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The following Despatches have been received by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs:—

No. 1.

Acting Commissioner Jackson to the Marquess of Lansdowne.—(Received February 5, 1902.)
(No. 283. Uganda.)

Entebbe, Uganda,
December 23, 1901.

MY LORD,
I have the honour to forward herewith Major Delmé-Radcliffe's Report on the recently concluded Lango expedition against the remnant of the Soudanese mutineers, and certain sections of the Lango people, who have been a constant source of trouble to the Administration.

From Colonel Coles' covering Despatch it will be observed that Delmé-Radcliffe has conducted the operation to his entire satisfaction, and I have much pleasure in adding my own high appreciation of his services, not only in this matter, but from the time he entered the Nile Province, and assumed both civil and military control of it.

The accuracy of the information Major Delmé-Radcliffe was able to obtain regarding the whereabouts of the various sections of the mutineers after they had once scattered, and in several instances had committed cold-blooded murders in order to overawe the natives into silence as to their position is, I think, a very noteworthy feature. It is generally found that unreliable information, or no information at all, is one of the greatest difficulties that a field force in these parts has to contend with, and it has, in more than one instance, been the cause of a punitive force returning in despair after accomplishing very little or nothing at all. Major Delmé-Radcliffe, however, has availed himself of every possible opportunity offered for gaining an intimate knowledge of the Nile Province and the people, and he has been so signally successful in winning the confidence of all the tribes he has had dealings with that I consider the accuracy of the information which enabled him to be so constantly in close touch with the mutineers, who were scarcely given a moment's rest, is the most conclusive evidence of the remarkable influence

he has gained over the people through his tact, firmness, and justice. His reputation throughout the whole of the Nile Province is unique.

I should like to point out that when Major Delmé-Radcliffe took over both military and civil charge of the Province, a little more than two years ago, the position of affairs was most unsatisfactory, and at one time there were always rumours of an impending general rising of the tribes. The whole country was closed to traders, and no one could move about without an escort. All this is now changed: the country has been opened up and a brisk trade has arisen, and is being taken advantage of by Indians, Arabs, and others, and it is now quite safe for even small caravans to move about in most parts of the Province practically unarmed.

I submit to your Lordship that great credit is due to Major Delmé-Radcliffe for such a satisfactory condition of affairs.

The complete success of his recent operations will no doubt have a still further quieting effect, and I venture to hope that by his untiring efforts to promote the interests of the Administration, he may be considered to have justly earned your Lordship's appreciation.

I also have the honour to call your Lordship's attention for favourable consideration to the eulogy by Major Delmé-Radcliffe, and so cordially endorsed by Colonel Coles, on the good work done by Captains Petrie and Harman and by Doctor Bagshawe, throughout the whole of the operations.

A special Report on an act of great gallantry by Captain Petrie has already been forwarded to your Lordship. Captain Harman has now been two years in the Nile Province, and, quite apart from his military duties, has been Acting Collector at Nimule for over a year. During this time he has, single handed and without clerical assistance, done excellent work in a civil capacity and has won the confidence of the people, and has acquired an influence over them that will be of the very greatest assistance to the civil administration when the time comes for the whole Province to be controlled by the Sub-Commissioner.

I consider the greatest credit is also due to Dr. Bagshawe for having, under the most adverse circumstances, successfully battled with the outbreak of small-pox which unfortunately broke out, and so greatly hampered the movements of the force. It is generally conceded amongst African travellers that an outbreak of small-pox in a caravan is the greatest calamity that can befall it, and the fact that it was so efficiently prevented from committing greater havoc in the force reflects great credit to Dr. Bagshawe.

All things considered, and the fact that there are now only six mutineers—one has since been captured and brought in by the natives—still at large, I consider this a most successful and brilliantly conducted expedition, and I have the honour to support Colonel Coles' request that your Lordship may be pleased to sanction the Eastern and Central African medal with clasp "Lango, 1901," being issued to the troops who actually took part in the operations.

I have, &c.,

F. J. JACKSON.

Inclosure 1 in No. 1.

Colonel Coles to Acting Commissioner Jackson.
Entebbe, November 6, 1901.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward, herewith, Major Delmé-Radcliffe's Report on the Lango Expedition, which he has just brought to a successful conclusion.

About a year ago reports were constantly brought in from the Nile and Unyoro districts, of raids on friendly Chiefs by hordes of Lango, supported by a band of Soudanese mutineers who had established a post at Modo, about 20 miles north of Foweira. These incursions became so frequent that it was necessary, in order to protect the friendly tribes, to take strong measures against the mutineers. An expedition was therefore sanctioned by His Majesty's Special Commissioner. Before it was dispatched, Major Delmé-Radcliffe endeavoured, by means of envoys, to induce the mutineers to come in and give themselves up. It was thought that although the ringleaders would probably remain hostile, some of the rank and file might be induced to surrender. This attempt, though well carried out, failed in its object, only three men accompanying the party back to Nimule, and it became necessary to commence hostile operations. The operations, which are described in detail in Major Delmé-Radcliffe's Report, were most successfully carried out, with the result that the band of mutineers was thoroughly broken up, only seven out of the original sixty-two remaining at large. I believe this to be the last body of mutineers which has retained any cohesion and that there will be no further trouble from this source. The Lango, too, have received a severe lesson and even if their raids are not entirely stopped, their effect will be, to a large extent, discounted by the fact that they have lost the support of this semi-disciplined force of ex-soldiers.

Owing to the exceptional climatic conditions, the expedition was carried out under particularly trying circumstances. The grass, which was very long for the time of year, and the swamps, hampered the movements of the troops and afforded excellent cover for the enemy. I consider that the successful termination of the operations reflects great credit on Major Delmé-Radcliffe, and on all who served under him.

I recommend that the East and Central Africa medal, with clasp inscribed "Lango, 1901," be issued to the troops who actually took part in

the operations in the Lango country between the 24th April and the 24th August, 1901.

In forwarding Major Delmé-Radcliffe's name for favourable consideration, I have the honour to point out that the operations above reported are only the last events in a course of very good work performed by him in the Nile district. As Political Officer, first of the Nile Province and later of the northern portion of it, he appears to have gained great influence over the natives, to have succeeded in getting their confidence, and to have made himself well known to and respected by all the tribes with whom the Administration has come in contact.

In a Military Report, reference to his political work is, perhaps, out of place; but in this case the civil and military work are so combined that it is difficult to separate the two.

Previous to his tour of service in the Nile Province, he did a great deal of good work in the eastern military district, and has, from time to time, sent in most valuable sketches and reports.

I cordially indorse the favourable Report on Captains Petrie and Harman and Dr. Bagshawe, and I hope that their names may also be forwarded for favourable consideration.

I have, &c.

A. H. COLES, Colonel,
Commanding Uganda Rifles.

Inclosure 2 in No. 1.

Major Delmé-Radcliffe to Colonel Coles.
Nimule, September 10, 1901.

SIR,

I have the honour to report that the Lango mutineer expedition was concluded on the 24th August.

The following is a summary of the results:—

Of the 103 mutineers who have been in the Lango and Acholi countries since the operations in 1899, which terminated in the capture of M'wanga and Kabarega, seven surrendered before the expedition commenced, seven are still at large, all the remainder were either killed in action or captured by the expedition.

Further, 214 natives were killed (510 were reported as being killed, but 214 is the number personally vouched for by British Officers); 1,485 prisoners were taken; 634 head of cattle and 9,028 goats and sheep were captured; 7 small tusks of ivory, about 3,000 spears, and 500 shields were also taken. Further, 88 firearms, including 52 Martini-Henry rifles (apart from 7 previously surrendered), 10 Sniders, 6 Remingtons, 1 double-barrel shot-gun, and 19 muzzle-loading guns. Of ammunition, about 1,000 rounds were captured, chiefly Martini-Henry.

The bulk of the mutineers had been in the Lango country since the early part of 1899. They had reorganized themselves into a company, making Mulazim Farajalla Effendi, Yuzbasha, Sergeant-Major Risgalla Bushir and Sergeants Rahimtulla and Sarur Murjan, each Mulazim, and Sergeant Adul Fret, Sergeant-Major. The latter appeared to have a great deal of influence, especially with the natives, who always referred to the mutineers as "Adul Fret's black Turks." The men themselves invariably spoke of their chosen leaders as "Effendis." Their discipline seems to have been wonderfully maintained, seeing that they were, after all, only a small republic of fugitives. They performed guards and other routine duties, and I am satisfied that a large number were only kept in the field by their loyalty to their leaders, whose orders they obeyed to the letter with a fidelity worthy of a better cause. No doubt, however,

being surrounded by a native population which might at any time turn against them supplied an external pressure tending to cohesion.

Their "station" was a collection of huts and houses covering a considerable area on an admirable site near the junction of the Oloin and Toshi Rivers. Many of the houses were rectangular and built in imitation of the European fashion. The whole was surrounded by a light palisade. A sentry-post on a high platform gave a good command of view over the whole surrounding country. A tall flag-staff was erected, no doubt to imitate still further an official station.

The mutineers fought from the first, resisting the troops by every means in their power. They possessed far more ammunition than was expected. Those that were killed before they had time to fire off many cartridges had, in some cases, forty-five rounds in their waist-belts. This ammunition is said to have been procured from No. 4 (Swahili) Company in part, when that company was at Faocera, as the mutineers are said to have communicated with these men through intermediaries. The influence of Ruadebba (now a prisoner), a son of Kabarega's, procured them more, and also quantities of trade goods of all kinds, from Unyoro. Rajumba was, no doubt, instrumental in this. Part of their ammunition they took with them when they first mutinied; more was obtained from the party ambuscaded near Kisaliz, belonging to the 27th Baluch Regiment. Finally, three boxes, captured by the Lango from Lieutenant Wake's caravan near Alagoin's, when Lieutenant Wake attacked the mutineers, passed into the possession of the latter.

The mutineers had established themselves in the country of the Chief Obokhe (now a prisoner), made friends with such of the Lango clans as surrounded them most, nearly, and in most cases, made "blood-brotherhood" with them—an engagement on the whole very faithfully kept by the Lango, but which did not always serve to protect them, as the mutineers clung to the time-honoured policy of playing off the clans against each other in turns—a policy to which the short-sighted Lango lent themselves ready victims.

When some of the Chiefs subsequently said they wished to help us but dared not, owing to this "blood-brotherhood," a sufficiently ridiculous ceremony had to be gone through to free their consciences. Dr. Bagshawe, with due formalities, injected a dose of apomorphia into the cicatrix of the incision made in the "blood-brotherhood" rites. This made the patient violently sick in about five minutes. A few nauseous draughts afterwards completed the operation, and the subject's satisfaction in the breaking of the spell.

From their headquarters the mutineers, in conjunction with their Lango allies, carried out very extensive raids, even into the Acholi district, as already reported, and causing a great deal of injury. There is also no doubt that they, with a large section of Lango, were friendly with Rajumba, and caused a lot of disloyalty to be manifested in the Chopi district of Unyoro. Very large numbers of real Lango and Lango-speaking natives live in this district, and Ruadebba, who assiduously kept alive the fiction that Kabarega would shortly return, was a strong connecting link. I believe that the stories circulated concerning the hostility of the Lango to the Wanyoro of the Chopi district to have been chiefly blinds invented by Rajumba, Mpindu, and others, and that they, with Ruadebba, of the mutineers, with their friendly Lango, meant anything but well towards the Government.

The Lango had a great reputation among the Acholi and other Nile tribes as warriors. This rested, perhaps, mainly on the fact that they had twice destroyed considerable bodies armed with rifles. Treachery was probably their most effective weapon, and it seemed from our experiences to be characteristic of the Lango. Probably, also, that wonderful native ruler, Kabarega, succeeded in using their great numerical strength by combining the clans for a common object which they appear incapable of on their own initiative or under their own Chiefs. In Emin Pasha's time they cut up a column of 200 Soudanese in the Umiro country, destroying it to a man. The Remington rifles of this ill-fated body are to be met with everywhere still.

A party of eighty was similarly cut up in Moita, nor has the successful ambushade of a small rear guard of Indian troops in 1899 been forgotten.

About half the Lango professed to side with the expedition but could rarely be trusted, as they had so many relations and friends on the other side.

During the earlier part of the operations the hostile Lango made several attempts to ambushade columns but always failed. Night attacks, said to be a favourite habit of the Lango, they did not indulge in. On the few occasions on which they really faced the troops, they were so roughly handled as to effectually put an end to offensive tactics on their part. Latterly they confined themselves to helping the mutineers as much as they could and saving their own cattle and other belongings.

The operations took nearly four months to complete. This slowness is in the main attributable to two causes. Firstly, the early commencement this year of a very heavy rainy season. Owing to this the grass even in May was everywhere very dense and varying in height from 6 to 9 feet. The swamps were all full, and exceedingly difficult to cross. As they occurred every few miles and the grass covered the whole surface of the country, including the ground under the trees in the forest, it is unnecessary to insist further on the advantage this state of the country gave the enemy.

The second serious drawback was the outbreak of small-pox. As the majority of individuals in the force were unprotected by vaccination or previous attacks of the disease, it was necessary to enforce very stringent rules to control the outbreak. That it was in the end quite got under is a matter for congratulation, but it much limited the radius of action of the columns and reduced the number of available troops, as, owing to the necessity for establishing a number of separate camps, the guard duty became very heavy.

One circumstance probably contributed a good deal to the decision of the mutineers to resist, and also encouraged the Lango to continue the support they gave to the former. This was, that since the capture of Mwanga and Kabarega, none of the expeditions dispatched from Lamogi or Unyoro had inconvenienced the mutineers or Lango in any way, or caused them any losses. The mutineers were, no doubt, loth to leave what must have been to them an earthly paradise, and the Lango to relinquish the help of such congenial allies in villainy. Neither could realize at first that the Government, on this occasion, meant to proceed to extremities, and both fully expected that the troops would retire after the usual pronenade.

I must draw the attention of the Commandant to the excellent behaviour of the troops. With the exception of the marksmanship, which I

regret to say I consider very bad indeed, I have no fault to find with them. Their spirit, endurance, and discipline were alike admirable, and the conduct of both Sou'inese and Baganda, generally speaking, was exemplary.

Some of the marching performed, especially in the earlier part of the operations, was very arduous. The distances covered were surprising, and, as was necessary when pursuing so mobile and well-informed an enemy, everything that could possibly be spared was left behind, practically nothing being carried but arms and ammunition and a few day's supply of food—all on the person—so that considerable hardship had to be endured by all ranks.

Throughout the expedition complete harmony prevailed between all the British Officers, and all did everything in their power, even when seriously ill, as occurred in more than one case, to back each other up and assist me in furthering the object for which the expedition was dispatched. The result was that my personal share in the work was very easy and agreeable.

While all the Officers did very well, I would bring the following specially to the notice of the Commandant:—

Captain C. L. R. Petrie, Manchester Regiment. This Officer was in an indifferent state of health, and must have suffered considerably from the hardships endured. He, however, from first to last displayed great keenness and devotion to duty. In my absence on flying column he was in command of the head-quarter camp on some occasions, and performed this duty to my entire satisfaction.

Captain G. M. N. Harman, Rifle Brigade. This Officer had only recently recovered from an attack of blackwater fever when the expedition started. He, however, accomplished the first long march of 70 miles over a bad country entirely on foot, a fact which speaks for itself. Throughout the expedition his intelligence, determination, and quiet alacrity in carrying out orders, marked him as a valuable and reliable Officer.

Dr. Bagshawe. I cannot speak too highly of this gentleman or of the manner in which he performed the very hard work which fell to his share. He was never sick, whenever required he accompanied the troops any distance on foot and he was wonderfully painstaking and successful in his treatment of his patients, black and white alike, and they numbered hundreds daily. He acquired a well-deserved measure of popularity with the whole force, and I think the Uganda Protectorate is to be congratulated in obtaining the services of so able and zealous a Medical Officer.

I would also beg to direct the Commandant's attention to the following Native Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and men:—

No. 2388 Yuzbasha Ali Effendi Mombur, No. 1 Company.—This Native Officer showed special zeal and ability throughout. He was several times in command of small independent parties and always did well. He captured Adul Fret with a small column after making a march of 80 miles in 48 hours in pursuit. His reports were so clearly and intelligently made that on more than one occasion the sketches of ground I compiled from them proved later to bear a very workable resemblance to the actual localities.

