying on business at 17, James-street, in the city of Liverpool, and at the Abattoir, Water-street, Manchester, in the said county, and lately carrying on business at the Lairage, Birkenhead, Cheshire, and residing at Cantsfield House, Devonshire Park, Birkenhead aforesaid, and at the Compton Hotel, Liverpool aforesaid	Meat Salesman ...	Liverpool ...	19 of 1901	April 25, 1901	10.30 A.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	April 25, 1901	11 A.M.	Court - house, Government - buildings, Victoria - street, Liverpool	Mar. 28, 1901

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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.
Craig, James ...	Rustling End Farm, Codicote, near Welwyn, in the county of Hertford	Farmer	Luton	6 of 1901	April 25, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Chamber of Commerce, 53, George-street, Luton	May 16, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Court - house, Luton	April 11, 1901
Cowling, William ...	Residing in lodgings at Main-street, Dudleyport, Staffordshire, lately residing in lodgings at 47, Welbeck - street, Mansfield, and formerly residing and trading at Pleasley Hill, both in Nottinghamshire	Out of business, formerly Baker and Confectioner	Nottingham ...	18 of 1901	April 23, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	May 3, 1901	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's - gate, Nottingham	April 13, 1901
Buckley John ...	Late of St. John's House, Cardiff-road, Portsmouth, now of 94, St. George's-square, Portsea, Portsmouth, Hants	Retired Captain, Royal Army Medical Corps	Portsmouth ...	13 of 1901	April 23, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth	April 29, 1901	12 noon	Court - house, St. Thomas-street, Portsmouth	
Weller, Charles ...	49, London-road, Reading, and carrying on business at 111, King's - road, Reading	Furniture Dealer...	Reading ...	8 of 1901	April 25, 1901	3 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, W.C.	May 9, 1901	2 P.M.	Assize Courts, Reading	
De Wardt, Thomas ...	156, Wellington - street, Gravesend, Kent	Builder and Undertaker	Rochester ...	18 of 1901	April 29, 1901	10.30 A.M.	115, High - street, Rochester	April 29, 1901	2 P.M.	Court-house, Eastgate, Rochester	April 13, 1901
Stokes, Frederick (trading as Frederick Stokes and Son)	Workshop, in the county of Nottingham	Auctioneer and Valuer	Sheffield ...	23 of 1901	April 25, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield	April 25, 1901	3 P.M.	County Court Hall, Bank - street, Sheffield	April 12, 1901
Hall, John Thompson	41, Stanhope - road, Darlington, in the county of Durham, and lately carrying on business at Northgate, Darlington aforesaid	Sharebroker ...	Stockton - on - Tees	15 of 1901	April 25, 1901	11 A.M.	North Eastern Hotel, Darlington	May 1, 1901	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge - road, Stockton - on - Tees	
Fayne, John Wynn ...	Market-street, Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, and residing at Ivanhoe - street, Scott's Green, Dudley, in the county of Worcester	Grocer	Stourbridge ...	4 of 1901	April 23, 1901	1.30 P.M.	Offices of W. R. Skelding, Auctioneer, High - street, Stourbridge	April 23, 1901	2 P.M.	Court - house, Hagley - road, Stourbridge	Mar. 30, 1901

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Kent, Charles ...	Stratton St. Margaret, near Swindon, Wiltshire	Baker	Swindon	7 of 1901	April 24, 1901	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 38, Regent-circus, Swindon	April 24, 1901	12 noon	County Court, Townhall, Regent - circus, Swindon	April 13, 1901
Collins, John	58, High-street, Mortlake, Surrey	Pork Butcher ...	Wandsworth ...	23 of 1901	April 23, 1901	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	May 9, 1901	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth, Surrey	
Howell, Sidney Wilfred	Residing at Codsall Wood, in the county of Stafford, and lately carrying on business at Cleveland-street, Bell-street, and Parkdale, all in Wolverhampton, in the said county	Corn Merchant ...	Wolverhampton	10 of 1901	April 24, 1901	10 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	April 24, 1901	11 A.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	April 4, 1901
Winnall, Thomas ...	Lovatt - street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, lately carrying on business at Dawson-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Painter, Decorator, and Paperhanger	Wolverhampton	12 of 1901	April 24, 1901	9.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	April 24, 1901	11 A.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	April 4, 1901
Sidney, Stephen Henry	103A, Micklegate and Skeldergate, both in the city of York	Chocolate Manufacturer and Confectioner	York	12 of 1901	April 24, 1901	12.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 28, Stone-gate, York	May 3, 1901	11 A.M.	Courts of Justice, in the city of York	April 11, 1901