No. 2837 Yuzbasha Juma Effendi Dira, No. 8 Company. Did very well generally on the expedition. On two occasions he commanded parties sent to capture important natives who were in hiding. These difficult tasks he carried out to my complete satisfaction.

No. 2113 Mulazim Awal Abdul Ghafar Effendi Sabhaa, No. 5 Company. Proved himself a very active and keen leader on all occasions.

No. 896 Sergeant-Major Alipo Marumba, No. 3 Company. This Non-commissioned Officer proved himself on all occasions to be reliable, intelligent, and zealous.

No. 2500 Lance-Corporal Yanga Abdulla, No. 1 Company. This Non-commissioned Officer carried out a dangerous reconnaissance under very difficult circumstances at night very well. He also came under my notice specially on other occasions as well.

No. 1054 Private Alimansi Agera, No. 3 Company. Orderly to Lieutenant Howard. This man saved his Officer's life. When Lieutenant Howard was lying on the ground, wounded, with one foot hung up in his stirrup, a native with a spear was standing over Lieutenant Howard and in the act of thrusting when Private Alimansi Agera, at the most opportune moment, shot Lieutenant Howard's opponent dead from a distance of 100 yards.

The following Chiefs also rendered material help to the expedition:—

Lasundu of Paoera (Foweira). Was most useful in many ways. He gave valuable information on several occasions, was always keen to help or do anything he might be asked to do, from forwarding mails and taking charge of stores to looking after small-pox patients invalided from the expedition.

Alagoin of Koich. Joined the column with 100 guns, but as his men's and our notions of discipline did not coincide, I dismissed them to their homes in order to avoid any risk of friction, which I should have regretted, as their intentions were excellent. The Chief and ten men remained with the force throughout and were very useful in many ways.

Ogul of Branga. This Chief ran away when the mutineers passed through his country in their first fight. He was frightened by lying individuals into believing that we meant to attack him. He soon came in, however, and gave great assistance from that time on. His headman, Okelo Mwaka, was my right hand man throughout the expedition, and was certainly one of the most plucky, sensible, honest, and single-minded natives I have ever met anywhere.

I may add that all the Acholi Chiefs within reach either did something to help or sent to ask if they could do anything. Since the return of the force all the Acholi Chiefs, all the Madi on our bank of the Nile, and many of the Bari Chiefs, even from near Gondokoro, have been here in person to offer congratulations. It is quite clear that the Lango expedition has given them great satisfaction. As they say, "The Lango used to be men indeed, now they are as women; they cannot raid us or fight any more. They have finished to hear the word of the Government." However this may be, I do not think the Lango would be a safe country for individuals or small parties until a Government station is established at some commanding spot in it. The Lango are very numerous but very irresponsible, treacherous, and childishy foolish at times. Their ferocity, especially when drunk, which they often are, makes any outrage possible.

C. DELMÉ-RADCLIFFE,
Major, Uganda Rifles,
Commanding Lango Field Force.

Inclosure 3 in No. 1.
Diary of Lango Field Force, 1901.

War Office,
12th September, 1902.

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

SOUTHERN NIGERIA.

High Commissioner Sir R. Moor to Mr. Chamberlain. (Received May 12, 1902.)

(Despatch relating to Field Operations.)

(No. 183.) Government House,

Sir, Old Calabar, April 17, 1902.

I have the honour to report that the operations of the Aro Field Force, which commenced at the end of November, terminated successfully on the 23rd of March last, the work having been carried out with entire success. I enclose herewith the final despatch of the Officer Commanding the Field Force, Lieutenant-Colonel Montanaro, giving particulars of the operations from the commencement.

2. The objects of the Expedition were:—

(a) To abolish the slave trade which was actively carried on throughout the entire territories belonging to, and dominated by, the Aro tribe.

(b) To abolish the fetish of the Aros known as "Long Juju," which, by superstition and fraud, caused many evils amongst the Ibo tribes generally, and to all the outlying tribes of the entire Protectorate, who continually appealed to it. While this Juju existed it was impossible to establish effective government in the territories.

(c) To open up the whole of the Ibo country lying between the Cross River and the Niger to civilization and trade, and to induce the natives to engage in the legitimate trade of collecting the natural products of their country and developing it to the best advantage.

(d) To introduce a currency in lieu of slaves, brass rods, and other forms of native currency that existed in the territories, and which from their nature and cumbersomeness were opposed to advance in any direction.

(e) Finally, to establish throughout the territories a labour market to take the place of slavery.

3. The area over which the operations of the expeditionary force extended was from the east of the Cross River to the Niger, and from a short distance inland to the upper waters of the Cross River, or to define it by distance, approximately 120 miles from east to west and 90 miles from south to north, within which area a tract of country of about 6,000 square miles had to be dealt with. The total of all ranks that took part in these operations amounted to 1,745 Officers and men, with the requisite number of carriers.

5. A few days before the operations commenced a most deplorable massacre of some 400 men, women, and children, mostly women and children, was carried out in the hinterland of the Opobo district, at a town called Obegu. The Aros had long threatened to attack the tribes friendly to the Government, and though the people of Obegu had been warned to keep careful watch, they were unfortunately caught napping by a conglomerate force of the various sections of the Aro tribe, together with other Ibos unfriendly to them, and their town was destroyed with the slaughter of the people above mentioned. This gave another object and duty to the Field Force, viz., that of capturing and bringing to justice the natives responsible for this bloodthirsty massacre, in the carrying out of which one section of the Aro tribe alone, the Abams, who were great head hunters, are reported to have obtained 200 heads.

6. The particulars of the operations as carried out are carefully detailed in the report of the

Officer Commanding, and need little comment from me. I am able to state with certainty that the objects of the expedition detailed in paragraph 2 of this despatch have been effectively carried out in so far as could be done by military operations. The slave trade has been abolished, the evil fetish of the Aro tribe has been broken, the entire colony has been opened up, and the natives are already beginning to engage in legitimate trade in place of the traffic in human beings, and a currency of British coinage has been introduced, which the natives are now gladly accepting in lieu of slaves, brass rods, manillas, &c. Again, the further object of capturing and bringing to justice the natives responsible for the Obegu massacre has been successfully attained, the towns and villages who participated in the massacre have been severely punished, and seven Chiefs found responsible for the organization of same have already been brought to justice. Two of them have already suffered the extreme penalty of the law on the very site, at the village of Obegu, where the crime was committed, in the presence of the assembled representatives of the country for many miles round, and others have been sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. There are several other Chiefs now in custody awaiting trial and sentence for participation in this act of cruel and bloodthirsty crime.

7. In conducting these operations and carrying out the various objects considerable, and in some cases determined, opposition was met with from the natives, which is more particularly detailed in the report of the Officer Commanding the Troops. I have, however, to place it on record that from the reports furnished to me from the Commanding Officer, the Political Officers, and from my personal observations during the period that I have been with the Field Force while the operations were in progress, I am fully satisfied that the work has been conducted with tact, judgment, and every reasonable consideration that could be extended to a native enemy in these territories. Every effort that circumstances and time admitted has been made to avoid hostile collision with the natives, and to bring them under the control of the Government by peaceable means.

8. During the conduct of these operations some of the natives in the Lower Niger took advantage of the attention of the Government being engaged elsewhere to carry out several murders and some acts of piracy, which resulted in the closing of the trade routes of the Lower Niger. Immediate action was taken, and a small detachment of the Aro Field Force, supplemented by a few men from the garrisons of the Niger Division, were detailed to deal with the matter under Major Hodson, I.S.C. This Officer, finding that the force at his disposal was not sufficient to both maintain a base on the Niger and undertake active operations in the disaffected area, applied for assistance to His Majesty's Ship "Thrush," which was promptly rendered by Lieutenant-Commander D'Oyly, Royal Navy, of that vessel. A water base was maintained by the Officers and men of the "Thrush," and the troops of this Protectorate were thus able to land, with the result that the difficulties were promptly and effectively dealt with, the waterways opened, and restitution made for the acts of piracy.

9. After the carrying out of the first objective, it was considered advisable to take steps to disarm the country, as the natives were found to have in their hands a large number of Snider rifles and cap-guns. In carrying out the further objectives, therefore, instructions were given to all column and company Commanders to insist on

the natives surrendering all war guns (rifles and cap-guns) when making their submission. This resulted in over 25,000 of such guns being captured and destroyed.

10. I now submit, for the consideration of His Majesty's Government, that the Officers and men of all ranks who have participated in these operations and brought them to a successful issue, should receive recognition of the services rendered by the grant of a medal, and while endorsing fully the recommendations of the Officer Commanding the Field Force with reference to those who have acted under him in military capacity, I would bring to your favourable notice the services of the following Officers. I refrain from specially mentioning any of the military Officers whose services have come under my personal observation, as the names of those who appear to be deserving of special recognition for military services have been fully dealt with by Lieutenant-Colonel Montanaro in his report, and it would be invidious for me to draw special attention to any of them. I will, however, particularly endorse his mention of those Officers who, from the reports furnished me from time to time, appear to be deserving of special mention.

11. The Officer Commanding the Field Force, Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Montanaro, is clearly deserving of special mention for services rendered in organizing and conducting the operations of the Field Force to a successful issue. The strategical arrangements at the commencement, which were based on the intelligence supplied by the civil staff, have proved in the event to have been well thought out and planned, and the general conduct of the operations themselves has been carried out with precision and success.

The reports furnished me from time to time show clearly that the most arduous work of the campaign fell upon Brevet Major (local Lieutenant-Colonel) A. Festing, D.S.O., of the Royal Irish Rifles, who was in command of the contingent from Northern Nigeria, and who has on all occasions with the columns under his command been thoroughly successful.

In the same way I gather from the reports that the severest opposition was encountered by Captain, Local Major, W. C. G. Heneker, Connaught Rangers, of the Southern Nigeria Regiment. His disposition of his men was such as to entail the minimum of loss to the forces under his command, and he was successful in all operations entrusted to him.

The work done by the staff of the Commanding Officer does not, of course, appear detailed in the reports, but it is evident that all arrangements were made with the utmost care and foresight, and I would therefore endorse the recommendations of the Officer Commanding in this direction.

12. With regard to the civil staff attached to the Field Force, I would mention the name of Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Gallwey, C.M.G., D.S.O., Senior Political Officer, whose work throughout was performed in an able and satisfactory manner, and whose arrangements of the Political Staff under him were such as to avoid friction and give general satisfaction.

Mr. F. S. James, Divisional Commissioner, was originally attached to the Field Force as Intelligence Officer, and the map, from which the original plan of operations was arranged, was practically prepared by him, as also the general intelligence with regard to the natives of the territories. This Officer has for many years been engaged in collecting information with regard to

the Aros, and has proved himself to have the capacity for assimilating information of this nature and putting it into a practically useful form. His services during the operations were of great value, and he has shown himself particularly able in handling and dealing with natives. I consider that the satisfactory issue of the campaign is to some considerable extent due to the work of this Officer, and submit his name for your special consideration.

In connection with the Political Staff I consider the services of Captain R. E. P. Gabbett, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, should be mentioned. He has been mentioned as one of the special Officers by the Officer Commanding for his work in the military capacity. He was on two occasions employed as Political Officer accompanying, on one occasion a company, and on the second occasion a column, as he had previously been in the Regiment here and had some knowledge of the territories and the natives. In the capacity of a Political Officer he did his work to my entire satisfaction, and showed considerable tact, judgment, and capacity.

13. The Medical Staff was organized from the civilian staff of the Protectorate by the Principal Medical Officer, Dr. Robert Allman, and was augmented by a Medical Officer, Dr. Brook, accompanying the Northern Nigerian Contingent, and a Medical Officer, Dr. Hadley, specially engaged to accompany the Lagos Column. The organization of the Medical Staff in the Field was, I understand, found to be thoroughly efficient at all times, and of that of the Base Hospitals I can speak personally, having visited and inspected them on several occasions. The organization was, I consider, everything that could be desired in this direction, and when the difficulties of transport, especially of the wounded, is considered, it will be understood that there was great difficulty in rendering them of practical assistance. Such Hospitals were, during the conduct of affairs, established at different times at Itu, Opobo, Degama, Aro-Chuku and Bende. I consider that Dr. Allman is deserving of great credit for the successful manner in which he organized his Department.

I would bring the name of Dr. A. H. Hanley, Senior Medical Officer of the Civil Medical Staff of this Protectorate, to your notice for favourable consideration on account of services rendered in the Field when accompanying columns. This Officer volunteered to come out from England to assist in the operations, though his leave was but half completed. His devotion to his work and care to the sick and wounded, of whom he appeared to have had more than his share, was remarked by every one connected with the Force, and he is, I consider, the Officer, as representing the Medical Department, whose services are deserving of special mention. I should, however, point out that all civilian doctors who volunteer to take part in the operations of this nature are deserving of great credit, for they have little or nothing to gain thereby, and suffer in nearly all cases pecuniary loss in the matter of private practice.

14. The actual cost of the undertaking cannot at present be given, but it has been estimated with considerable care, and I think it may be taken that the entire expenditure will not exceed £55,000, which, having regard to the extent of the territories dealt with, and the effective work done, is, I submit, particularly small. It is possible that when the accounts are fully made up there may be a saving on this amount, which I give as the maximum.

I can add nothing further. An arduous and dangerous duty has been successfully carried out

with credit to all concerned, resulting in a practical expansion of Empire, and such rewards as are deserved will no doubt be granted in due course.

I have, &c.,
R. MOOR,
High Commissioner.

Enclosure.

From Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Montanaro, Commanding Aro Field Force, to the High Commissioner, Southern Nigeria.

Final Despatch Aro Expedition.

SIR, Old Calabar, April 5, 1902.

The Aro Field Force was composed of:—

Artillery.—

1 Four-gun 75 M/m battery.

1 Four-gun 7-pr. battery.

Infantry.—

A Special Corps of Scouts.

11 Companies.

The detail of the above being:—

Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, 317 of all ranks.

Lagos Battalion, West African Frontier Force, 262 of all ranks.

Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force, 1,150 of all ranks.

Special Service Officers, 14.

Special Service Non-Commissioned Officers, 2.

Civil Officers attached, 28.

Carriers, 2,334 (of whom 235 were specially enlisted gun carriers).

The above includes the personnel of the two Batteries of Artillery.

2. The active operations were divided into several phases.

3. My first objective was to subjugate all the 14 Aro families composing the Aro tribe.

4. Aro-Chuku, the capital of this tribe, and the chief centre of the Long Ju-Ju fetish worship, was supposed to be about 12 miles W. of the Cross River and 15 miles N. of Itu. I therefore brought four converging columns to bear upon the capital so as to drive the enemy before me into a corner.

5. My dispositions were as follows:—

No. 1 Column, consisting of 16 Europeans, 300 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 1 Maxim gun, 35 gun-carriers, and 548 general carriers, under the command of Captain A. T. Jackson, Worcester Regiment, concentrated at Oguta on December 1st, with orders to march to Oweri.

No. 2 Column, consisting of 19 Europeans, 451 Native rank and file, 2 M/m guns, 2 Maxim guns, 126 gun-carriers, and 350 general carriers, under the command of Captain (local Major) A. M. N. Mackenzie, Royal Artillery, concentrated at Ungwana, on November 18th, with orders to advance into the Afofia country, and cut off the Abams, Eddas, and Ahofias from co-operating with the Aros.

No. 3 Column, consisting of 20 Europeans, 375 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 62 gun-carriers, and 500 general carriers, under the command of Brevet Major (local Lieutenant-Colonel) A. Festing, D.S.O., Royal Irish Rifles, concentrated at Akwete with orders to march to Oweri, join issue there with No. 1 Column, and then proceed as a combined force under Lieutenant-Colonel Festing to Bende, there joining hands with No. 2 Column.

No. 4 Column, consisting of 19 Europeans, 1 Native Officer, 479 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 1 7-pr. gun, 1 rocket tube, 2 Maxim guns, 13 gun-carriers and 225 general carriers, under the command of Captain (local Major) W. C. G. Heneker, Connaught Rangers, concentrated at Itu, with orders to make feint advances towards

Aro-Chuku, and so cause the enemy to keep the bulk of his forces in the corner of the country where the capital lay.

6. No. 1 Column left Oguta on December 2nd and marched to Oweri, arriving on December 5th, and meeting with no opposition.

7. No. 3 Column left Akwete on December 1st and met with much opposition two days out in the Ehebia-Ogwe district. The enemy had prepared elaborate entrenchments parallel to the road and stockades across it. These trenches were from three to four feet deep, with head-cover provided by logs. Dense bush grew on either side of the path, but good scouting to the front and flanks discovered the trenches, and the enemy were invariably outflanked. The millimetre gun played on the stockades rendering them untenable. As the column advanced the enemy retired into walled compounds lying off the road, and these had to be assaulted in turn and taken at the point of the bayonet. This desultory fighting continued for three days, during which time the troops suffered much from want of water, the sole supply being from water holes, which were tenaciously defended by the enemy.

On reaching the town of Ono-Ekechi, on December 4th, the column was met by armed friendlies, who informed Lieutenant-Colonel Festing that the enemy had fled eastward.

On December 9th, No. 3 Column joined issue with No. 1 Column at Oweri.

Our casualties during the three days' fighting were as follows:—

Captain Iles, 3rd Battalion Yorks Regiment, severely, and Captain H. F. Fraser, 21st Lancers, slightly wounded; 12 natives severely and 18 natives slightly wounded.

On December 11th, Nos. 1 and 3 Columns, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Festing, marched from Oweri and reached Bende without further opposition, on December 16th.

8. No. 2 Column marched out of Ungwana on December 3rd and occupied Ekoli without opposition.

On December 5th the Edda tribe made an attack on the camp at Ekoli. The enemy was repulsed with considerable loss, our casualties being slight. During the next fortnight the column marched through the Afofia and Abam country. Little or no opposition was met with; fortified camps were made at Esiugu and 'Nde-Okori, where a junction was effected with Nos. 1 and 3 Columns on December 18th. Strong garrisons were established at Bende and Esiugu. No. 2 Column then returned to Ungwana, and on the 20th December embarked in canoes and proceeded to join No. 4 Column up the Enyong River, becoming incorporated with that column.

9. The result of a reconnaissance up the Enyong River on November 28th decided me to make this my main line of advance, and a camp was formed at Esu-Itu on the 29th of that month. This advanced post was attacked by the enemy in force on November 30th. He was repulsed, and in his retreat was enfiladed by the guns of the gunboat "Jackdaw." On December 7th and 8th several reconnaissances in force were made in the direction of Aro-Chuku, determined opposition being met with, but the enemy was badly beaten on every occasion, notably on the 8th December, when Okorogi's Farm was captured and burnt. The following is a description of this action.

The Scouts, 4 sections of Infantry, 1 M/m gun, 1 7-pr. gun, and a Maxim, under the command of Major Heneker, marched out of Esu-Itu on the morning of December 8th. At a distance of 1½ miles from camp the enemy was discovered by

the Scouts to have established himself in a thickly-wooded ravine. The line of Scouts was strengthened on each flank by a section, and the guns were brought up to the front. The enemy for a time held the ravine tenaciously, but was unable to stand the case shot and Maxim fire, which searched his position from a hill overlooking it, and he retired, taking up another position on some high ground behind the ravine. He was again driven out of this position by shrapnel and case shot. The country becoming now fairly open, the enemy was slowly driven back on his final position. Here he made a most determined stand, and as our fire appeared to make no impression, Major Heneker decided to outflank him simultaneously on both flanks. This movement was most successfully carried out by Captain Venour, D.S.O., who, working his men round through the scrub thereby exposed a long line of deep trenches to enfilade fire. The "Cease Fire" was then sounded and the whole line advancing, charged into the trenches and turned the enemy out at the point of the bayonet.

Our casualties were only two men killed, this being due to Major Heneker's good dispositions and to the admirable way in which the Scouts performed their duties.

On December 24th, I advanced on Aro-Chuku with No. 4 Column (which had by then been reinforced by No. 2 Column), and occupied that place without opposition. The town was burnt and a strong position taken up. That night the enemy attacked in force, and there was for 36 hours continuous fighting between him and the outposts, who lined the edge of a plateau and were defiled from his fire. We thus suffered only a few casualties.

On December 28th, Lieutenant-Colonel Festing's combined column marched in to Aro-Chuku from the north, causing the enemy in the immediate neighbourhood of Aro-Chuku to lay down his arms and surrender.

10. From December 25th, 1901, to January 13th, 1902, small columns operated in the country around Aro-Chuku; one under Lieutenant-Colonel Festing operating as far as Oloko, another under Captain G. W. Hewett, West India Regiment, on the other side of the Cross River in the Uwet country; others again in the nearer vicinity.

The order given to the various columns was to disarm the inhabitants of all rifles and cap-guns, which caused considerable resistance on their part, but all engagements with the enemy resulted in victory to our arms.

The columns under Lieutenant-Colonel Festing and Captain Hewett did exceptionally good work, resulting in the complete submission of the inhabitants of the districts through which the columns marched.

The "Long Ju-Ju" was blown up and utterly destroyed; Okori-Torti, one of the ringleaders of the Obegu massacre, and other important chiefs were arrested. A strongly fortified post with an earthen parapet and ditch was made on the site of the camp at Aro-Chuku, and a well was dug giving a supply of 130 gallons of water per hour.

All stores in the Base Hospital at Itu were moved to Aro-Chuku, swamps were corduroyed, rivers bridged and good roads made in the surrounding country.

Our casualties between December 25th and January 13th were Captain T. A. Rose, Royal Scots Fusiliers, slightly wounded; natives, five severely, and four slightly wounded.

11. The general idea of this objective was to throw three strong columns, supported by a fourth, into the country lying West of the Cross

River, marching on a front of 40 miles, and converging on Akwete. Each column received orders to throw out smaller columns in a direction south of its line of advance, in order to thoroughly sweep the country intervening between the lines of advance of the several main columns.

12. No. 3 Column, consisting of 13 Europeans, 1 Native Officer, 284 rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 63 gun-carriers, and 191 general carriers, under the command of Captain W. J. Venour, D.S.O., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, concentrated at Big Ikpa market place, on the Cross River, on January 15th, 1902, with orders to sweep the country between the Cross and Kwa-Ibo Rivers, covering a front of 10 miles on a line drawn between Big Ikpa and Enan.

No. 2 Column, consisting of 16 Europeans, 1 Native Officer, 277 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 62 gun-carriers, and 159 general carriers, under the command of Major Heneker, concentrated, on the 15th January, at Itu, with orders to sweep the country between its line of advance from Itu to Enan, and the line of advance of No. 3 Column.

No. 1 Column, consisting of 15 Europeans, 259 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 77 gun-carriers, and 220 general carriers, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Festing, D.S.O., started direct from Aro-Chuku, on January 16th, with orders to sweep the country lying between its line of advance from Aro-Chuku to Akwete and the line of advance of No. 2 Column.

No. 4 Column, consisting of 15 Europeans, 151 Native rank and file, 1 Maxim gun, and 220 general carriers, under my personal command, concentrated at Itu, on January 16th, to act as a support to the other three columns.

13. No. 1 Column left Aro-Chuku on January 16th, and arrived at Akwete on February 1st, having had several severe engagements with the enemy in the Obinkita and Kwa countries; notably in an action at Ifugor on the 25th January, where the enemy made a stubborn resistance, but was severely defeated. He defended himself behind well constructed trenches and pits, but was outflanked on this and every other occasion, and his positions rendered untenable.

The casualties sustained by this column were as follows:—Captain G. A. Sabine, 3rd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, severely wounded, eye; Lieutenant L. H. M. P. Cockerell, Royal Berkshire Regiment, severely wounded, chest; Sergeant-Major Jordan, Royal Berkshire Regiment, severely wounded, thigh; Sergeant Bramwell, Royal Lancaster Regiment, slightly wounded; natives, four killed, 13 wounded.

14. No. 2 Column left Itu on January 16th, followed a day later by No. 4 Column. These columns were broken up into smaller columns which traversed a large portion of the Ibibio country as far as Thiaku, disarming the population, who only offered a feeble resistance. On reaching the Kwa country on January 22nd, the enemy there made a stubborn defence, resulting in constant fighting for one week. The enemy, though well armed with rifles and cap-guns, and in great numbers, was unable to make any headway against my disciplined troops, and he suffered severe defeats.

At Ikotobo, on January 26th, the enemy treacherously ambushed a water picket under the command of Lieutenant J. Wayling, Canadian Militia and Southern Nigeria Regiment, and, but for the initiative taken by Major G. B. Hodson, I.S.C., and the conspicuous gallantry displayed by that Officer, as well as by Captain

M. I. Goldie, R.A., and Second Lieutenant R. H. D. Tompson, R.A., the picket would have been annihilated, as well as the carriers whom it was guarding. Major Hodson called for volunteers, and without waiting to see if any one was following him, he rushed across the stream under a very heavy cross fire from the enemy. He was followed by Captain Goldie and Second Lieutenant Tompson. These three Officers held the opposite heights until the killed and wounded, numbering 7, were withdrawn, and the picket had formed up to cover the retreat of the whole party. Returning with reinforcements the same evening, Major Heneker inflicted summary punishment upon the enemy.

Enan was reached on January 27th, and a company under the command of Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, 19th Hussars, was detached, with orders to proceed to Essene. This company met with severe opposition, being attacked on one occasion at Ori-Equan, on January 29th, by the enemy in the open, but after three hours' engagement, he was forced to retire, leaving 15 dead on the ground.

The company reached Essene on February 3rd, while the remainder of the two columns arrived at Akwete on February 1st. The casualties sustained by these two columns were as follows:— Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, 19th Hussars, severely wounded; natives, four killed, 20 wounded.

15. No. 3 Column left Big Ikpa on January 16th, and advancing into the Ibibio country, arrived at Aka on the 19th. Up to the 22nd January but little resistance was encountered. Guns were handed in and good roads made. Returning to Aka on January 22nd, the enemy attacked the camp at night, but was repulsed and suffered considerable loss. The following day some further fighting ensued with a like result.

On February 6th the column arrived at Enan, having done excellent work in the interval, road-making, bridge-building, and capturing guns.

At Enan a company of Lagos troops, under the command of Captain (local Major) J. G. O. Aplin, C.M.G., 3rd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, was detached to proceed to Eket, the remainder of the column continuing its march to Azumini. At Ekoteret this portion of the column had severe fighting on the 8th February. The enemy concealed himself in the thick bush behind the several market places and poured in a heavy fire as the troops debouched into these open squares. The enemy's positions were rushed, he was driven out, and no further opposition was met with up to the arrival of the column at Azumini, which was reached the same day.

Major Aplin's company, which left Enan on February 7th, was opposed on the 8th at a town called 'Ndot, the enemy using bows and arrows. He was driven off, but resumed hostilities about a mile further on, and was again defeated. The company then marched unopposed to Eket, capturing many guns en route, and arriving on February 18th.

The company left Eket for Azumini on the 19th February, and up to the 24th no opposition was encountered, but on that day, at Ikparakwa, at 8 p.m., the enemy made a determined attack on the camp, and was repulsed with loss. The company arrived at Akwete on February 28th.

The casualties sustained by No. 3 Column were as follows:—Captain Venour, D.S.O., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, and Sergeant Crowley, Royal Munster Fusiliers, slightly wounded; natives, 10 wounded.

16. The general idea of this objective was to throw out three strong columns, as follows:— One to (A) operate North of Akwete, in the country bounded on the West by the Imo River, and on the East by the Azumini-Aba road; another (B) to operate in the country North of New Calabar, as far as Epopfia, clearing up the country around Isokpo, Iba, Alimini, and Elele; while a third was to (C) operate in the Iga country, bounded on the West by the Azumini-Aba road, South by a line from Azumini to Abong, and East by a line running due North of Abong.

17. No. 1 Column, consisting of 18 Europeans, 227 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 70 gun-carriers, and 269 general carriers, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Festing, D.S.O., received orders to leave Akwete on February 2nd, and to sweep the country described in (A) of the preceding paragraph.

No. 2 Column, consisting of 16 Europeans, 220 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 1 Maxim gun, 51 gun-carriers, and 315 general carriers, under the command of Major Mackenzie, concentrated at Isokpo on February 5th, with orders to sweep the country described in (B) of the preceding paragraph.

No. 3 Column, consisting of 13 Europeans, 304 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 54 gun-carriers, and 194 general carriers, under the command of Major Heneker, had orders to leave Akwete on February 4th, and sweep the country described in (C) of the preceding paragraph.

18. No. 1 Column, from the time of its leaving Akwete to the 27th February, was perpetually on the move, visiting the towns within its scope of operations. The people were hostile nearly everywhere, and there was much desultory fighting.

On February 7th, when advancing on Omo-Odo, the column encountered much resistance. For $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles a series of parallel trenches were met with, from which the enemy disputed every inch of the way, running from trench to trench, and firing at (for this country) long ranges, i.e., from 150 to 300 yards. This delayed the advance of the column, and it was not till after dark that Omo-Odo was taken.

On the 23rd February, a company was detached with orders to proceed to a large town called Omuma. On entering the town the troops were fired on, and one man killed. The first compound was rushed and burnt. Desultory fighting then took place while the troops cleared and burnt 17 compounds, and then were obliged to retire as night was falling. On the following day Lieutenant-Colonel Festing, with the whole of his force, marched to and surprised Omuma at dawn, and destroyed the remaining 10 compounds.

On the 27th February the column marched to Asa, and halted there for further orders.

A considerable amount of country was traversed by this column during February. The casualties sustained by it were as follows:— Natives, 3 killed, 15 wounded.

19. No. 2 Column arrived at Isokpo on February 6th, and proceeded at once to march through the country North of New Calabar, visiting many towns, some of which were hostile and required to be punished, and some of which at once submitted and laid down their arms.

The enemy as a rule employed sniping tactics only, but on the 12th February, when the column was marching from Elele to Ubele, the enemy made a determined effort to oppose the column's advance. On approaching the town of Ubele, both the Advance and Rear Guards were simultaneously engaged, the former in fighting its way

into the town, whilst the latter was engaged in beating off the enemy pressing on the rear of the column. A large market place was eventually occupied, and the troops formed square to allow of the wounded being dressed. The enemy made a determined attack on all sides of the square, advancing with great bravery, but were repulsed with heavy loss, suffering principally from the effect of Maxim and M/m gun fire.

Our casualties in this engagement were—Sergeant Pritchard, Coldstream Guards, severely wounded, Natives, 8 wounded.

No further fighting of any importance took place, and on the 22nd February, the column arrived at Alimini, having performed excellent work in road-making, bridging, and collecting arms. The column was also tendered the submission of all the hostile towns above referred to.

20. No. 3 Column concentrated at Azumini on February 4th and proceeded to carry out the duty of disarming the people of the Iga country.

On the 7th February a company, under the command of Captain G. Knowles, I.S.C., when marching through Utu, was met by the enemy holding a strong position in the market place. Led by Captain Knowles the troops charged and completely routed the enemy. Captain Knowles was severely wounded in the face and chest, but gallantly refused to relinquish the command of his company until the enemy was in full flight.

On February 12th, Major Heneker, hearing that the enemy was prepared to make a strong stand, attacked him at Ikorodaka. The attack opened soon after dawn in a thick mist. The Scouts found the enemy strongly entrenched in the market place outside the town, and a very heavy fire was suddenly opened on them. Major Heneker turned the enemy's flanks, and our casualties, owing to the thick mist and the smoke from the enemy's guns hanging low, were but few, but the fog much impeded our movements. The whole of the road from the market place to the town was systematically entrenched, and it took the column 2½ hours to get into the town, fighting all the way.

Our casualties in this engagement were—Natives, 2 killed, 12 wounded.

Up to the 26th February much country was covered, and there was a good deal of desultory fighting, but many submissions, and when the country was vacated the people were already beginning to settle down to their ordinary occupations.

The column returned to Akwete on the 27th February.

21. The only alteration in this objective that was made in the general transport arrangements was that, owing to the scarcity of water, I had to arrange for a large supply of water-carriers to proceed with each column.

22. The general idea of this objective was for three columns to sweep the country northwards on a front of 40 miles, eventually converging on Bende.

23. No. 1 Column, consisting of 17 Europeans, 208 Native rank and file, 1 M/m gun, 2 Maxim guns, 68 gun-carriers, and 253 general carriers, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Festing, D.S.O., concentrated at Asa with orders to proceed to Bende via Umobi and Oweri, disarming the population en route and opening up roads.