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Westmoreland, John Thomas	Lately residing and carrying on business at 15, Market-place, Otley, in the county of York, now residing in lodgings at Back-lane, Horsforth, near the city of Leeds	Lately Fried Fish and Chipped Potato Dealer, now out of business	Leeds	40 of 1901	April 11, 1901 ...	April 11, 1901
Thompson, Albert	The Glasgow Arms, Dover-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester	Beerhouse Keeper and Cab Proprietor	Leicester	31 of 1901	April 12, 1901 ...	Mar. 23, 1901
Wilby, Robert and Wilby, Albert	Residing in lodgings at 163, Charnwood-street, in the county borough of Leicester Residing in lodgings at 8, Parry-street, Leicester aforesaid					
(carrying on business together in co-partnership under the style or firm of R. Wilby and Son)	At back of 9, Bow-street, Leicester aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers ...	Leicester	41 of 1901	April 12, 1901 ...	April 12, 1901
Craig, James	Rustling End Farm, Codicote, near Welwyn, in the county of Hertford	Farmer	Luton	6 of 1901	April 11, 1901 ...	Feb. 21, 1901
Bright, Thomas Henry	Formerly of the White Hart Inn, Neath, Glamorganshire, now residing at 83, Neath-road, Britonferry, in the said county	Lately Licensed Victualler ...	Neath and Aberavon	10 of 1901	April 12, 1901 ...	April 12, 1901
Walters, Henry	Lately residing at 13, Godfrey-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, and lately carrying on business at 155, Commercial-street, Newport aforesaid, now residing and carrying on business at 54, Bridge-street, Newport aforesaid	Bootmaker	Newport, Mon. ...	8 of 1901	April 13, 1901 ...	April 13, 1901
Fortescue, William Lewis Bateman ...	Isham Lodge, Orlingbury, in the county of Northampton ...	Farmer	Northampton ...	9 of 1901	April 13, 1901 ...	Mar. 12, 1901
Gant, Benjamin	30, Old Palace-road, in the county of the city of Norwich ...	Builder	Norwich	14 of 1901	April 13, 1901 ...	April 13, 1901
Warren, Solomon (described in Receiving Order as S. Warren)	Interlaken, Castle Eve, Parkstone, in the county of Dorset ...	Gentleman of Independent Means...	Poole	4 of 1901	April 12, 1901 ...	Mar. 20, 1901
Buckley, John	Late of St. John's House, Cardiff-road, Portsmouth, now of 94, St. George's-square, Portsea, Hants	Retired Captain, Royal Army Medical Corps	Portsmouth	13 of 1901	April 11, 1901 ...	April 11, 1901
Hugill, Alfred George (in the Receiving Order described as Alfred G. Hugill)	55, Windsor-road, New Brompton, Kent ... ..	... ..	Rochester	14 of 1901	April 13, 1901 ...	Mar. 18, 1901
Howell, Sidney Wilfred	Residing at Codsall Wood, in the county of Stafford, and lately carrying on business at Cleveland-street, Bell-street, and Parkdale, all in Wolverhampton, in the said county	Corn Merchant	Wolverhampton ...	10 of 1901	April 11, 1901 ...	Mar. 22, 1901
Sidney, Stephen Henry	103A, Micklegate and Skeldergate, both York... ..	Chocolate Manufacturer and Confectioner	York	12 of 1901	April 10, 1901 ...	April 10, 1901

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Barton, Henry	The Royal Oak Inn, Hammersmith, and residing at Hanworth-road, Hounslow, both in Middlesex	Licensed Victualler	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	612 of 1900	May 1, 1901 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Costa, Francesco	The Café de l'Europe, otherwise Epitaux Restaurant, 9 and 10, Haymarket, in the county of London	Restaurateur	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	911 of 1900	May 2, 1901 ...	George Henry Carter...	1, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C.
Harrison, Cartmell, and Ingram, James Crofts (trading as Ingram, Harrison, and Ingram)	67, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of London	Solicitors	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1383 of 1899	April 30, 1901 ...	Frederick Whinney ...	32, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Walker, William, and Walker, Edward William (carrying on business under the style or firm of William Walker and Son)	King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk	Merchants, Seed Crushers, Oil Refiners, and Oil Boilers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy (proceedings transferred from King's Lynn)	596 of 1884	May 1, 1901 ...	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Westwood, Joseph	Napier-yard, Millwall, in the county of London, and of Barkway, Royston, Herts	Late Managing Director of a Public Company	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	834 of 1896	May 1, 1901 ...	Herbert John Page ...	19, Birch-in-lane, London, E.C.
Crane, Edward John	Lately residing at the Grange, Laurel-road, Hansworth, in the county of Stafford, and lately carrying on business at 165 and 167, Hunters-road, Handsworth aforesaid	Cycle Factor	Birmingham...	23 of 1899	April 30, 1901 ...	Henry Walker...	131, Edmund-street, Birmingham
Briggs, Lavinia	36, Drewton-street, in the city of Bradford	Dressmaker, a Spinster	Bradford	23 of 1901	April 30, 1901 ...	J. Arthur Binns ...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Illingworth, Herbert	Residing at Crow Tree-lane, Allerton, in the city of Bradford						
Mellor, Frederick William (trading as Herbert Illingworth and Co.)	Daisy Hill, Manningham, in the said city						
Herbert Illingworth and Co.)	At 32, Millergate, in Bradford aforesaid	Wool, Noil, and Top Merchants	Bradford	24 of 1901	April 26, 1901 ...	William Arthur Turner, Incorporated Accountant	21, Bridge-street, Bradford
Warner, William Edward	Uttoxeter, Staffordshire	Cabinet Maker	Burton-on-Trent	15 of 1900	April 30, 1901 ...	Frederick Stone, Official Receiver	47, Full-street, Derby
Davies, David	Formerly of Clynmarch, Llansawel, now of Llanybyther, both in the county of Carmarthen	Retired Farmer	Carmarthen	19 of 1900	May 2, 1901 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Carder, Henry, the elder and Carder, Henry, the younger (trading as Carder and Co.)	Saltney Potteries, Chester	Stoneware Manufacturers	Chester	8 of 1899	April 29, 1901 ...	John Williams... ..	7, St. Werburgh - street, Chester
Carder, Henry, the elder... (Separate Estate)	Saltney Potteries, Chester	Stoneware Manufacturer	Chester	8 of 1899	April 29, 1901 ...	John Williams... ..	7, St. Werburgh - street, Chester
Higginbottom, John (Deceased)	Late of Chesterfield, Derbyshire... ..	Public Accountant	Chesterfield	4 of 1890	April 30, 1901 ...	Frederick Stone, Offi- cial Receiver	47, Full-street, Derby
Hooper, Thomas	22, Whittington Moor, near Chesterfield, Derbyshire	Boot and Shoe Dealer	Chesterfield	4 of 1900	April 30, 1901 ...	Frederick Stone, Offi- cial Receiver	47, Full-street, Derby
Monitz, Abraham	44, Burma-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of London, lately residing at 43, Poets-road, Canonbury, in the county of London	Jeweller	Edmonton	32 of 1900	April 30, 1901 ...	Cecil Mercer, Official Receiver	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple - chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Freeman, Samuel	Cinderford, Gloucestershire	Builder	Gloucester	3 of 1901	April 30, 1901 ...	Charles Scott, Official Receiver	Station-road, Gloucester
Lane, Sidney Winter	Quedgeley, Gloucestershire, lately carrying on business with Francis William Thomas Round, deceased, at Sharpness, Gloucestershire, and the Docks, Gloucester	Warehouseman and Corn Merchant, lately carrying on business with Francis William Thomas Round, deceased, who resided at Radford House, Southgate- street, Gloucester, and sur- viving partner of the firm of S. W. Lane, Round, and Co.	Gloucester	4 of 1900	April 30, 1901 ... (Proofs for debts contracted by Sidney Winter Lane either personally or as surviving partner of the firm of S. W. Lane, Round, and Co.)	Stephen Tryon	Albion-chambers, Bristol
Rapley, Henry	High-street, Hampton, Middlesex	Grocer and Provision Mer- chant	Kingston, Surrey	47 of 1900	May 3, 1901 ...	Alexander Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway-approach, Lon- don Bridge, S.E.
Bryers, Thomas	Residing and carrying on business at Moss Farm, Rainford, in the county of Lancaster	Farmer	Liverpool	7 of 1901	May 1, 1901 ...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liver- pool
Percival, Ellen	Residing and carrying on business at 262, Kensington, in the city of Liverpool	Boot and Shoe Dealer, Spinster	Liverpool	15 of 1901	May 1, 1901 ...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liver- pool
Stead, Eleanor	Residing and carrying on business at 80, Farnworth-street, Farnworth-in-Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, and also carrying on business at Simms Cross, Widnes aforesaid	Chemist, Druggist, and Grocer, Widow	Liverpool	8 of 1901	May 1, 1901 ...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liver- pool