No. 2 Column, under Major Mackenzie, consisting of the same force he had under his command in No. 3 objective, concentrated at Alimini with orders to proceed North to Oguta, thence to Bende via Oweri. This column also received orders to disarm the people and open up roads.

No. 3 Column, consisting of 23 Europeans, 1 Native Officer, 430 Native rank and file, 1 M/m

gun, 3 Maxim guns, 55 gun-carriers, and 388 general carriers, under the command of Major Heneker, escorting myself and Staff, received orders to march from Akwete via Aba to Bende; also the same instructions regarding disarming and opening up roads.

24. No. 1 Column marched from Asa, on March 1st, and arrived at Bende on the 21st. During the march no military incident of any importance took place, and the time was mostly spent in explaining the terms of the Government to the inhabitants, who submitted unconditionally.

25. No. 2 Column marched from Elele on March 1st, and almost immediately met with opposition, notably at Ikiri, on the 3rd, where the enemy made a determined attack, but was driven off. In this engagement Captain A. D. Lewes, Royal Scots Fusiliers, was dangerously wounded; our other casualties being natives, 1 killed, 4 wounded.

On the 13th March the column reached Oguta, and on that day and the following was occupied in destroying the towns of Nebeku and Esombe, both of which places had blocked roads, "held up" messengers, and generally behaved in a hostile manner to the Government.

On the 23rd March the column arrived at Bende, having left a garrison at Oweri. It was unopposed during the remainder of its march.

The total number of contraband rifles and cap-guns captured by this column during No. 3 and No. 4 objectives was 2,844.

26. No. 3 Column left Akwete on March 1st, and proceeded to Obegu, a Treaty town and friendly to the Government. On November 21st, 1901, the Aros had unexpectedly fallen on this town and massacred a great many of its inhabitants, including women and children, carrying off many as slaves. Two Aro chiefs who were ring-leaders in this massacre, and who had been caught, tried by a special tribunal, and sentenced to death, were executed in the market place of Obegu on arrival of the column.

Leaving a garrison at Aba, the column resumed its march to Bende on the 4th. No great opposition was met with until the 14th March. On that day and the following the people of Onor and Omoba offered strenuous resistance to the column from behind the usual trenches. The enemy was invariably driven back by outflanking, and finally pursued for several miles by a light detached column under Major Heneker, who inflicted severe punishment and captured a thousand sheep and goats. The column reached Bende on March 16th.

The casualties sustained by this column throughout its march were—Natives, 1 killed, 4 wounded.

27. In accordance with your instructions a force, under the command of Major G. B. Hodson, I.S.C., was despatched to the Lower Niger, and ordered to settle the disturbed district around Sabagrega.

I could only spare him 50 men, and on his arrival at Sabagrega, finding the force at his disposal insufficient to carry out the operations he was called upon to perform, and knowing it to be impossible to obtain further reinforcements from the Aro Field Force, Major Hodson applied to the Naval Officer commanding His Majesty's ship "Thrush," to render him assistance. Lieutenant and Commander D'Oyly very kindly complied, and furnished a detachment of 54 Officers and men.

Operations were in progress between 25th February and 5th March, when the Naval Contingent was withdrawn. During this period the hostile towns of Egbédi Kayama, and Otwa were razed to the ground, after much opposition.

The assistance rendered by Lieutenant and Commander D'Oyly was most opportune, as he covered the landing of my troops by an effective fire from launches, and prevented the enemy holding steep and difficult places on the river banks.

The casualties were 6 Natives wounded, and some considerable damage was done to the launches by the enemy's fire.

28. On leaving Aro-Chuku on January 16th, I appointed Captain J. C. Grahame, Highland Light Infantry, to command the troops in the Northern and Eastern districts during my absence, with orders to open up the country, disarm the population, make roads, and explain to the people the objects of the Government. This duty was performed very satisfactorily.

On January 18th much opposition was met with at Edimma. A messenger from Captain Grahame to Captain Ralph, commanding troops at Bende, had previously been turned back with an insolent message. By another route a message was sent to Captain Ralph to march on Edimma on the 18th with half a company, and on the same day, with a force of 4 Europeans, 65 rank and file, and a Maxim gun, Captain Grahame advanced on Edimma from Esiugu.

On arriving within about a mile of Edimma, Captain Grahame's scouts reported the bush to be full of armed men, and shortly after the enemy opened a heavy fire. Lieutenant A. E. Rastrick, Canadian Militia and Southern Nigeria Regiment, who was in command of the Maxim, used it with great effect, and so good was the fire control and discipline that the enemy was forced to retreat, though he kept up a running fight until within 200 yards of the village. Captain Grahame, on hearing Captain Ralph's Maxim on the other side of the village, ceased firing and rushed the village. The enemy being caught between our two forces suffered badly, and was taught a severe lesson. Captain Ralph's arrival was not expected by the inhabitants, and having taken up a strong position on a ridge overlooking the village, he was able to enfilade all the exits.

Our casualties were—Captain Grahame, slightly wounded; Natives, 1 killed, 10 wounded.

Beyond this engagement Captain Grahame met with no opposition.

29. The active operations of the Aro Field Force ceased on March 23rd, and on March 25th the contingents from Northern Nigeria and Lagos commenced their homeward march.

30. During the operations my columns destroyed 25,000 rifles and cap-guns, which are contraband arms in the Protectorate.

31. The total number of casualties sustained by the Field Force under my command was as follows:—Europeans, 13 wounded; Natives, 27 killed, 140 wounded, 70 died from disease.

The comparatively few casualties sustained was due to the system of throwing out scouts to the front and flanks into the thick bush while on the march, thus preventing the enemy from sniping columns at very close ranges, and exposing his works of defence, which were usually long lines of trenches parallel to, and within 20 yards of, the road.

32. The total expenditure of ammunition was as follows:—

75 Millimetre guns:—

Double common shell, 32.

Shrapnel shell, 180.

Case shot, 55.

Star shell, 60.

Small-arm ammunition:—

40,732, which works out at the rate of 22·3 per man of the fighting force.

This small expenditure of ammunition was also due to the present system of scouting, as commanders of columns were able to make a free use of the bayonet by outflanking and rushing the enemy's positions. This was found to be infinitely more effective than firing into the thick bush on an unseen enemy, and certainly economised the ammunition, and enabled me to make a reduction of 50 per cent. in the amount of reserve ammunition carried by each column.

33. The following are the names of Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, &c., whom I desire to bring to your notice:—

The number of Europeans engaged in the expedition was 134, and though the list of recommendations among Europeans may appear large, I would point out that the peculiar nature of the operations necessitated junior Officers being placed in such positions of responsibility that many were brought to the front, and further, that warfare in West Africa, owing to the climatic conditions, is particularly trying to Europeans.

Officers (Military).

Brevet Major (local Lieutenant-Colonel) A. H. Festing, D.S.O., Royal Irish Rifles. A keen and indefatigable soldier; commanded various columns throughout the expedition in a most able manner.

Major G. B. Hodson, I.S.C. Took the initiative in covering the retreat of the water picket at Ikotobo on January 26th, 1902, and for that reason, as well as for his conspicuous gallantry on that occasion (whereby several lives were saved), he is specially brought to notice.

Major H. D. Carleton, West India Regiment. A most tactful, experienced, and energetic Staff Officer. As Chief of my Staff no commander could have been better served than I have been by him.

Captain (local Major) W. C. G. Heneker, Connaught Rangers. A cool and resourceful Officer. He commanded various columns with great success, notably at the taking of Aro-Chuku and the capture of Ikorodaka.

Captain B. Faunce, West India Regiment. This Officer performed the duties of Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General (B) throughout the expedition to my entire satisfaction. The systematic rendering of his accounts speaks for his high qualities as a Staff Officer.

Captain W. J. Venour, D.S.O., Royal Dublin Fusiliers. A hard-working, reliable Officer. He commanded the Advance Guard at the taking of Aro-Chuku, when he handled his men with such skill that I selected him to command a column which did very good work.

Captain W. Gillman, Royal Artillery. Is an invaluable Officer, cool and full of energy. Acted as Staff Officer to various columns, and won the praise of every commander.

Captain (local Major) H. C. Moorhouse, Royal Artillery. I specially applied for this Officer's services as Chief Transport Officer, owing to his previous knowledge of transport work, and I could not have made a better selection. The admirable way in which he performed his arduous duties and his wonderful tact in dealing with natives will do much to facilitate the future enlistment of carriers for expeditions.

Captain (local Major) A. M. N. Mackenzie, Royal Artillery. Commanded the artillery throughout the expedition, and the useful work done by this arm speaks well for his high organizing power. It was for this reason I selected him as a column commander, and as such he invariably did good work, notably in No. 1 objective, when he showed tact and resource.

Captain G. E. Hewett, West India Regiment. Has proved himself to be a most reliable Officer. Did very good work when in command of a column, showing great resource and self-reliance.

Captain T. A. Rose, Royal Scots Fusiliers. Acted as Staff Officer to Lieutenant-Colonel Festing during the campaign. I have a very high opinion of this Officer, both as a Staff Officer and as a soldier.

Captain J. C. Grahame, Highland Light Infantry. After the taking of Aro-Chuku this Officer was selected to disarm and subjugate a large tract of country. So well was this duty performed that the period of hostilities was shortened by at least a month, which enabled me to close operations before the rainy season set in.

Captain C. R. G. Mayne, Highland Light Infantry. Is a most able and thorough company commander. He was frequently placed in positions of responsibility and carried out all operations entrusted to his care with great judgment, notably in the actions at Oloko, Ohono, and Omuma.

Captain L. E. H. Humfrey, Glamorgan Artillery. A most conscientious, hard-working, and capable Officer and company commander.

Lieutenant (local Captain) G. Knowles, I.S.C. I cannot speak too highly of this Officer's work during the expedition. The way in which he handled his company won the admiration of all, and on more than one occasion he displayed conspicuous gallantry. He was severely wounded in the action at Utu.

Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, 19th Hussars. Commanded a column which did good work; was severely wounded in the action at Ori-Equan, when he was in command of the troops, and on which occasion he handled his men with great coolness and judgment.

Captain M. L. Goldie, M.V.O., Royal Artillery, and Second Lieutenant R. H. D. Tompson, Royal Artillery, displayed conspicuous gallantry at the water picket affair at Ikotobo.

Captain R. E. P. Gabbett, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Captain A. F. Stewart, Manchester Regiment.

Captain A. D. H. Grayson, Royal Artillery.

Captain P. K. Carré, Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Captain H. F. Fraser, 21st Lancers.

Lieutenant (local Captain) H. C. J. Biss, Lancashire Fusiliers.

Captain G. Anderson, 5th Battalion Middlesex Regiment.

Lieutenant R. P. Jones, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant A. L. Ross, Lancashire Fusiliers.

Lieutenant L. J. Jones, Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Lieutenant J. L. R. Parry, Canadian Militia and Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force.

Lieutenant J. Wayling, Canadian Militia and Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force.

Second Lieutenant (local Lieutenant) J. Mackenzie, V.C., Royal Highlanders.

Officers (Civil).

Mr. F. S. James, Divisional Commissioner, Southern Nigeria Protectorate. Was in charge of the Intelligence Department, and as such was invaluable to me. His information was always reliable, and his intimate knowledge of the natives proved most useful.

Dr. R. Allman, C.M.G. Was Principal Medical Officer. He not only made excellent arrangements before the expedition, but supervised the carrying out of them to my entire satisfaction;

and it is mainly due to his forethought that abnormally good health prevailed among the Europeans and Natives of the force.

Dr. A. H. Hanley. Performed his duties as Senior Medical Officer with great devotion. I have never met a more attentive or conscientious medical officer.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Gallwey, C.M.G., D.S.O., S.P.O.

Lieutenant and Commander D'Oyly, Royal Navy.

Captain H. A. Child, Marine Superintendent, Southern Nigeria Protectorate.

Mr. James Watt, District Commissioner, Southern Nigeria Protectorate.

Surgeon-Captain W. Fletcher, D.S.O., Royal Army Medical Corps (Militia).

Lieutenant H. C. V. B. Cheetham, Royal Naval Reserve.

Assistant Engineer G. L. Ball, Royal Naval Reserve.

Nurse Graham.

Mr. John Stein, Acting Secretary, though not attached to the Field Force, gave me great assistance in compiling the map on which I based my plans.

European Non-Commissioned Officers.

Regimental Sergeant-Major Jordan, 1st Battalion Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. Wounded at Ikotama. He is an excellent Warrant Officer, particularly cool under fire, and exceptionally good with natives.

Regimental Sergeant-Major J. Ambrose, Infantry Battalion, Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. A thoroughly reliable and hard-working Warrant Officer. Was instrumental in bringing the regiment to its present state of efficiency.

Colour-Sergeant C. Crowley, Infantry Battalion, Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. Did general excellent work.

Native Officers, &c.

Native Officer John Daniels, Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. Commanded the Southern Nigeria Regiment Corps of Scouts throughout the expedition. The excellent work done by this Corps is mainly attributable to the gallantry of this native Officer's leading.

Native Officer Mama Nakaru, Lagos Battalion, West African Frontier Force. A very gallant Officer, who has on more than one occasion, acting on his own initiative, done splendid work.

Regimental Sergeant-Major Ojo Ibadan, Southern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. A remarkably good native Warrant Officer. At the water picket affair at Ikotobo, on the 26th January, this Warrant Officer displayed conspicuous gallantry.

The behaviour of all ranks throughout the campaign was excellent; the *morale* of the native soldiers being exceptionally good, which was due no doubt to the presence of at least one European with every section.

The fire control was well maintained, and the fire discipline, above all, was very good.

In conclusion, I must thank you, Sir, for the way in which you facilitated all the preparations for the expedition, both when at home and after your arrival in the Protectorate.

I have, &c.,

A. MONTANARO,
Lieutenant-Colonel,
Commanding, Aro Field Force.

*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George.
Downing Street, September 12, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, in recognition of services rendered with the Aro Expedition in Southern Nigeria :

To be an Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

Brevet Major (local Lieutenant-Colonel) Arthur Hoskyns Festing, D.S.O., the Royal Irish Rifles, Commanding the 1st Battalion of the Northern Nigeria Regiment of the West African Frontier Force.

*War Office,
12th September, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, and promotions in the Army, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during operations in East and West Africa, respectively :—

For services during operations in the Lango District of Uganda.

To be Companion of the Distinguished Service Order :—

Captain George Malcolm Nixon Harman, the Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own).

BREVET.

Major C. Delmé Radcliffe, the Connaught Rangers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th February, 1902.

For services during the Aro Expedition in Southern Nigeria.

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order :—

Major George Benjamin Hodson, Indian Staff Corps.

Captain and Brevet Major William Charles Giffard Heneker, the Connaught Rangers.

Major Hugh Dudley Carleton, the West India Regiment.

Captain Webb Gillman, Royal Artillery.

Captain John Crum Grahame, the Highland Light Infantry.

Captain Thomas Allen Rose, the Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Captain Charles Robert Graham Mayne, the Highland Light Infantry.

Captain Mark Leigh Goldie, M.V.O., Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant George Knowles, Indian Staff Corps.

Lieutenant Archibald John Campbell, 19th Hussars.

Lieutenant Reginald Henry Dalrymple Tompson, Royal Artillery.

BREVET.

To be Majors. Dated 17th April, 1902 :—

Captain B. Faunce, the West India Regiment.

Captain W. J. Venour, D.S.O., the Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

Captain H. C. Moorhouse, Royal Artillery.

Captain A. M. N. Mackenzie, Royal Artillery.

The KING has further been pleased to approve of the grant of the Medal for Distinguished Conduct in the Field to the undermentioned Soldiers in recognition of their gallant conduct during the Aro Expedition :—

Regimental Sergeant-Major H. E. Jordan, 1st Battalion Northern Nigeria Regiment (Colour-Sergeant, Royal Berkshire Regiment).

Regimental Sergeant-Major J. Ambrose, Infantry Battalion Southern Nigeria Regiment (Colour-Sergeant, Royal Dublin Fusiliers).

Colour-Sergeant C. Crowley, Southern Nigeria Regiment (Sergeant, Royal Munster Fusiliers).

Native Officer John Daniels, Southern Nigeria Regiment.

Native Officer Mama Nakaru, Lagos Battalion.

Regimental Sergeant-Major Ojo Ibadan, Southern Nigeria Regiment.

*Foreign Office,
April 5, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Alexander Hosie, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Province of Szechuen ;

James Scott, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Provinces of Kwangtung and Kwangsi, to reside at Canton ;

William Henry Wilkinson, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Provinces of Yunnan and Kweichow ;

Ernest Frederick Bennett, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Ichang ;

William Holland, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Swatow ;

Richard Howard Mortimore, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Ningpo ;

Pierce Essex O'Brien Butler, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Province of Chèkiang, to reside at Hlangchow ;

William Pollock Ker, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Wuhu ;

Walter James Clennell, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Kiukiang ; and

Harry Alexander Little, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Pakhoi.

*Foreign Office,
May 5, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Charles Clement Dundas, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Galatz.

*Foreign Office,
July 12, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Rowland Thomas, Viscount Errington, to be a Third Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

*Foreign Office,
August 5, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Major Robert Arthur Benn to be His Majesty's Consul for the Districts of Seistan and Kain.

*Foreign Office,
August 9, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

William Henry Doveton Haggard, Esq., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Argentine Republic, and to be His Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Paraguay ; Edward Thornton, Esq., to be His Majesty's Minister-Resident and Consul-General to the Republics of Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, and Salvador ;

Maurice William Ernest de Bunsen, Esq., C.B., to be a Minister - Plenipotentiary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service, and also to be Secretary to His Majesty's Embassy at Paris; Arthur James Herbert, Esq., a Secretary of Legation in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Kingdom of Hungary, to reside at Buda Pesth;

James Beetham Whitehead, Esq., to be Secretary to His Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople;

Sir Brooke Boothby, Bart., to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Brussels;

Fairfax Leighton Cartwright, Esq., to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Lisbon; Arthur Cuninghame Grant Duff, Esq., to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Mexico;

George Head Barclay, Esq., C.M.G., to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Tokio; and

The Honourable Reginald Lister to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation at Copenhagen.

*Foreign Office,
September 1, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Edward de Zuccato, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Province of Venezia, to reside at Venice; and

Henry Joseph Meagher, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Islands of Martinique and Guadeloupe, to reside at Fort de France.

*Foreign Office,
September 6, 1902.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of— Don Baldomero F. Gayan as Consul-General of the Argentine Republic in Scotland, to reside at Glasgow;

Mr. E. Scott Hotchkiss as Consul of the United States of America at Brockville, Ontario;

Mr. Alfred E. Carrier as Consul of Portugal at Bathurst;

Morikawa Kishiro Shoshichii as Consul of Japan at Vancouver;

Mr. P. E. J. Hemelryk as Consul of Japan at Liverpool;

Mr. Gervasio Pires Ferreira as Consul of Brazil at Cardiff;

Mr. Faustin Henri Bridet d'Autremont as Consul in charge of the Vice-Consulate of France at Southampton; and

Mr. Bonn Henry Jones as Vice-Consul of Germany at Newport, for Newport and Chepstow.

*Foreign Office,
September 10, 1902.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of— Mirza Mahmoud Khan, Mofakham-es-Sultan, as Consul-General of Persia at Calcutta; and of Mr. Rostamji Danjiboy Meta as Consul of Persia at Calcutta.

*Downing Street,
September 10, 1902.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Edward Cleather Fraser, Esq., to be a Nominated Member of the Council of Government of the Colony of Mauritius.

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour
Department), London, September 10, 1902.*

H. 13342.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated September 9, from His Majesty's Representative at Athens:—"Five days' quarantine on arrivals from Odessa."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour
Department), London, September 12, 1902.*

H. 13396.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated September 11, from His Majesty's Representative at Sofia, intimating that Odessa has been declared infected with plague.

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour
Department), London, September 12, 1902.*

H. 13397.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated September 11, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—"Ten days' quarantine imposed on arrivals from Odessa."

*Mersey Conservancy, 66, Victoria-street,
London, S.W., 11th September, 1902.*

MERSEY CONSERVANCY ACT.

I hereby give notice, pursuant to the 9th section of the Act 5 and 6 Victoria, cap. 110, intituled "An Act for better preserving the navigation of the River Mersey," that I have received a notice from Mr. William Cooper, given pursuant to the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, of his intention to construct a river wall at West Bank, Widnes, in accordance with plans and sections deposited at this Office, a copy of which notice is subjoined.

*G. S. Nares, Vice-Admiral,
Acting Conservator of the Mersey.*

To Vice-Admiral Sir G. S. Nares, K.C.B., F.R.S., &c., Acting Conservator of the Mersey.

In pursuance of an Act for better preserving the navigation of the River Mersey (5 and 6 Vic., cap. 110), I, William Cooper, Terrace-road, West Bank, Widnes, Flat Owner and Sail Maker, hereby give notice that I propose to construct at my Shipyard and Sailworks, West Bank, Widnes, in accordance with plans and sections deposited at the office of the Mersey Conservancy, a retaining wall for the support of my works.

The wall is to be 75 feet long on the eastern side of above works facing the River Mersey, and returned on the southern side 82 feet in line with Irwell-street, in the borough of Widnes, Lancashire. The wall is to support my workshops and is to be on the same line and in lieu of the existing structure.

The wall is to be constructed of red sandstone facing with cement concrete backing and will be commenced at an early date and will not project beyond the line of the existing structure, nor further impede nor interrupt the tidal or other waters of the River Mersey. The foundation of the wall is to be about 10 feet above Ordnance Datum.

Dated this 29th day of August, 1902.

WILLIAM COOPER.

Admiralty, 9th September, 1902.

Consequent on the retirement of Vice-Admiral Rodney Maclaine Lloyd, C.B., the following promotions take place:—

Rear-Admiral Sir Lewis Anthony Beaumont, K.C.M.G., to be Vice-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Charles James Barlow, D.S.O., to be Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Dated 1st September, 1902.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Engineer William Donald Robertson to be Senior Engineer. Dated 4th September, 1902.

Assistant Engineer Maurice Francis Murphy to be Engineer. Dated 6th September, 1902.

Admiralty, 10th September, 1902.

Lieutenant the Honourable Hubert George Brand has been promoted to the rank of Commander in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 1st September, 1902.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

James Wolfe Murray.

Douglas William O'Bryen Forsyth.

Cecil James Crocker.

Dated 1st September, 1902.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th January, 1900—

Naval Instructor the Reverend Nisbett Baggallay Lodge, B.A., has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

Admiralty, 11th September, 1902.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Hesketh Formby has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th August, 1901.

War Office,

12th September, 1902

IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officer resigns his Commission, and receives a new Commission, subject to the provisions of the Militia and Yeomanry Act, 1901, retaining his present rank and seniority:—

Leicestershire ("Prince Albert's Own"), Supernumerary Captain (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army) T. E. Harrison, D.S.O.

War Office,

12th September, 1902.

MILITIA.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY (MILITIA).

The Cardigan, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. F. Dawes. Dated 13th September, 1902.

J. D. Owen. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The Cork, The services of Lieutenant J. W. Atkin are dispensed with. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The Durham, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

C. F. Mandel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

R. H. Willan. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The Mid-Ulster, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

K. C. Tailyour. Dated 13th September, 1902.

B. H. C. Hallows. Dated 13th September, 1902.

H. F. V. Greer. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The Prince of Wales's Own Norfolk, Lieutenant and Instructor of Artillery R. F. Boileau to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Royal Manmouthshire, Captain C. H. Paynter is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Supernumerary Lieutenant H. T. C. Wheeler to be Captain. Dated 20th July, 1902.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

F. J. Cary. Dated 8th August, 1902.

R. P. Culver. Dated 8th August, 1902.

4th Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Supernumerary Captain Wilfred Swindlehurst, from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, The resignation of Lieutenant M. J. D. Sunderland, which was announced in the London Gazette of the 25th February, 1902, is cancelled.

4th Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Lord W. Cecil, M.V.O., resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the prescribed uniform on retirement. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Captain F. G. Bagnell resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant C. H. C. Selby-Lowndes resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. C. Huxtable. Dated 15th April, 1902.

C. H. Ker. Dated 15th April, 1902.

H. O. C. Thorp. Dated 15th April, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Charles Liouel Wells, Gent., late Lieutenant Johannesburg Mounted Rifles, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), The services of Lieutenant E. M. Parry are dispensed with. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Lieutenant-Colonel F. Willan is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major V. H. Mellor to be Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), Wilfrid Izaak Walton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Ernest Wilberforce Hutton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Hamilton Hugh Berners, Gent., late Second Lieutenant 1st Bucks Volunteer Rifle Corps, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry, Honorary Captain John Stuart-Wortley, late Scottish Horse, to be Captain. Dated 8th July, 1902.

6th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Captain C. G. Cole-Hamilton, from 5th Battalion, to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, Captain F. S. Cartwright resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Second Lieutenant Edward Orde Stewart, from 2nd Bucks (Eton College) Volunteer Rifle Corps, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th August, 1902.

IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

Duke of Lancaster's Own, Second Lieutenant H. S. Perse resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

2nd County of London, Thomas Evelyn, Lord Howard de Walden, late Lieutenant 10th Hussars, to be Supernumerary Captain under paragraph 26 Yeomanry Regulations. Dated 13th September, 1902.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Aberdeenshire, Surgeon-Lieutenant W. A. Macnaughton, M.D., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Devonshire, Theophilus John Ponting, M.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Dorsetshire, Major J. H. Bowen resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Corps on retirement. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Edinburgh (City), Lieutenant A. Macmillan to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Surgeon-Major G. R. Gilruth resigns his Commission, and is granted the rank of Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps on retirement. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Gloucestershire, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. E. S. Spencer. Dated 13th September, 1902.

R. L. Austin. Dated 13th September, 1902.

W. J. W. Dickinson. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Norfolk, Captain E. E. Gabriel to be Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Lieutenant A. Notley to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

R. W. Gillett. Dated 13th September, 1902.

W. P. F. Phillips. Dated 13th September, 1902.

G. W. Daynes. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Warwickshire, The resignation of Second Lieutenant J. H. Reynolds, which was announced in the London Gazette of the 24th June, 1902, is cancelled.

THE ENGINEER AND RAILWAY VOLUNTEER STAFF CORPS.

John Aird, Esq., to be Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

RIFLE.

Cadet Corps (Merchiston Castle School) attached to the Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Francis Duntze Evans,

Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Surgeon-Captain R. J. M. Coffin to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Oswald Partridge, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Lieutenant A. Casson resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The undermentioned Surgeon-Captains to be Surgeon-Majors:—

J. W. Ellis. Dated 13th September, 1902.

E. W. Barnes. Dated 13th September, 1902.

8th (Scottish) Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Edward Gordon Thin, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Cadet Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), William Ernest Collins, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Major M. S. Young is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Surgeon-Captain H. P. Berry, M.B.; to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st (Exeter and South Devon) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Richards is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry F. Pretty to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, Surgeon-Lieutenant W. M. Boyd, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Lieutenant H. W. S. Williams to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants resign their Commissions:—

W. A. Hughes. Dated 13th September, 1902.

M. T. Isaac. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Captain and Honorary Major A. H. Laybourne to be Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Supernumerary Lieutenant G. S. Mullock to be Captain, and to remain Supernumerary. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

E. Duckworth. Dated 13th September, 1902.

R. E. Knowles. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment, The following notice is substituted for that which appeared in the London Gazette of the 5th September, 1902, viz.:—

Howard Henry Congreve Dent, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Dorsetshire Regiment, Lieutenant the Honourable F. J. N. Thesiger to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Second Lieutenant W. T. Fletcher to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st (Pembrokeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Roberts is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Major W. B. Roderick is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

William Thomas Campbell-Jones, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Surgeon-Captain E. Evans to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The undermentioned Surgeon-Lieutenants to be Surgeon-Captains:—

E. R. Williams. Dated 13th September, 1902.

P. A. Lloyd. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Bucks, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

C. F. H. Oliver. Dated 13th September, 1902.

A. S. Vernon. Dated 13th September, 1902.

L. L. C. Reynolds. Dated 13th September, 1902.

V. Howard. Dated 13th September, 1902.

A. Pope. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Second Lieutenant H. H. Berners resigns his Commission. Dated 13th September, 1902.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Lieutenant H. Wyllie to be Supernumerary whilst serving with the Volunteer Company in South Africa. Dated 15th March, 1902.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant H. G. U. Elliott resigns his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Captain, with permission to wear the uniform of the Battalion on retirement. Dated 13th September, 1902.

Surgeon-Lieutenant C. E. Baddeley resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the uniform of the Battalion on retirement. Dated 13th September, 1902.

2nd (South) Middlesex, Captain W. L. Wells is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 13th September, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Surgeon-Major J. W. Blandford to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1902.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Herbert Percival Friend, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1902.

3rd (Morayshire) Volunteer Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel R. Urquhart to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command under paragraph 55A Volunteer Regulations. Dated 13th September, 1902.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. G. Walker. Dated 13th September, 1902.

W. H. Doig. Dated 13th September, 1902.

5th (Deeside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Surgeon-Lieutenant W. G. Mitchell, M.D., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

24th Middlesex, Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable F. L. I. Colborne to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant under paragraphs 55A and 114 Volunteer Regulations. Dated 13th September, 1902.

VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADE BEARER COMPANY.

South Yorkshire, Surgeon-Captain D. G. Newton, M.B., from 1st Volunteer Battalion the York and Lancaster Regiment, to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 13th September, 1902.

War Office,
12th September, 1902.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Officers are absorbed into the Establishments of their respective units:—

MILITIA.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY (MILITIA).

The Northumberland, Second Lieutenant J. B. Caldwell. Dated 10th September, 1902.

INFANTRY.

6th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant H. G. Lyell. Dated 18th August, 1902.

5th Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant R. J. H. Pattle. Dated 21st August, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Lieutenant H. A. Daniell. Dated 21st August, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Lieutenant H. T. Peareth. Dated 21st August, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Captain E. S. Penrose. Dated 3rd August, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Lieutenant R. P. Whyte. Dated 19th August, 1902.

3rd Battalion, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Captain H. Hudson. Dated 17th August, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant W. W. Apperley. Dated 7th August, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Captain and Honorary Major T. E. W. Willington. Dated 3rd August, 1902.

Captain G. H. Atkinson. Dated 3rd August, 1902.

4th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain and Honorary Major C. T. Sennett. Dated 21st August, 1902.

7th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Major C. F. Pinney. Dated 17th August, 1902.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

RIFLE.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Lieutenant J. H. Hotson. Dated 1st September, 1902.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant W. S. Goss. Dated 27th August, 1902.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, Captain F. Checketts. Dated 20th August, 1902.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant V. H. Goss. Dated 30th July, 1902.

*Civil Service Commission,
September 12, 1902.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an open Competitive Examination for situations as Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Belfast, Cork, Limerick, and Londonderry, commencing on the 18th November, 1902, under the Regulations dated 28th March, 1899, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Not fewer than fifty-five Candidates will be appointed on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found qualified.

No person will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 30th October, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,
September 12, 1902.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the Situation of Male Sorter in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General.

These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

(a.) That their age on the day of the Examination is not less than 18 nor more than 21.

NOTE.—In reckoning age for competition, persons who have served in the Army or Navy, or for two full consecutive years either in a Civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners, or as Registered Copyists in connection with the Civil Service, may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service. In the case of soldiers whose period of Military Service has been compulsorily extended by the Military Authorities, the period to be deducted may be extended beyond five years, if necessary. Any person entitled to the benefit of this extension should call special attention to his claim when filling up the form of application for permission to compete.

(b.) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

NOTE.—No Candidate will be eligible for appointment who is less than 5 ft. 4 in. in height, or who fails to satisfy the Medical Officers of the Post Office that he is free from any physical defect, disease, or weakness which would be likely to interfere with the proper discharge of his duties, or with his regular and continuous attendance.

Re-vaccination will be required before appointment unless the Candidate exhibits good marks of primary and secondary vaccination, or good marks of vaccination with definite evidence of having had smallpox.

2. At each Examination the number of Candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

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

1. English Composition (including Writing and Spelling).

2. Arithmetic (first four rules, Simple and Compound, including English and Metrical Weights and Measures, Reduction, Vulgar Fractions and Decimals, excluding Recurring Decimals).

3. Geography (general).

Candidates who fail to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency will not be regarded as qualified.

4. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service, Engineer Students in the Navy, and Apprentices in His Majesty's Dockyards must obtain the written permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, dated before the commencement of the competition.

5. No Candidate will be admitted to examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking, signed by his parent or guardian, that he will, if successful, reside either with his parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by such parents or guardians.

6. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

7. A fee of four shillings will be required from every Candidate attending the Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Male Sorter in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London, under the foregoing Regulations, on the 23rd October, 1902.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 50 of the Candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and are duly qualified in other respects.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 9th October, 1902, an application in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,
September 12, 1902.*

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

September 8, 1902.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Learner, London, Winifred Mary Stephenson.

Female Sorter, London, Grace Ellen Ringer.

Female Learner, Sheffield, Jane Rhind.

Male Learners, James Henry Keeley (Dublin), Hugh Lamont Orr (Belfast).

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

Customs: Second Class Clerk (Lower Section) for Port Service, George William Dennis.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, George Taylor Hands.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Scotch Education Department: Assistant in the Science Branch, Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art, Thomas Rowatt.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Pembroke Dockyard, Shipwright,
William James Skyrme.

Sheerness Dockyard, Shipwright, David Rankin
Smith.

Prisons Department, England: Assistant Matron,
Lavinia Cockell.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Richard McGrath,
Charles Guy Viney, Henry Osborne Watters.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London, Daniel
Deville.

Porters, London, Patrick Beale, Frank
Thomas Hogan.

Learners, George Bruce (North Shields),
Josephine Brunton (Kilkenny), Hannah
Catherine Davies (Rhyl), Richard Gilbert
Harris (Guildford), John Patrick McDonald
(Warrington), Charles George Richards
(Devonport), Richard Ryan (Thomastown),
Maud Mary Salathiel (Bridgend).

Telephone Operators, Ada Maude Fawcett
(Bradford), Margaret Easson Miller (St.
Andrews), Florence Isabel Steele (Tod-
morden), Isabel Nellie Swift (London), Alice
Mary Taylor (Bury).

Postmen, George David Darling (Bristol),
William Evans (Bilston), Frederick William
Greenhow (Carnforth), Andrew Grubb (Edin-
burgh).

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL
OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Warder, Robert
Meek Ritchie.

Post Office: Porter, London, Thomas Richard
Bradley.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Michael Crowe, Sydney Milbourne.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
MESSENGER.

Edgar Frederick Warner.

September 9, 1902.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Learners, Jessie Duncan
(Glasgow), Emma Whitworth (Manchester).

Male Learner, Dublin, Harry Flavelle Inglis.

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

Customs: Second Class Clerk, Lower Section, for
Port Service, Lawtence Abraham.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Timekeeper in His Majesty's Dockyards,
Thomas Sweet.

Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic Asylum: Female
Attendant, Hannah Kate Coleman.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officers,
Division I, George Thomas Edward Outram,
Frederick William Watson.

Post Office: Postman, London, Alfred Bowring.

Porters, London, Charles Augustus Baynes,
Frederick William Critoph, Alfred Turff.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, London, Arthur
Lusby, Philip Pearce.

Learners, Thomas Barton (Warrington),
Isabella Veronica McKinney (Carrickfergus),
Jessie Helena Malloys (Diss), Edmund Charles
Secker (Dereham), John Whyte (Crieff).

Telephone Operator, Blackburn, Mary Bertha
Ann Hodgson.

Postmen, George Broughton (Manchester),
John Craig (Hexham), Thomas Liddy (Clones),
John McDonnell (Dublin), George Adam
McPherson (Helensburgh), Samuel Rennie
(Edinburgh).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, Percy Alfred
Baker (Shifnal), Frederick Coulton (Middles-
brough), Thomas Girvan (Campbeltown), Percy
Richard Wood (Maidstone).

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL
OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer,
Division II, John Henry Leigh.

Post Office: Second Class Engineer, Engineer-in-
Chief's Department, John Thomas Langley.

Porter, London, Charles Henry Morris.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Clifford Bennett, William Rudolph Clarke,
Patrick Corry, Lawson Alfred Darby, John
Wallace McDonald, John Graham MacLean,
Albert Edward Mawer, David Miller Palmer,
Harry Tompkins.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
MESSENGER.

William David Wilkins.

September 10, 1902.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Girl Clerk, Helen Mackenzie.

Female Learners, London, Ellen Chambers,
Florence Lake, Ethel Frances Symonds Lindsay,
Edith Jane Upham, Alice Mary Vines.

Female Sorter, London, Beatrice Alice Jane
Bussicott.

Male Sorters, London, Terence Patrick
Devitt, Daniel Regan.

Female Learners, Mabel Gertrude Brace
(Leeds), Gertrude Ruff (York).

Male Learner, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Joseph
Potts.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE
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JUNE, 1870.

Second Division: Clerks, Robert John Baker,
Lionel de Forge Bartle, Arthur Ling James,
William James Langman, William John
Paddon, Thomas Walsh.

Customs: Second Class Clerk, Lower Section, for
Port Service, David Hopkin Douglas.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Learner, Dublin, Annie
Louisa Wilson.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London, Charles
Clark.

Postmen, London, Robert Whincop Ayres,
George William Glover, Bertie Alexander
Leggatt.

Porter, London, Albert Victor Settington,
otherwise Albert Hall.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London, George
Victor Dibble.

Telephone Operator, London, Edith Alice
Perryman.

Learners, George Adams (Flint), Mary
Alexander (Turrieff), Eva Grace Barrett
(Waltham Cross), William James Dyer
(Newnham), Herbert Shaw (Wakefield).

Telephone Operators, Liverpool, Bridda Grace
Baragwanath, Florence McMahon, Ethel Holt
Tebay, Elizabeth Ward, Florence Wareing.

Postmen, John Willins Arthur (Penicuik),
Joseph Bowes (Middlesbrough), Michael John
Byrne (Wicklow), Michael Curley (Fernoy),
Albert Edmonds (Chester), Andrew Hudson
(Wantage), Thomas Herbert Ingram (Liver-
pool), Joseph Luby (Bradford), Samuel Joseph
Phillips (Burton-on-Trent), Thomas Watson
(Spennymoor).

Temporary Assistant Postmen, William Richard Perry (Chippenham), Albert Young (Belfast).

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

India Office or India Audit Office: Second Class Clerk, Harry Walter Martin.

Post Office: Postman, Malvern, George Frederick Walford.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

William Robert Fegan, Isaac Kinsler, Arthur Frank Newling, Francis William Whitton, Robert Willis Wimble.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Frank Benjamin Hallett.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 11TH SEPTEMBER 1902.)

(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:

Declaration of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

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.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two.

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



A. W. Anstruther,
Assistant-Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Northam and Islandshires (except the parish of Holy Island), in the administrative county of Northumberland; the parishes of Mordington, Hutton, Ladykirk, Coldstream, Eccles, Swinton, Fogo, Polwarth, Langton, Duns, Edrom, Whitesome, Chirnside, Foulden, Ayton, Eyemouth, Coldingham, Bunkle and Preston, Abbey St. Bathans, and Cockburnspath, in the administrative county of Berwick; and also comprising the borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

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

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

Order No. 43/1902.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her late Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, William Cospatrick Dunbar, C.B., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the first day of October next, the small part of Southgate Civil Parish and Urban District (formerly part of Edmonton Civil Parish) now situated in Wood Green Sub-District of Edmonton Registration District shall be transferred to Edmonton Sub-District of the same Registration District, in which the main part of Southgate Civil Parish is situated.—Witness my hand this 9th day of September, 1902.

Wm. C. Dunbar, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

Order No. 44/1902.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her late Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, William Cospatrick Dunbar, C.B., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the first day of October next, Wandsworth Sub-District of Wandsworth Registration District shall be subdivided into two Sub-Districts, viz. :—(a) a Sub-District co-extensive with Springfield Ward of Wandsworth Metropolitan Borough to be called and known as Springfield Sub-District; and (b) a Sub-District co-extensive with Southfield and Fairfield Wards of Wandsworth Metropolitan Borough, to be called and known as Southfields Sub-District.—Witness my hand this 9th day of September, 1902.

Wm. C. Dunbar, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 608 to 636 of the year 1902.)

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

No. 608.—NORWAY—SOUTH COAST.

Vittenskiul—Sectors of Light Amended.

The Norwegian Government has given notice, that on 15th July, 1902, the screening of the occulting light on Vittenskiul would be altered in such a manner that the light will show red from the bearing of S. 53° W. to S. 83° W.; white from S. 83° W. to West; green from West, through north, to N. 2° E.; red from N. 2° E. to N. 51° E.; white from N. 51° E. to N. 76° W., and will be obscured in other directions.

Approximate position, lat. 58° 55½' N., long. 9° 37' E.

[Variation 11° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Sandöen to the Svenber, No. 2329; Portör to Nevlunghavn, No. 1327. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 561a; Norway Pilot, Part I, 1897, page 221; and Supplement, 1902, to that work, page 17.

No. 609.—NORWAY, SOUTH-EAST COAST—
SONGVAAR FIORD.*Songvaar Light—Alteration in.*

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on 15th July, 1902, Songvaar occulting light would be altered to show green when bearing from S. 73° W. to S. 60° W., but will in other respects continue to exhibit the same characteristics as given in Admiralty List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 609.

Approximate position, lat. 58° 1' N., long. 7° 49' E.

[Variation 12° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Songvaar Fiord to Lillesand, No. 2260; the Naze to Christiansand, No. 2327; the Naze to Songvaar Fiord, No. 3012. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 609; Norway Pilot, Part I, 1897, page 103; and Supplement, 1902, to that work, page 7.

No. 610.—NORWAY—SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Brekneholm Light—Sectors Altered.

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on 15th July, 1902, the occulting light on Brekneholm would be screened in such a manner as to show white from the bearing of S. 36° E., through east, to N. 13° E.; red from N. 13° E., through north, to N. 31° W.; white from N. 31° W., through west, to S. 74° W., and will be obscured in other directions.

Approximate position, lat. 58° 6' N., long. 6° 35' E.

[Variation 13° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Naze to Lister, No. 420; the Naze to Karmö, No. 2281; the Naze to Christiansand, No. 2327; Lister to Haadyret, No. 3011. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 628; Norway Pilot, Part I, 1897, page 64; Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 59; and Supplement, 1897, to that work, page 4.

No. 611.—NORWAY, WEST COAST—
KARMSUND.*Kiolevig—Light Established.*

The Norwegian Government has given notice, that on 15th July, 1902, an unwatched occulting light would be exhibited, at an elevation of 47 feet above high water, from a small white iron house at Kiolevig, on the west coast of Ludn. It shows red from the bearing of N. 5° W., through north, to N. 9° E., white from N. 9° E., through east and south, to S. 3° W., and will be obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles, and the red 4 miles.

It will be exhibited annually from 15th July to 15th May.

Position, latitude 59° 10' 20" N., longitude 5° 23' 5" E.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Naze to Karmö, No. 2281; Skudesnaes Fiord, No. 1662. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, page 124; and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 123.

No. 612.—NORWAY, WEST COAST—
APPROACHES TO HAUGESUND.*Salhus—Light Established.*

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on 15th July, 1902, an unwatched occulting red light, visible in clear weather from a distance of 4 miles from the bearing of S. 10° E., through

south, west, and north, to N. 2° E., would be exhibited, at an elevation of 24 feet above high water, from a small white iron house at Salhus, east coast of Karmö.

It will be exhibited annually from 15th July to 15th May.

Position, lat. 59° 22' 30" N., long. 5° 17' 55" E.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Naze to Karmö, No. 2281; Karmö to Bergen, No. 2304; Urter to Hisken, No. 811. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, page 128; and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 123.

No. 613.—NORWAY—WEST COAST.

Hardanger Fiord—Lights, Alterations in.

The Norwegian Government has given notice, that on 15th July, 1902, the following alterations will be made in the lights in Hardanger Fiord:—

1. Langevaag occulting light will in future exhibit the following sectors:—White from the bearing of S. 25° W. to S. 66° W.; red from S. 66° W., through west, to N. 66° W.; white from N. 66° W., through north, to N. 72° E., and obscured in other directions. In the fairway it is also obscured by Store Blegen between the bearings of S. 86° W. and N. 79° W.

Approximate position, lat. 59° 37' N., long. 5° 15' E.

2. On Kaninholmen there would be established in a small white iron house, at an elevation of 38 feet above high water, an unwatched occulting light, showing the following sectors:—White from the bearing of N. 58° E. to N. 43° E.; red from N. 43° E. to N. 4° E.; white from N. 4° E., through north and west to S. 65° W.; red from S. 65° W. to S. 19° W., and obscured in other directions. The light is exhibited from a lantern having a power of 72 candles for the white light, and 18 candles for the red light; the white light being visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles, and the red light from a distance of 4 miles.

Position, lat. 59° 41' 55" N., long. 5° 24' 5" E. On the same date the alternating red and white light at Midtholmen will be discontinued.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1902.]

NOTE.—These lights should be classed as unwatched.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karmö to Bergen, No. 2304; Urter to Hisken, No. 881. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, Nos. 678, 679; Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, pages 140, 141; and Supplement, 1897, to that work, page 6.

No. 614.—NORWAY—WEST COAST, SAMLEN
FIORD.*Kvamsö Light—Additional Sector.*

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on and after 15th July, 1902, the occulting light on Kvamsö, Samlen Fiord, would show red from the bearing of N. 32° W., through north, to N. 38° E., but will in other respects remain unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 60° 22' N., long. 6° 17' E.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Karmö to Bergen, No. 2304. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 681b; and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 162.

No. 615.—NORWAY—WEST COAST.

Approaches to Bergen—Alterations in Lights.

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on 15th July, 1902, the following alterations in the lights in the southern approaches to Bergen would be effected:—

1. LERÖ.—At Brekholmskier, near the south-west point of Lerö, there would be established in a small white iron house on iron pillars, at an elevation of 19 feet above high water, an unwatched occulting white light, visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles from the bearing of N. 26° W., through north and east, to S. 5° E.

Position, lat. 60° 13' 40" N., long. 5° 10' 40" E.

On the same date the alternating red and white light on the north-west side of Lerö will be discontinued.

2. FLESLANDSKIER occulting light would show red between the bearings of N. 35° E. and N. 45° E., when it was formerly green; and green from the bearing of N. 59° E., through east, to S. 48° E., when it was formerly red, but will in other respects remain as before.

Approximate position, lat. 60° 17' N., long. 5° 12' E.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karmö to Bergen, No. 2304; Approaches to Bergen, No. 2303. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, Nos. 694, 695a; and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 189.

No. 616.—NORWAY, WEST COAST—ASPÖ FIORD.

Skomageren and Gieita Lights—Sectors Altered.

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on the 15th July, 1902, the following alterations would be made in the sectors exhibited from Skomageren and Gieita Lights:—

Skomageren Light will show green from the bearing of N. 30° W. to N. 3° W.; red from N. 3° W., through north, east, and south, to S. 4° W.; green from S. 4° W. to S. 13° W.; white from S. 13° W. to S. 25° W.; red from S. 25° W. to S. 60° W., and obscured in other directions.

Approximate position, lat. 61° 12' N., long. 4° 48' E.

Gieita Light will show fixed white from the bearing of N. 24° E. to N. 30° E., and fixed red from N. 30° E. to N. 65° E., but will in other respects be unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 61° 16' N., long. 4° 49' E.

[Variation 15° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bergen to Stav Fiord, No. 2291; Utvær to Atleö, No. 3130. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, Nos. 716, 717, and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 220.

No. 617.—BLACK SEA.

Tendra Point—Wrecks off, Non-Existence of.

With reference to Notices to Mariners Nos. 475 of 1895 and 481 of 1896:—

Information has been received that the two wrecks situated respectively with Tendra Point Lighthouse bearing N. 1° E., distant 16 miles, and N. 47° E., distant 7½ miles, no longer exist, and they have accordingly been expunged from the Admiralty Charts.

Approximate positions, lat. 46° 4' N., long. 31° 31' E.

Approximate positions, lat. 46° 14' N., long. 31° 24' E.

[Variation 2° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Black Sea, No. 2214; Cape Kaliakra to Odessa, No. 2231; Odessa to Sevastopol, No. 2232; Southern approach to Kherson Bay, No. 2380.

No. 618.—UNITED STATES—ATLANTIC COAST, ALABAMA.

Mobile Ship Channel—Alterations in Lights.

The United States Government has given notice, that on or about 1st September, 1902, the following alterations would be made in the lighting of the Mobile Ship Channel:—

Light MGA, fixed red, would be established in a red square pyramidal structure, 34 feet above high water, erected on the east side of the dredged channel, about midway between Middle Ground Light and light No. 2.