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Sims, George	60, Park-street, Luton, in the county of Bedford	Baker and Confectioner	Luton	19 of 1900	May 4, 1901	Alfred Ewen, Official Receiver	Bridge-street, Northampton
Williams, Lewis	Bridge End, Ironbridge, Salop	Tailor and Draper	Madeley	11 of 1892	May 2, 1901	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	42, St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury
Russell, Joseph	Now residing at 69, Wilmslow-road, Rusholme, Manchester, lately at 120, Wilmot-street, Hulme, Manchester, and carrying on business at 26, Stretford-road, Hulme aforesaid	Hardware Dealer	Manchester	40 of 1900	April 30, 1901	Christopher Jenkins Dibb, Official Receiver	Byrom-street, Manchester
Butt, George Newman	107, High-street, Sandown, Isle of Wight	Pork Butcher and Provision Merchant	Newport and Ryde... ..	4 of 1901	April 30, 1901	Harry Castell Damant, Official Receiver	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight
Hansen, Charles Cleaver	Laurel Villa, York-avenue, East Cowes, Isle of Wight	Ship and Yacht Builder	Newport and Ryde... ..	3 of 1901	April 30, 1901	Harry Castell Damant, Official Receiver	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight
Jones, John	Bridge-street, Llanfair Caerinion, Montgomeryshire	Builder	Newtown	3 of 1894	May 2, 1901	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	42, St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury
Leeson, William	Residing and trading at Church-street, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire	Baker and Confectioner	Nottingham... ..	18 of 1900	May 1, 1901	Thomas Gourlay, Official Receiver	4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham
Morton, Richard	Residing and trading at 35, Westgate, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire	Grocer and Confectioner, and Beer (off) Shop Keeper	Nottingham... ..	32 of 1900	May 1, 1901	Thomas Gourlay, Official Receiver	4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham
Synnot, Charles Forbes Goodhart	North Cliff House, Tenby... ..	Schoolmaster... ..	Pembroke Dock	4 of 1886	May 2, 1901	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Bell, John	The Yatts, Pickering, Yorkshire	Farmer	Scarborough	19 of 1900	April 30, 1901	Edward Towler Wilkinson, Official Receiver	74, Newborough, Scarborough
Overbury, Alfred Hawkins	Residing at 100, Prospect-road, Scarborough, and trading at the Falsgrave Foundry and Ironworks, and at 103, Falsgrave-road, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Ironfounder	Scarborough	5 of 1894	April 30, 1901	Edward Towler Wilkinson, Official Receiver	74, Newborough, Scarborough
Darlow, Albert	Alhambra Hotel, Meadow-street, Sheffield, in the county of York	Innkeeper	Sheffield	38 of 1898	April 30, 1901	John Charles Clegg	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield
Latham, William	Late of Askern, in the county of York, now of 16, Highfield-road, Wheatley, Doncaster, in the said county	Retired Farmer	Sheffield	35 of 1900	April 30, 1901	John Charles Clegg	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield
Hick, John... ..	Castleford, Yorkshire	No occupation	Wakefield	17 of 1899	April 30, 1901	John Bickersteth Ottley, Official Receiver	6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield
Harvey, Henry	Wedmore, in the county of Somerset	Corn Merchant and Brick and Tile Manufacturer	Wells... ..	9 of 1900	April 30, 1901	Frank Lawson Clark, Official Receiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol

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Booth, Charles Henry ...	Connaught Mansions, Battersea, but lately residing or carrying on business at 394, King's-road, Chelsea, both in the county of London	Chemist and Druggist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	788 of 1900	1s. 2½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Carruthers, James Byam	The Cranford Press, Chiswick - road, Chiswick, Middlesex, the Retreat, Hare Hatch, Twyford, Berkshire, and lately carrying on business at 33, Craven-street, Strand, Middlesex	Printer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	574 of 1900	10s.	First	April 22, 1901, or on any subsequent Monday or Wednesday, between 10 and 1	Offices of Francis Nicholls, White, and Co., 14, Old Jewry - chambers, London, E.C.
Chichester, the Honourable George Augustus Hamilton, commonly known as the Earl of Belfast	100, Park-street, and of the National Conservative Club, Pall Mall, and of the Salisbury Club, 12, St. James's-square, lately residing at 93, Warwick-street, and 36, Great George-street, Westminster, all in Middlesex	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1328 of 1888	4½d.	First and Final	May 1, 1901, or any subsequent Wednesday, between 10 and 2	Offices of Seear, Hasluck, and Co., 17, Holborn-viaduct, London
Tong, Arthur Edward (described in the Receiving Order as — Tong)	157, Camberwell New-road, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	956 of 1900	10½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Vickery, William, and McCarrick, Francis St. John (trading as Vickery and St. John) ...	61, Denmark-hill, Surrey	Tailors	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1463 of 1899	8s. 1d.	First and Final	April 19, 1901 ..	G. N. Read, Son, and Co., 44, Gresham-street, E.C.
Parry, Henry	13, Ogwen-terrace, Bethesda, Carnarvon-shire	Boot Dealer	Bangor	19 of 1900	4s.	First and Final	April 24, 1901 ..	Office of Trustee, St. George's-chambers, Grey Friars, Leicester
Hookway, Robert Taylor	Bideford, Devonshire... ..	Architect and Builder ...	Barnstaple	7 of 1891	½d.	Supplemental	April 25, 1901 ..	19, Cross-street, Barnstaple
Coles, Arthur Charles ...	The King's Arms Hotel, 1, Monmouth-place, in the city of Bath	Innkeeper... ..	Bath	12 of 1900	1s. 1½d.	First and Final	April 29, 1901 ..	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Upton, William, the elder	Clophill, Bedfordshire	Market Gardener ...	Bedford	13 of 1900	2s. 6½d.	First and Final	April 22, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bridge-street, Northampton
Root, Goodman (trading as G. Root and Co.)	Chevin Grange, Menston, in the parish of Otley, Yorkshire, and trading at Houldsworth-street, in the city of Bradford	Wool and Top Merchant	Bradford	80 of 1900	1s. 6d.	First	April 26, 1901 ..	Offices of William M. Gray, District Bank - chambers, Market - street, Bradford, Chartered Accountant

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Whalley, Emma Jane ...	Formerly at 153 and afterwards at 93, East-parade, Keighley, Yorkshire, but now residing in lodgings at 44, Drury-terrace, Highfield, Keighley aforesaid	Formerly a Tobacconist and Hairdresser, but now out of business, Widow	Bradford	58 of 1900	3s. 2d.	First and Final	April 24, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Pearce, William George...	The King and Queen Hotel, Marlborough-place, Brighton, Sussex	Victualler... ..	Brighton	6 of 1900	5d.	Second and Final	April 19, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Aldridge, James Eyre ...	Tresco Lodge, Highbury Hill, Weston-super-Mare							
Walker, John Henry ...	Penleigh House, Cotham-grove, Bristol, late of St. Mary's, Weston-super-Mare, now in South Africa							
Aldridge, John Wheeler	Carrying on business at 98, Victoria-street, and at Albert-road, St. Philip's Marsh, in the city of Bristol	Engineers, Millwrights, and Boiler Makers	Bristol	11 of 1900	2s. 1d.	First and Final	April 15, 1901 ...	Trustee's Offices, Exchange, Bristol
Aldridge, James Eyre ... (Separate Estate)	Tresco Lodge, Highbury Hill, Weston-super-Mare	Engineer, Millwright, and Boiler Maker	Bristol	11 of 1900	20s.	First and Final	April 15, 1901 ...	Trustee's Offices, Exchange, Bristol
Collison, Walter	Church-road, Horfield, Gloucestershire ...	Builder	Bristol	5 of 1895	6s. 4d.	Second and Final	On and after April 19, 1901	39, Broad-street, Bristol
Hennessy, Maurice Joseph, and Hennessy, John Joseph... (trading as J. Hennessy and Sons) ...	2, Elmdale-road, Tyndalls Park, Bristol Hillside, Elmgrove-road, Cotham, Bristol West-street, Bristol	Cattle Salesmen	Bristol	36 of 1899	1s. 9½d.	First and Final	April 22, 1901 ...	42, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Hennessy, Maurice Joseph (Separate Estate)	2, Elmdale-road, Tyndall's Park, Bristol ...	Cattle Salesman	Bristol	36 of 1899	20s.	First and Final	April 22, 1901 ...	42, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Hughes, Joshua	Rhosygadair-newydd, in the parish of Aberporth, Cardiganshire, and 15, Picton-place and 15, York-street, both in the county borough of Swansea	Wholesale Tea Dealer and Commercial Traveller	Carmarthen	14 of 1900	11s. 5½d. viz. :— 10s. 5½d. in the pound from assets realized, and a Composition of 1s. in the pound from cash contributed by debtor's brother and sister	First and Final	April 24, 1901 ...	Millbrook, Carmarthen
Bowley, James Lyon ...	Tolpuddle, Dorsetshire	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	Dorchester	4 of 1896	2s. 6d.	Supplementary	April 25, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Endless-street, Salisbury