Lights Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 20, and 22 would be changed from white to red.

Light No. 2A, fixed red, would be established in a red square pyramidal structure, at an elevation of 34 feet above high water, erected about midway between lights Nos. 2 and 4.

Light No. 4A, fixed red, would be established in a similar structure, 34 feet above high water, about midway between lights Nos. 4 and 6.

Light No. 6A, fixed red, would be established in a similar structure, 34 feet above high water, about midway between lights Nos. 6 and 8.

Light No. 8A, fixed red and white lights, vertically, 10 feet apart, would be established at 34 and 24 feet respectively above high water, in a red square pyramidal structure situated about half a mile south of Mobile Bay Lighthouse and in line with the other lights on the eastern side of the channel.

Light MBA, fixed red and white lights, vertically, 10 feet apart, would be established at 34 and 24 feet respectively above high water, in a red square pyramidal structure situated about half a mile north of Mobile Bay Lighthouse, and in line with the other lights on the eastern side of the channel.

Light No. 10A, fixed red, would be established in a similar structure, 34 feet above high water, about midway between lights Nos. 10 and 12.

Light No. 12A, fixed red, would be established in a similar structure, 34 feet above high water, about midway between lights Nos. 12 and 14.

Light No. 14A, fixed red, would be established in a similar structure, 34 feet above high water, about midway between lights Nos. 14 and 16.

Lights Nos. 16 and 18 will be altered to show red and white lights vertically, 10 feet apart, the red being the upper light.

All the above are on the eastern side of the channel.

Lights Nos. 1, 5, and 7, on the westerly side of the channel, will be altered from red to white.

Light No. 3 will be altered to one fixed white light, 34 feet above high water, instead of two fixed red lights.

Approximate position, Mobile Bay Lighthouse, lat. 30° 27' N., long. 88° 1' W.

A new edition of Chart No. 2344 will be issued in due course.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Mobile Bay, No. 2344. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1902, No. 1227 (Note); West India Pilot, Vol. I, 1893, page 542; and Hydrographic Notice, No. 2 of 1896, relating to that work, pages 40, 41.

No. 619.—GREECE—PEIRÆUS.

South Breakwater Buoy—Light Not Exhibited.

Information has been received from Commander Cyril E. Tower, His Majesty's ship "Harrier," that the green light heretofore shown

from the red conical buoy off the end of the South breakwater at the entrance to the Peiræus is no longer exhibited.

Approximate position, lat. $37^{\circ} 56' N.$, long. $23^{\circ} 37' E.$

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Grecian Archipelago, No. 2836a; Salamis Strait, No. 894; the Peiræus, No. 1520. Also, Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. IV, 1900, page 68.

No. 620.—NORWAY, WEST COAST—STAV FIORD.

Skumsö—Rock South of.

The Norwegian Government has given notice, dated 8th August, 1902, of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 3 fathoms over it, situated with the south point of Skumsö bearing N. $28^{\circ} W.$, distant one cable. It is steep to the southward, with depths of 5 fathoms between it and Skumsö.

Approximate position, lat. $61^{\circ} 23' 10'' N.$, long. $4^{\circ} 56' 25'' E.$

[Variation 15° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bergen to Stav Fiord, No. 2291; Atleö to Batalden, No. 3101. Also, Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, page 230.

No. 621.—BAY OF BENGAL—APPROACHES TO MOULMEIN.

Green Island—Rock South of.

Information has been received from Commander St. L. S. Warden, R.I.M.S. "Dalhousie," of the existence of a rock, with 19 feet of water on it, in the southern approach to Moulmein, situated with the west extreme of Green Island bearing north, distance $6\frac{1}{2}$ cables.

Approximate position, lat. $16^{\circ} 3' 15'' N.$, long. $97^{\circ} 33' 10'' E.$

[Variation 2° Easterly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Moulmein River and Approaches, No. 1845. Also, Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 374.

No. 622.—NORWAY—SOUTH-WEST COAST.

Approaches to Flekkefjord—Lights Established.

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on 15th August, 1902, the following lantern lights would be established in the approaches to Flekkefjord:—

1. Kokodden.—An occulting light would be exhibited, at an elevation of 19 feet above high water, from a small white iron house on a masonry base on Kokodden, Hitterörsund. The light will show red from the bearing of S. $75^{\circ} W.$, through west, to N. $67^{\circ} W.$; green from N. $67^{\circ} W.$, through north, to N. $16^{\circ} E.$; white from N. $16^{\circ} E.$ to N. $26^{\circ} E.$; red from N. $26^{\circ} E.$ to N. $58^{\circ} E.$; white from N. $58^{\circ} E.$, through east, to S. $58^{\circ} E.$, and obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, the red 4 miles, and the green 3 miles.

Position, lat. $58^{\circ} 14' N.$, long. $6^{\circ} 39' 15'' E.$

2. Risholmsund.—An occulting light would be exhibited, at an elevation of 13 feet above high water, from a small white iron house on an iron frame on Risholmsund. The light shows red from the bearing of N. $56^{\circ} E.$ to N. $88^{\circ} E.$; white from N. $88^{\circ} E.$, through east, to S. $72^{\circ} E.$; obscured from S. $72^{\circ} E.$, through south, to S. $49^{\circ} W.$; green from S. $49^{\circ} W.$ to S. $81^{\circ} W.$; white from S. $81^{\circ} W.$ to S. $89^{\circ} W.$, and obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, the red 4 miles, and the green 3 miles.

Position, lat. $58^{\circ} 13' 55'' N.$, long. $6^{\circ} 40' 15'' E.$
On the same date the alternating white and red light on Engölsholm will be extinguished.

3. Haasund.—An occulting light would be exhibited, at an elevation of 15 feet above high water, from a small white iron house at Haasund, west shore of Flekkefjord. The light shows white from the bearing of N. $10^{\circ} W.$ to N. $19^{\circ} W.$; red from N. $19^{\circ} W.$ to N. $42^{\circ} W.$; obscured from N. $42^{\circ} W.$, through west, to S. $48^{\circ} W.$; red from S. $48^{\circ} W.$ to S. $9^{\circ} W.$; white from S. $9^{\circ} W.$ to S. $1^{\circ} W.$, and obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles and the red 4 miles. This light will be exhibited all the year round.

Position, lat. $58^{\circ} 15' 20'' N.$, long. $6^{\circ} 39' 45'' E.$
[Variation 13° Westerly in 1902.]

A new edition of Chart No. 3011 will shortly be issued.

The above lights should be classed as unwatched.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Naze to Karmö, No. 2281; the Naze to Christiansand, No. 2327; Lister to Haadyret, No. 3011. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 626, page 120; Norway Pilot, Part I, 1897, pages 65, 68; Supplement, 1902, to that work, page 5; and Norway Pilot, Part II, pages 60, 62.

No. 623.—NORWAY—WEST COAST.

Inner Fiords—Lights Exhibited.

The Norwegian Government has given notice, that on 15th August, 1902, the following lantern lights would be exhibited:—

1. FIELDBERGSUND.—An occulting light has been established, at an elevation of 23 feet above high water, in a small white iron house on the north-east point of Borgund. The light shows white from the bearing of N. $15^{\circ} W.$ to N. $29^{\circ} W.$; red from N. $29^{\circ} W.$ to N. $76^{\circ} W.$; white from S. $18^{\circ} W.$, through south, to S. $1^{\circ} E.$; red from S. $1^{\circ} E.$ to S. $17^{\circ} E.$, and obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, and the red 4 miles.

Position, lat. $59^{\circ} 43' 50'' N.$, long. $5^{\circ} 43' 0'' E.$

2. SKORPEN.—An occulting light has been established, at an elevation of 72 feet above high water, in a small white iron house on the south-west point of Skorpen. The light shows white from the bearing of S. $55^{\circ} W.$, through south, to S. $5^{\circ} E.$; red from S. $5^{\circ} E.$ to S. $14^{\circ} E.$; white from S. $14^{\circ} E.$ to S. $35^{\circ} E.$; green from S. $35^{\circ} E.$ to S. $38^{\circ} E.$; white from S. $38^{\circ} E.$, through east, to N. $52^{\circ} E.$; obscured from N. $52^{\circ} E.$ to N. $27^{\circ} E.$; white from N. $27^{\circ} E.$, through north, to N. $50^{\circ} W.$, and obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, the red 4 miles, and the green 3 miles.

Position, lat. $59^{\circ} 56' N.$, long. $5^{\circ} 48' E.$

3. LIONESTANGEN.—An occulting white light has been established, at an elevation of 15 feet above high water, in a small white iron house on a masonry base on Lionestangen, entrance to Samleu Fiord. It is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles from the bearing from S. $42^{\circ} W.$, through west and north, to N. $71^{\circ} E.$

Approximate position, lat. $60^{\circ} 14' 30'' N.$, long. $6^{\circ} 10' 00'' E.$

4. LOKSUND SOUTH LIGHT.—An occulting light has been established, at an elevation of 34 feet above high water, in a small white iron house on the eastern shore of Loksund. The light shows red from the bearing of S. $14^{\circ} W.$, through south and east, to N. $8^{\circ} E.$; white from

N. 8° E. to N. 4° E.; green from N. 4° E., through north, to N. 11° W., and is obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, the red 4 miles, and the green 3 miles.

Position, lat. 60° 2' 20" N., long. 5° 43' E.

5. **LOKSUND NORTH LIGHT.**—An occulting light has been established, at an elevation of 18 feet above high water, in a small white iron house on the western shore of Loksund. The light shows white from the bearing of S. 9° W. to S. 22° W.; red from S. 22° W., through west and north, to N. 30° E., and is obscured in other directions. The white light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, and the red 4 miles.

Position, lat. 60° 3' 10" N., long. 5° 42' 45" E.

6. **MALKENES.**—An occulting white light has been established, at an elevation of 17 feet above high water, in a small white iron house on Malkenes, west side of north entrance to Loksund. It is visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles from the bearing of S. 68° E., through south and west, to N. 49° W.

Position, lat. 60° 4' 45" N., long. 5° 41' 35" E.

The above lights, which are unwatched, are exhibited annually from 15th July to 15th May.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1902.]

A new edition of Admiralty Chart No. 2304 will shortly be issued.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Karmø to Bergen, No. 2304. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, pages 130, 132, 134; and Norway Pilot, Part II, 1894, pages 159, 162, 163.

No. 624.—MEDITERRANEAN—SYRIA.

Beirút—Wreck Buoy Removed.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 309 of 1900:—

Information has been received that the red buoy marking the sunken wreck of a torpedo boat situated with Beirút Mole Lighthouse bearing S. 22° W., distant 4½ cables, is no longer in position. It has accordingly been expunged from the Admiralty Charts.

As there is plenty of water over this wreck, it is no longer dangerous to navigation.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 55' N., long. 35° 30' E.

[Variation 2° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Beirút, No. 1563. Also, Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. II, 1895, page 455.

No. 625.—CANADA—ST. LAWRENCE RIVER.

South Traverse—Gas Buoy Established.

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice that, on 3rd August, 1902, a can gas buoy was moored in 5 fathoms of water on the western side of the more northerly of the two 2¼-fathom patches off Port Joli, South Traverse, in a position with Stone Pillar Light bearing N. 87° W., distant 11 cables, and Channel Patch Buoy bearing N. 27° E. The buoy is painted black, with the words "Port Joli" in white letters on it, is surmounted by a conical topmark, and exhibits, at an elevation of 9 feet above the water, an occulting white light.

Approximate position, lat. 47° 12½' N., long. 70° 20' W.

[Variation 19° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Orignaux Point to Goose Island, No. 314; Goose Island to Quebec, No. 315. Also, St. Lawrence Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, page 288.

No. 626.—CANADA—SAGUENAY RIVER ENTRANCE.

Prince Shoal—Buoy Altered.

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice that, on 4th August, 1902, the red and black can buoy marking the south edge of Prince Shoal, Saguenay River entrance, was replaced by a can gas buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands, with "Prince Shoal" in white letters on it, surmounted by an open conical topmark, and exhibiting, at an elevation of 9 feet above water, an occulting white light.

Approximate position, lat. 48° 6½' N., long. 69° 37' W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bersimis to Saguenay, No. 312; Saguenay River to Orignaux Point, No. 313; Saguenay River, No. 1370. Also, St. Lawrence Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, pages 273, 330.

No. 627.—CANADA—ST. LAWRENCE RIVER.

Beaumont Reefs—Buoy Altered.

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice that, on 1st August, 1902, the black can buoy marking the north side of the Beaumont Reefs, St. Lawrence River, was replaced by a black can gas buoy, with "Beaumont" painted in white letters on it, surmounted by an open conical topmark, and exhibiting, at a height of 9 feet above the water, an occulting white light.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 51' N., long. 71° 0' W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Goose Island to Quebec, No. 315. Also, St. Lawrence Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, page 298.

No. 628.—CANADA—ST. LAWRENCE RIVER.

Platon Point—Buoy Altered.

The Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice that, on or about 4th August, 1902, the black can buoy, No. 49Q, off Platon Point, St. Lawrence River, would be replaced by a black can gas buoy, with "Platon" painted in white letters upon it, surmounted by an open conical topmark, and exhibiting, at a height of 9 feet above high water, an occulting white light.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 40½' N., long. 71° 51½' W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Quebec to Point du Lac, No. 2830a; Cape Santé to Grondine, No. 2778. Also, St. Lawrence Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, page 338.

No. 629.—INDIA—EAST COAST.

Cuddalore Light—Intended Alteration.

The Government of Madras has given notice that, on or about 1st October, 1902, the fixed red light at Cuddalore will be altered to a group occulting white light showing four occultations every minute.

The light will be dioptric of the 4th order, and will be visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles in all directions seaward.

Approximate position, lat. 11° 43' N., long. 79° 46' E.

Further notice will be given when the light is exhibited.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Bengal, No. 70; Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 823; Madras to Point Calimere, No. 71. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1902, No. 320; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 146.

No. 630.—ALASKA—WRANGELL STRAIT.

Mitkof Island—Light Exhibited.

The United States Government has given notice that, on 1st August, 1902, a fixed white lantern light was established on the north point of Mitkof Island, in a position with the centre of Prolewy Rock bearing N. 83° W., distant 2½ cables, and Prolewy Point bearing N. 21° W. The light is exhibited from a white post at an elevation of 20 feet above high water.

Approximate position, lat. 56° 49½' N., long. 132° 56½' W.

[Variation 30° Easterly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port McArthur to Windham Bay, No. 2463; Plan of Wrangell Strait on No. 3022. Also, List of Lights, Part VII, 1902, page 75; and Bering Sea and Alaska, 1898, page 157.

No. 631.—ENGLAND, SOUTH COAST—PLYMOUTH SOUND.

Penlee Point—Fog Signal Established.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 162 of 1902:—

The Trinity House, London, has given further notice, dated 2nd September, 1902, that a fog-horn has been established on Penlee Point, Plymouth Sound, which will, during thick or foggy weather, give one blast of three and a half seconds' duration every ten seconds. The fog signal station is situated with Penlee Tower bearing North, distant 3 cables.

Approximate position, lat. 50° 19' N., long. 4° 11' W.

[Variation 17° Westerly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Lizard Head to Start Point, No. 442; Eddystone to Portland, No. 2620; Approaches to Plymouth, No. 1267; Plymouth Sound and Hamoaze, No. 30. Also, List of Lights, Part I, 1902, No. 21a; and Channel Pilot, Part I, 1900, page 108.

No. 632.—INDIA—EAST COAST.

Masulipatam Light—Alteration Postponed.

With reference to Notices to Mariners Nos. 423 of 1901 and 144 of 1902:—

The Government of India has given further notice, dated 31st July, 1902, that the alteration of Masulipatam Light from white fixed to white group occulting, referred to in the above Notices to Mariners, and which was to have taken place on 1st August, has been postponed indefinitely.

Further notice will be given when the alteration has taken place.

Approximate position, lat. 16° 9½' N., long. 81° 11' E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 828; Ramiapatam to Narsapur Point, No. 1894. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1902, No. 332; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 168.

No. 633.—INDIA—TANJORE.

Point Calimere Light—Alteration Postponed.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 145 of 1902:—

The Government of Madras has given further notice, that the alteration in Point Calimere Light, from red fixed to white flashing every forty-five seconds, therein referred to, and which was to have taken place on 1st September, has been postponed until further notice.