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Callaghan, Henry ...	55, Lawrence-road, Tottenham, lately carrying on business at 344, High-road, Tottenham, both in Middlesex	Mercantile Clerk, lately Fancy and General Stationer	Edmonton ...	14 of 1900	2s. 11½d.	First and Final	April 19, 1901 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple - chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Hurnell, Harry ...	55, Cranleigh - terrace, West Green, Tottenham, late of 163, Gladstone-avenue, Wood Green, both in Middlesex, and formerly of Beechen-grove, Watford, Hertfordshire	Accounts Clerk to London and North Western Railway Company	Edmonton ...	14 of 1899	7s. 4½d.	First and Final	April 18, 1901 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple - chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Cox, Richard ...	1, Saxon-villas, Albion-road, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Fish Curer ...	Great Yarmouth ...	31 of 1899	2s. 8½d.	First and Final	April 18, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Curtis, James ...	Carlton-Colville, Suffolk ...	Painter, Plumber, and Glazier	Great Yarmouth ...	18 of 1900	12s. 5½d.	First and Final	April 18, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Masterson, William ...	31, Beccles - road, Gorleston, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Blacksmith ...	Great Yarmouth ...	22 of 1900	20s., and interest at 4 per cent.	First and Final	April 16, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Turner, Charles Downing	Camden Tavern, Camden-road, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Licensed Victualler ...	Great Yarmouth ...	23 of 1900	1s. 7½d.	First and Final	April 20, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Marsters, James Saddle-ton	Portland-street, King's Lynn; Norfolk ...	Merchant ...	King's Lynn...	6 of 1900	4s. 1½d.	Second and Final	April 18, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Theakstone, Thomas ...	Harpham, near Lowthorpe, Yorkshire ...	Blacksmith ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	61 of 1900	12s. 10d.	First and Final	April 29, 1901 ...	Walter Scott's, Cogan House, Bowlalley - lane, Hull, Chartered Accountant
Allkins, William Rice ...	Silver Cross Inn, Dewsbury-road, in the city of Leeds NOTE.—The above Notice is in substitution for Notice of Dividend	Innkeeper... of 6s. 9½d. in the pound advertised not having	Leeds ...	120 of 1900	6s. 9½d.	First and Final	April 24, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds
Heaps, Charles Denison and Heaps, John William (carrying on business under the style or firm of J. G. and T. Heaps) ...	Residing at Regent-villas, Headingley Residing at 58, Cowper-street, Chapel-town-road At the Leeds Lead Works, North-street, all in the city of Leeds	Lead Merchants ...	Leeds ...	71 of 1899	½d.	Supplementary	April 29, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds
Reid, Vernon Botterill ...	14, Park-row, in the city of Leeds ...	Furniture Dealer...	Leeds ...	48 of 1900	10s.	First	April 29, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Thompson, Thomas ...	40, Sanvy-gate, in the county borough of Leicester	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Leicester ...	7 of 1900	2s. 3d.	Second and Final	April 22, 1901 ...	20, Friar-lane, Leicester
Bugg, David ...	4, Stanley-street, Luton, in the county of Bedford	Straw Hat Manufacturer	Luton ...	12 of 1900	1s. 9½d.	First and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bridge-street, Northampton
Lindley, William Charles	34, Brook-road, Fallowfield, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 25, Marsden-square and 68A, Cannon-street, Manchester	Haberdasher ...	Manchester ...	22 of 1900	2s. 11d.	First and Final	April 22, 1901 ...	15, High-street, Manchester
Southgate, Walter ...	West Rudham, Norfolk ...	Builder ...	Norwich ...	28 of 1900	1s. 8½d.	First and Final	April 16, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Wallace, Thomas ...	Residing at Mill Hill-road, Heigham, Norwich, and carrying on business at Heigham-road and Belvoir-street, Heigham, Norwich	Joinery Manufacturer and Builders' Merchant	Norwich ...	14 of 1900	1s. 3d.	First and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Rosenblatt, David (trading as D. Rosenblatt and Co.)	2, Broomhill-road, Bulwell, trading at the Leather Works, Herbert-street, Bulwell, lately residing at 7, Hutchinson-street and trading at the Leather Works, Stretton-street, all in Nottingham	Leather Dresser ...	Nottingham...	47 of 1900	3s. 5d.	First and Final	May 3, 1901 ...	18, Low Pavement, Nottingham
Stone, Richard, the elder	Marcham, Berkshire ...	Farmer ...	Oxford ...	9 of 1886	1½d.	Supplemental	April 22, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Whitnell, Frederick ...	Fore-street, East Looe, Cornwall ...	Credit Draper ...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	37 of 1900	2s. 5d.	First and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Office of Henry Davey, Trustee, Bedford-chambers, Plymouth
Walker, William...	15, Bedhill, Rowlands Castle, Hants ...	Retired Major from the Army Veterinary Department	Portsmouth ...	37 of 1898	4s. 6d.	Fourth	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Bryant, Albert Edward (trading as the Onslow Furnishing Company)	36, East Park-terrace, Southampton, and carrying on business on 26, Onslow-road, Southampton	Furniture Dealer ...	Southampton ...	11 of 1900	4s. 7d.	First and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 172, High-street, Southampton
Taylor, Alfred George ...	3, Hammet-street, Taunton, Somersetshire	Solicitor ...	Taunton ...	6 of 1893	9d.	First and Final	April 20, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Taunton
Stephens, Frederick Steven	Richmond House, Penzance, Cornwall ...	Commission Agent ...	Truro... ...	4 of 1901	1s. 2½d.	First and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Found.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Bell, Samuel Luke (trading as Samuel Bell)	Residing and carrying on business at 14, Stonegate, York, and in Grape-lane, York	Pianoforte and Organ Manufacturer, and Dealer in Musical Instruments and Music	York	16 of 1900	3s. 4½d.	Second and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 28, Stonegate, York
Hotham, Jemima ...	Market-place, Pocklington, in the county of York	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	York	42 of 1900	1s. 4d.	First and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 28, Stonegate, York
Hunter, Edmund William	High-street, Boston Spa, and previously of Church-street, Boston Spa, both in the county of York	Cabinet Maker	York	13 of 1900	2s. 8d.	Second and Final	April 23, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 28, Stonegate, York
	<i>The following Amended</i>	<i>Notice is substituted for</i>	<i>that published in the</i>	<i>London</i>	<i>Gazette of the 29th March,</i>	<i>1901.</i>		
Roberts, Edwin Wesley...	Residing at 28, Clare-street, Cardiff, and carrying on business at 5 and 7, Royal-arcade and 35 and 38, St. Mary-street, both in Cardiff	Picture Frame Maker and Photographer	Cardiff	7 of 1900	3s. 11½d.	First and Final	April 15, 1901 ...	Gordon - chambers, Queen - street, Cardiff

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.	Hour.	Place.
Bertie, Elizabeth, Lady ...	97, Queen's-gate, in the county of London ...	Spinster	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	446 of 1900	May 1, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Fisher, Henry James (described in the Receiving Order as H. Fisher, and practising as Henry Fisher)	33, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London ...	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1456 of 1900	May 2, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hart, Herbert Lewis ...	34, Buckley-road, Kilburn, Middlesex ...	Insurance Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	112 of 1901	May 2, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hiron, Richard	221, Leytonstone-road, and lately carrying on business at 32, Vicarage-lane, Stratford, and 185, Wood-street, Walthamstow, all in Essex	Bootmaker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	814 of 1900	May 2, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Revett, Edward Stephen...	32, Old Jewry, in the city of London, and of 9, Palmeira-square, Brighton, Sussex	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1479 of 1898	May 3, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Smith, Thomas Edgar (carrying on business as T. E. Smith and Co.)	1, Oxford-gardens, Notting Hill, carrying on business at 38, Burne-street, Edgware-road, both in Middlesex	Hardware Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1160 of 1900	April 30, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Harrison, Alfred (lately carrying on business under the style or firm of Harrison and Company) (described in the Receiving Order as Alfred Harrison)	Residing at 4, Lime-grove, Seaforth, in the county of Lancaster, and lately carrying on business at 48, Bridge-road, Litherland, 81, Seaforth-road and Sandy-road, both in Seaforth, 3, Church-road, 74, South-road and 44, St. John's-road, all in Waterloo, and 101, Marsh-lane, Bootle, all in the county of Lancaster	Butcher	Liverpool	74 of 1897	May 10, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Court-house, Government-buildings, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Bolton, Ernest	Carrill-grove East, Levenshulme, Manchester, Lancashire	Grocer's Manager	Manchester	38 of 1900	May 17, 1901 ...	10 A.M.	Court-house, Quay-street, Manchester
Freeman, Louis	Residing at 13, Bath-lane-terrace, and carrying on business at 59A, Blackett-street, in the city and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne NOTE—The above Notice is in substitution for	Jeweller and Draper	Newcastle-on-Tyne	21 of 1900	April 25, 1901 ...	10 A.M.	Court-house, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne
		Notice of Application for Discharge published in the London Gazette of 26th February, 1901, the Application then advertised not having been heard.					
Hulse, Thomas Morris ...	Residing at 209, Attercliffe-common, in the city of Sheffield, and carrying on business at 98 and 100, Attercliffe-common, in the said city of Sheffield	Tailor, Hatter, and Outfitter	Sheffield	18 of 1895	May 9, 1901 ...	2 P.M.	County Court Hall, Bank-street, Sheffield
Jones, Louisa	The Mitre Laundry, Putney Bridge-road, Putney, and 7, the Cedars, Putney Bridge-road, Putney	Laundress, Spinster	Wandsworth	10 of 1900	May 6, 1901 ...	10.30 A.M.	Court-house, Wandsworth, Surrey

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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.
Bridgman, Ernest Ashford (professionally known as Ernest Frasetty) Hooper, Albert Edward	72, Palatine-road, Stoke Newington, formerly of 26, Waterloo-road, both in the county of London The Goldsmiths' Arms Public-house, Bartholomew Close, in the city of London	Music Hall Artists ... Licensed Victualler	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	606 of 1899 723 of 1898	Mar. 13, 1901 Mar. 21, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 13th March, 1903 Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 21st March, 1903; his Public Examination having been concluded on 27th October, 1898	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities 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
Lys, Samuel ...	11, Brunswick-road, Camberwell, in the county of London	Jeweller ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1073 of 1889	Mar. 15, 1901	Discharge suspended for three weeks, from 15th March, 1901. Bankrupt discharged as from 5th April, 1901; his Public Examination having been concluded on 22nd October, 1889	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
Pfeiffer, Alois ...	The Leather Exchange Tavern, Market - street, Bermondsey, in the county of London	Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1064 of 1900	Mar. 22, 1901	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 22nd March, 1901	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 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 some of his creditors
Sheldon, May French (formerly trading as Saxon and Co.)	Lately residing at the Hotel Cecil, and now of 11, Redcliffe-gardens, Kensington, both in the county of London, formerly carrying on business under the firm name of Saxon and Co., at 23, Bouverie-street, London aforesaid	Widow ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1293 of 1898	Mar. 19, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 19th March, 1903	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of her unsecured liabilities; and that she had contributed to her bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living

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.
Spiers, Alexander Donaldson	7, Glyn-mansions, Kensington, in the county of London	Accountant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	841 of 1899	Mar. 19, 1901	Discharge suspended for four years from 1st August, 1899. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 1st August, 1903; his Public Examination having been concluded on 1st 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 contributed to his bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living; and had on two previous occasions made a Composition or arrangement with his creditors
Thompson, Lewis Alfred	282, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of London	Corn Dealer and Baker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1258 of 1900	Mar. 12, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th March, 1903	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 continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Alpe, Robert John ...	Residing at Westminster-road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford	Engineer	Birmingham ...	7 of 1900	Mar. 14, 1901	Discharge granted subject to Judgment being entered by the Official Receiver against the bankrupt for the sum of £50	Facts mentioned in sec. 8, sub-sec. 3 (A.) and (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Chesterman, Thomas ...	334, Barkerend-road, in the city of Bradford	Commercial Traveller ...	Bradford ...	91 of 1900	Mar. 19, 1901	Discharge refused	Bankrupt's assets were not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Armstrong, Richard ...	East Howes, Coxhoe, and 9, Market - street, Hetton Downs, county of Durham	Butcher and Farmer ...	Durham ...	9 of 1895	Mar. 19, 1901	Discharge granted unconditionally	
Priestman, James, the younger	Bishop Auckland, county of Durham	Confectioner	Durham ...	18 of 1899	Mar. 19, 1901	Discharge suspended for five years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 19th March, 1906	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 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 proper ground of expectation of being able to pay them

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.
Kemp, Ernest Hugh (formerly trading as E. H. Kemp and Co.)	Formerly residing at 80, Great Chestham - street, Lower Broughton, Salford, Lancashire, and carrying on business at 137, Green- gate, Salford aforesaid, and 31, Withy-grove, in the city of Manchester, now resid- ing in lodgings at 15, Fern- street, Higher Broughton, Salford aforesaid	Formerly Butcher, now Meat Salesman	Salford ...	11 of 1900	Mar. 11, 1901	Discharge suspended for five years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th March, 1906	Bankrupt's assets were not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities, and that this arose from circumstances for which he was entirely responsible; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business he carried on, and as sufficiently disclose his business trans- actions and financial position within three years immediately preceding his bank- ruptcy; had continued to trade after know- ing himself to be insolvent, namely, from and after October, 1898; had contracted debts provable in his bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them reasonable or probable ground of expecta- tion of being able to pay them, and which amount to £660 or thereabouts; had failed to account satisfactorily for the deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities; had largely contributed to his bankruptcy by gambling; and had been guilty of grave misconduct in relation to his property and affairs, namely, in that he not only pre- ferred Messrs. Mather and Taylor to all his other creditors but also entirely dis- regarded the interests of his general body of creditors in favour of his own
Mills, William (trad- ing as William Mills and Co.)	7, Leaf-square, Pendleton, Lancashire, and carrying on business at John-street, Pendleton aforesaid	Brassfounder ...	Salford ...	11 of 1894	Feb. 18, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 18th February, 1903	Bankrupt's assets were not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities, and that this arose from circumstances for which he was responsible; that his books of account did not fully disclose his business transactions nor sufficiently disclose his financial posi- tion after the month of August, 1892; that he had contracted all the debts provable in his bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to them; and had been guilty of mis- conduct in relation to his property and affairs, namely, in carrying on business since 1892 in wilful ignorance of his true financial position

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Cours.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Weatherell, Joseph ...	38, Alma - street and 1, Bishopton-lane, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham	Jeweller	Stockton - on - Tees	37 of 1896	Mar. 19, 1901	Discharge refused, with liberty to the bankrupt to apply again	Facts mentioned in (A.), (B.), (C.), (D.), (E.), (I.), and (K.), sub-sec. 3, sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Leese, Harry	44, High-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire	General Ironmonger ...	Stoke - upon - Trent	9 of 1895	Mar. 11, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years	Facts mentioned in sub-sec. 3 of sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890 (A.), (B.), and (I.)
Alderson, John Thomas	59, Grosvenor-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, late of Upper Alma-street, West Hartlepool aforesaid	Late Grocer, now out of business	Sunderland ...	28 of 1896	Mar. 21, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years	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; 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; and had on a previous occasion made a Composition or arrangement with his creditors
Straker, James Fitzroy, the younger	Greyhound Hotel, Abergavenny, Monmouthshire	Hotel Proprietor... ..	Tredegar ...	3 of 1900	Feb. 12, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th February, 1903	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; 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; had failed to account satisfactorily for deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities; and had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation

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APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Warner, Powell	10, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London ...	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	220 of 1901	Pannell, William Henry	13 and 14, Basinghall-street, London, E.C.	April 11, 1901
Hawkins, John Williams (trading as Hawkins and Coy.)	Woburn Green, in the county of Buckingham, and of Cookham Rise, in the county of Berks	Builder and Market Gardener	Aylesbury	1 of 1901	Davis, Frederic William	95 and 97, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C., Chartered Accountant	April 4, 1901
Thorpe, Ernest Holland ...	134, High-street, Ilfracombe, Devonshire ...	Boot and Coal Dealer ...	Barnstaple	7 of 1901	Winson, Charles Bright	City-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol	April 12, 1901
Oort, John Giles Denison ...	141, Preston New-road, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster	Physician and Surgeon ...	Blackburn and Darwen	12 of 1901	Bullough, Edwin James	1, Richmond - terrace, Blackburn	April 4, 1901
Dalton, Michael	55, Withers-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster	Butcher and Grocer ...	Blackburn and Darwen	11 of 1901	Arkwright, Francis	64, Northgate, Blackburn ...	April 4, 1901
Bernard, Charles John ...	Skegness, Lincolnshire	Medical Practitioner ...	Boston	3 of 1901	Lucas, Charles ...	4 and 6, West - street, Boston, Chartered Accountant	April 13, 1901
Wenham, Thomas Kimber ... and Wenham, John (lately carrying on business in co-partnership under the style or firm of Wenham Brothers) ...	Buckhurst, Maybury-road, Woking, Surrey ... At 2, the Pavement, Woking, 11, High-street, Woking, and the Market-place, St. John's, Woking, all in Surrey	Butcher Meat Salesman's Manager Butchers	Guildford and Godalming	3 of 1900 (Under Consolidation.)	Rayner, William George	10, Arthur - street West, London Bridge, E.C., Incorporated Accountant	April 11, 1901
Lees, Laurence	Residing and carrying on business at 10, Long-moor-lane, and also carrying on business at 231, Walton-road, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster	Hosier and Outfitter ...	Liverpool	23 of 1901	Mahon, George ...	26, North John-street, Liverpool, Chartered Accountant	April 13, 1901
Cooper, James ... and Cooper, William Henry (trading under the style of A. Cooper and Co.) ...	107, Shaw Heath, Stockport, in the county of Chester Manchester-road, Wilmslow, in the county of Chester At 86 and 86A, Tib-street, in the city of Manchester	Shroud Manufacturers ...	Manchester	23 of 1901	Womersley, Frederick	1, Piccadilly, Manchester, Chartered Accountant	April 11, 1901
Matthews, John	Beam-street, Nantwich	Builder and Contractor ...	Nantwich and Crewe	4 of 1901	Figgins, Henry William	13, Cheapside, Hanley, Incorporated Accountant	April 10, 1901
Wademan, William	Westover-street, Morecambe, Lancashire ...	Mineral Water Manufacturer	Preston	12 of 1901	Mitchell, John ...	55, Church-street, Keighley	April 4, 1901

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Morton, William	Residing and carrying on business at 125 and 127, Manchester-road, Southport, Lancashire	Fruiterer and Stationer	Liverpool	34 of 1900	Thomas Henry Crane	211, Lord-street, Southport	Chartered Accountant	Mar. 28, 1901
Jackson, William Thomas (trading as W. T. Jackson and Co.)	Residing at Fern Bank, New Moston-by-Failsworth, and trading at Lower Grange Mill, Accrington, and at 18, New Cannon-street, Manchester, all in Lancashire	Cotton Manufacturer...	Manchester	14 of 1900	Charles William Nasmith	40, Brazennose-street, Manchester	Chartered Accountant	Mar. 28, 1901
Hall, Joseph	Coole Pilate, in the parish of Acton, Cheshire	Farmer	Nantwich and Crewe	14 of 1898	J. P. Whittingham...	7, Welsh-row, Nantwich	Solicitor	Mar. 28, 1901
N 2 Cockings, Charles Mark Palmer (carrying on business under the style or name of James Stevens)	95, High-street, Strood, Kent ...	Chemist	Rochester	23 of 1900	Edward Allen ...	12, King Edward-road, Rochester	Accountant	April 3, 1901
Lewis, David-Rhys... ..	1166 and 1167, Neath-road, Plasmarl, in the county borough of Swansea	Grocer	Swansea	1 of 1898	Charles Edwin Dovey	33, Queen-street, Cardiff	Chartered Accountant	Mar. 28, 1901
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 29th March, 1901.</i>								
Wilkinson, Isaac	The White Bear Inn, Eastburn, in the parish of Kildwick, Yorkshire	Innkeeper and Horse Dealer	Bradford	11 of 1900	Joseph Arthur Binns	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Mar. 8, 1901

ADMINISTRATION ORDER IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTOR.

Name of Deceased.	Late Address.	Late Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition or Application for Transfer.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy, if any, committed by Deceased within three months before the date of his Decease.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof), or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted.
Williams, Evan ...	2, Eldon-terrace and Garth, Bangor, Carnarvonshire	Builder and Contractor	Mar. 12, 1901	Bangor ...	13 of 1901	April 11, 1901	April 11, 1901 ...	... ..	Will ...	Mar. 27, 1901

NOTICES TO DEBTORS IN LIEU OF PERSONAL SERVICE OF BANKRUPTCY NOTICES AND PETITIONS, AND OF APPLICATIONS TO COMMIT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No.	Nature of Notice of which Substituted Service directed.	Date thereof.	If a Petition or Application to Commit, Date of Hearing.	Name and Description of Person giving Bankruptcy Notice, or by whom Petition is Presented, or by whom Application to Commit is being made.
Craven, John	303, Upperthorpe, in the city of Sheffield	Builder	Sheffield	22 of 1901	Bankruptcy Petition	Mar. 30, 1901 ...	April 25, 1901, at 2 P.M., County Court Hall, Bank- street, Shef- field	James White the younger, of, Burton- road, Sheffield, Builder and Contrac- tor, trading as James White and Son

Pursuant to the Acts and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1890.
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 Chetwynd Mills and Creamery Limited	Chetwynd Mills, Newport, Salop ...	Stafford	1 of 1900	May 9, 1901	Edwin Marshall Payne, John Abbot	2 P.M.	Shirehall, Stafford

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF LIQUIDATOR.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Liquidator's Name.	Address.	Date of Appointment.
Bostock and Company Limited	8, Cook-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster	Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster (Manchester District)	1901 B. No. 34	Frank Halsall and Simon Jude (with a Committee of Inspection)	42, Spring-gardens, in the city of Manchester 10, Cook-street, in the city of Liverpool	April 1, 1901

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 County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.
In Bankruptcy. No. 15 of 1901.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 1st day of April, 1901.

To Thomas Charles Bigden, lately residing and carrying on business at Masonsbridge Farm, Earlswood, in the county of Surrey, Farmer, but whose present residence the Petitioner is unable to ascertain.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Barnett Samuel, of 4, Adelaide-street, Charing Cross, in the county of Middlesex, Financial Agent, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Surrey Mirror newspapers, and the sending by registered post of a sealed copy of the Petition and a sealed copy of the Order for substituted service of the said Petition addressed to you at Masonsbridge Farm, Earlswood, in the county of Surrey, shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said Petition will be heard at this Court on the 30th day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1901.

J. G. LINCOLN, Deputy Registrar.

DAVID DAVIS, 11, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.O.,
Solicitor for the Petitioner.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1888 and 1890.
In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.
No. 303 of 1894.

Re Ernest Edward Kingsman and William John Kingsman, both of 107, Old Kent-road, in the county of London, Slaters and Slate Merchants (trading as

J. Page and Co.), and lately carrying on business at 61, the Exchange, Southwark, in the county of London.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there being in the hands of the Trustee in the above Bankruptcy a surplus estimated at £1,200, arising from the separate estate of Ernest Edward Kingsman, one of the bankrupts, and there being no separate creditors of such bankrupt, it is the intention of such Trustee at the expiration of fourteen days from the appearance of this notice in the Gazette, to transfer such surplus to the credit of the joint estate in the said bankruptcy.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1901.

G. W. CHAPMAN, Trustee.

THE estates of Bell Brothers, Manufacturing Chemists, Basin Chemical Works and Grinding Mills, Canal Bank, Kirkintilloch, as a Company, and Edward Rutherford Bell and Francis William Raikes Bell, both Manufacturing Chemists there, the sole Partners thereof and as Individuals, were sequestrated on 11th April, 1901, by the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton and Clackmannan at Dumbarton.

The first deliverance is dated 11th April, 1901.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 19th day of April, 1901, within the Elephant Hotel, Dumbarton.

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 11th August, 1901.

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