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Approximate position, lat. 10° 18' N., long. 79° 51½' E.

Further notice will be given when the alteration is completed.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 828; Madras to Point Calimere, No. 71; Palk Strait, No. 68a. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1902, No. 316; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 138.

No. 634.—WEST INDIES—CUBA, NORTH COAST.

Port Mariel Light—Amended Position.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 189 of 1902:—

The United States Government has given further notice, dated 23rd August, 1902, that Port Mariel Light (white group occulting) is not situated on Barlovento Point, as stated in the above Notice to Mariners, but is exhibited from a round tower shown on the plan of Port Mariel on Admiralty Sheet of Plans, No. 411, situated S. 8° E., distant 300 yards from Barlovento Point.

Approximate position, lat. 23° 2¼' N., long. 82° 43½' W.

[Variation 3° Easterly in 1902.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of Port Mariel on No. 411. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1902, No. 1387a; and West India Pilot, Vol. II, 1899, page 475.

No. 635.—FRANCE—NORTH COAST.

Barnouic Rock—Beacon Building.

The French Government has given notice, dated 22nd August, 1902, that a beacon tower is being built on Barnouic Rock, Plateau de Barnouic, and that to facilitate its construction a wooden derrick, 6 feet above high water, is placed on the south-west part of the rock.

Approximate position, lat. 49° 1' 40" N., long. 2° 48' 25" W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—English Channel, Nos. 1598, 2675b; Channel Islands, No. 2669; Ile d'Ouessant to les Sept Iles, No. 2644. Also, Channel Pilot, Part II, 1897, page 61.

No. 636.—NORWAY, SOUTH COAST—SINGLE FIORD.

Lauskier Light—Alteration in. Singleö—Light Exhibited.

The Norwegian Government has given notice that, on 15th July, 1902, the occulting light exhibited from Lauskier, Single Fiord, would be altered to show the following sectors:—white from the bearing of S. 71° E. to S. 55° E.; red from S. 55° E., through south, to S. 7° W.; white from S. 7° W., through west, to N. 39° W.; green from N. 39° W. to N. 24° W.; white from N. 24° W. to N. 13° W.; red from N. 13° W. to N. 1° W.; white from N. 1° W., through north, to N. 3° E., and obscured in other directions.

Approximate position, lat. 59° 6½' N., long. 11° 7' E.

Also, that on the same date there would be established on the west coast of Singleö an occulting white light, visible in clear weather for a distance of 10 miles, as a leading light, which, in line with Lauskier Light, leads north of Ramsö and south of Ramsö Grunden. It will be exhibited at a height of 56 feet above high water from a small white iron house.

Position, lat. 59° 6' 20" N., long. 11° 7' 40" E.

The above lights in line S. 61° E. lead clear to north of Ramsö.

[Variation 11° Westerly in 1902.]

NOTE.—These two lights must be classed as unwatched.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Christiania Fiord, No. 2330; Torbiørnskiær to Rauø, No. 3160. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1902, No. 537, page 102; Norway Pilot, Part I, 1897, pages 318, 319, 322; and Supplement, 1902, to that work, page 28.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
8th to 9th September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named UNITED METHODIST FREE CHURCH, situated at Sherwood-street, in the civil parish of Hucknall-under-Huthwaite, in the county of Nottingham, in the registration district of Mansfield, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the eighth day of September, 1902, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 9th day of September, 1902
G. H. HIBBERT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named WESLEYAN CHAPEL, situated at Chartham, in the civil parish of Chartham, in the county of Kent, in the registration district of Bridge, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the eighth day of

September, 1902, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV, c. 85.—Witness my hand this ninth day of September, 1902.

HENRY FIELDING, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH AND THE ENGLISH MARTYRS, situated at Portland-road, in the civil parish of Bishop Stortford, in the county of Hertford, in the registration district of Bishop Stortford, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the sixth day of September, 1902, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV, c. 85.—Witness my hand this ninth day of September, 1902.

ALFRED G. GWYNN, Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the COURT STANDISH, No. 2889, OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Register No. 593, held at the Standish Arms Inn, Ludworth, in the county of Durham, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 6th day of September, 1902, 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 6th day of September, 1902.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 10th day of September, 1902.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

				£					£
Notes issued..	..	..	..	58,399,920	Government Debt ..	..	..	11,015,100
					Other Securities ..	..	..	7,159,900
					Gold Coin and Bullion ..	..	..	35,224,920
					Silver Bullion ..	..	..	—
				<u>£58,399,920</u>				<u>£58,399,920</u>	

Dated the 11th day of September, 1902.

E. M. Harvey, Deputy Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

				£					£
Proprietors' Capital ..	..	..	..	14,553,000	Government Securities ..	..	..	14,494,260
Rest ..	..	..	..	3,744,200	Other Securities ..	..	..	26,178,244
Public Deposits (including Ex-					Notes ..	..	..	28,326,125
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-					Gold and Silver Coin ..	..	..	2,320,953
missioners of National Debt, and									
Dividend Accounts) ..	..	..	..	9,086,151				
Other Deposits ..	..	..	..	39,231,110				
Seven Day and other Bills ..	..	..	..	205,121				
				<u>£66,819,582</u>				<u>£66,819,582</u>	

Dated the 11th day of September, 1902.

E. M. Harvey, Deputy Chief Cashier.

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four Weeks ended Saturday, the 30th day of August, 1902.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
			£						
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh...	343418	339677	822753	1162430	880364	127097	1007461
Royal Bank of Scotland		Edinburgh...	216451	295262	721782	1017044	863172	91423	954595
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh...	438024	239133	660292	899425	507901	127655	635556
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh...	374880	260845	729947	990792	725301	86471	811772
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh...	297024	249008	621851	870859	658404	62851	721255
Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh...	454346	303360	733288	1036648	747117	117707	864824
Town and County Bank Limited	Town and County Bank Limited	Aberdeen ...	70133	146698	193297	339995	293088	24909	317997
North of Scotland Bank Limited	North of Scotland Bank Limited	Aberdeen ...	154319	221155	280261	501416	368420	23351	391771
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	Glasgow ...	274321	237763	569099	806862	579657	118257	697914
Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness ...	53434	50603	83325	133928	81530	12505	94035

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

Dated the 11th day of September, 1902.

ERNEST CLEAVE, Registrar of Bank Returns.

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AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered
in the week ended 10th September, 1902.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	2,184	..	2,184	..	15,340	15,340
Holland	386	633	1,019	364	..	364
Belgium	3,621	..	3,621	800	..	800
France	1,689	238	1,927	12,528	..	12,528
United States of America .. .. .	..	..	..	523,960	864,530	1,388,490
Chile .. .. .	..	435	435	..	41,690	41,690
Brazil .. .. .	..	5,506	5,506	..	..	..
Natal .. .. .	..	36,852	36,852	..	..	..
Straits Settlements .. .. .	..	1,644	1,644	..	..	..
Australia	771	387	1,158	..	32,000	32,000
New Zealand .. .. .	..	3,143	3,143	..	21,430	21,430
Other Countries	1,486	..	1,486	3,636	3,000	6,636
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week	10,137	48,838	58,975	541,288	977,990	1,519,278
Declared Value of the said Importations	£ 39,335	£ 181,108	£ 220,443	£ 55,659	£ 97,799	£ 153,458

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	
Russia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	158,678	158,678
Sweden .. .. .	..	..	23,799	23,799	..	..	..
Germany .. .. .	..	..	12,200	12,200	..	64,354	64,354
France .. .. .	..	..	2,384	2,384	..	214,631	214,631
Austria-Hungary .. .. .	..	..	32,443	32,443	..	..	..
Dutch Possessions in the Indian Seas	1,542	..	..	1,542	..	..	..
Japan .. .. .	..	..	23,801	23,801	..	..	..
Mexico, Central and South America (except Brazil), and West Indies	17,920	..	..	17,920	..	..	..
British East Indies	5,384	..	2,760	8,144	823,577	1,337,115	2,160,692	
Hong Kong .. .. .	..	..	..	..	86,872	..	86,872
Other Countries	509	..	..	509	19,595	43,516	10,653
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week	25,355	..	97,387	122,742	19,595	953,965	1,785,431	
Declared Value of the said Exportations	£ 98,983	£ ..	£ 406,038	£ 505,021	£ 5,383	£ 94,000	£ 192,622	

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

Mr. Justice Buckley.

00244 of 1902.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the NEW BURLINGTON TROY LAUNDRY COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by His Majesty's High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 8th day of September, 1902, presented to the High Court of Justice by Alfred John Kemish, of Nos. 11 and 12, Brind-terrace, Rigault-road, Fulham, in the county of London, Laundryman, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Byrne, on Tuesday, the 28th day of October, 1902; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself, or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

GILL and PUGH, 16¹/₂, Earl's Court-road, Kensington, S.W., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of WEBB'S WORCESTER TILERIES COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester, was on the 9th day of September, 1902, presented to the said Court by Warren William Arrowsmith Tree, of 25, High-street, in the city of Worcester, Solicitor, and Henrietta Corles Halford, of 15, Binswood-avenue, Leamington, in the county of Warwick, Spinster, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Shire Hall, Worcester, on the 21st day of October, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself, or his Solicitor, or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

W. W. A. TREE, of 25, High-street, Worcester, Solicitor for the Petitioning Creditors.

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 W. W. A. Tree, 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 6 o'clock in the afternoon on the 20th day of October, 1902.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.
No. 5 of 1902.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the NORWICH VINEGAR AND DISTILLERY COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich, was, on the 6th day of September, 1902, presented to the said Court by Messieurs Cowley and Company, who carry on business at Monument Buildings, in the city of London, Wholesale Fruit Merchants; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Shire Hall, Norwich, on the 22nd day of October, 1902; 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 Solicitor, 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.

RUSSELL STEWARD, Tombland, Norwich, Solicitor; Agent for Messrs. JUDGE and PRIESTLEY, 4, Broad-street-buildings, Liverpool-street, London, E.C., Solicitors to 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 to do so. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name

and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 21st day of October, 1902.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

1902. N. No. 036.

In the Matter of the NEW ZEALAND LAND ASSOCIATION Limited and Reduced; and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867; and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 12th August, 1902, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £1,400,000, divided into 60,000 ordinary shares of £20 each, and 200,000 deferred shares of £1 each, to £505,466 10s. 0d., divided into 12,743 ordinary shares of £1 10s. 0d. each, 17,621 ordinary shares of £2 each, 14,161 ordinary shares of £10 each, and 15,476 ordinary shares of £20 each, and the Minute (approved by the Court) showing, with respect to the capital of the Company as altered, the several particulars required by the above Statutes, were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 28th day of August, 1902, which said Order and Minute can be inspected at the office of the said Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, at Somerset House, Strand, London, and copies can be had on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated the 9th day of September, 1902.

PAINES, BLYTH, and HUXTABLE, 14, St. Helen's-place, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

Special Resolution (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, s. 51) of the FINE BLOC BATTERY COMPANY Limited.

Passed August 20th, 1902.

Confirmed September 4th, 1902.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at No. 86, Charing Cross-road, London, W.C., on the 20th day of August, 1902, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at No. 5, Gray's-inn-square, London, W.C., on the 4th day of September, 1902, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That by reason of the unpromising results of the experiments and investigations made by the Company in the matter of the work and business which it was intended to carry on, and also that by reason of its present financial position it cannot continue its work without incurring liabilities which it is unlikely it will be able to meet, it is desirable that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that it be wound up accordingly; and

"That Mr. Thomas Francis Harvey, Civil Engineer, of Riverdale House, Richmond, Surrey, be appointed Liquidator." THOS. F. HARVEY, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898.

The PEAT COKE SYNDICATE Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 139, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 8th day of August, 1902, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at 11, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, on the 1st day of September, 1902, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Lacy Downes, of 11, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company, at a remuneration to be agreed upon."

A. W. READ, Chairman.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

Special Resolution (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, s. 51) of the BARNETT WOOD BRICK WORKS Limited.

Passed 7th August, 1902. Confirmed 28th August, 1902.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at Union Bank-chambers, Katherine-street, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on the 7th day of August, 1902, 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 28th day of August, 1902, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

That the Company be wound voluntarily, under the Companies Act, and that Mr. Sharp, of 27, Walbrook, E.C., Chartered Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for winding up the affairs of the Company, subject to his giving security to the satisfaction of the Company's Solicitors.
F. W. SEDGWICK, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.
The WILSON ESTATE COMPANY Limited.
Special Resolution.

Passed 22nd August, 1902.

Confirmed 8th September, 1902.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Wilson Estate Company, Limited, duly convened, and held at the office of Messrs. Weightman, Pedder, and Weightman, 18, Water-street, Liverpool, on the 22nd day of August, 1902, 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 6th day of September, 1902, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

And at the same Extraordinary General Meeting, held on the 8th day of September, 1902, William Arthur Weightman, of 18, Water-street, Liverpool, Solicitor, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

JOSEPH WILSON, Chairman.

BICKLE AND COMPANY Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, Great Western Docks, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 1st day of August, 1902, 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 30th day of August, 1902, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
2. That Frederick Peters Luckhurst, of 8, Peverell-terrace, Hyde Park, Plymouth, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company.
3. That the remuneration of the Liquidator shall be such sum as the Directors of the Company shall determine to be a fair amount.
4. That the Liquidator be and is hereby authorized to adopt and carry out and complete the contract dated the second day of July, 1902, for sale to William Bywater Bywater of the Company's leasehold premises, plant, machinery, tools, patents, patterns and drawings, and unworked stock, together with the goodwill of the business of the Company.
5. That the powers of the Directors shall be continued for the following purposes only, viz.:—For the purpose of advising and assisting the Liquidator in the winding up, and for the purpose of carrying out and completing the said contract.

JOHN G. BONE, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the SIERRA LEONE EXPLORATION SYNDICATE Limited.

Special Resolution.

Passed the 11th day of August, 1902.

Confirmed the 9th day of September, 1902

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 5, St. Mildred's-court, London, E.C., on the 11th day of August, 1902, the following resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same address on the 9th day of September, 1902, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution, viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Sidney James Edwards, of No. 5, St. Mildred's-court, London, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

JAS. T. CURRIE, Chairman.

In the Matter of ALLEN AND BARKER Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the offices of the Company, Tone Bridge, Taunton, on the 22nd day of August, 1902, 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 8th day of September, 1902, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Albert Goodman, Chartered Accountant, Taunton, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this eighth day of September, 1902.

WILLIAM ALLEN, Chairman.

The PACIFIC ISLANDS COMPANY Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the office of the Company, No. 120, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on Monday the 8th day of September, 1902, the subjoined resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 13th day of August, 1902, was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution:—

"That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Henry Crewdon Howard, of 17, Coleman-street, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

STANMORE, Chairman.

In the Matter of the BURTON LATIMER COFFEE HOUSE COMPANY Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the Coffee House, High-street, Burton Latimer, on the 12th day of August, 1902, 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 5th day of September, 1902, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. William Charles Cattell, of Bank-chambers, High-street, Kettering, Incorporated Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

JAS. A. WALLIS, Chairman.

Special Resolutions of the NEW FRASER RIVER

GOLD MINES, Limited.

Passed 7th August, 1902. Confirmed 22nd August, 1902.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened, and held at the registered offices of the Company, 23, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., on the 7th day of August, 1902, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 22nd day of August, 1902, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Special Resolutions.—1. "That the New Fraser River Gold Mines, Limited, be wound up voluntarily."

2. "That Mr. William Albert Stearns, of 23, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

GEO. BROOKE MEE, Chairman of Meeting.

In the Matter of READ, CAMPBELL, AND COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 18th day of October, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to E. H. Knowles, 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 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 6th day of August, 1902.

E. H. KNOWLES, Liquidator of the Company.
Broad Street-avenue, London, E.C.

The EDGBASTON SCHOOL HOUSE FOR GIRLS 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 Office of the Company, 109, Colmore-row, Birmingham, on Friday, the 31st day of October, 1902, at 12.30 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 5th day of September, 1902.

T. GILBERT GRIFFITHS, Liquidator.

The **EXPLORING AND GOLD MINING ASSOCIATION** Limited.

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 Exploring and Gold Mining Association Limited, of 85, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the Liquidator, on or before the 15th day of October, 1902; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said Liquidator will proceed to distribute the assets of the Company among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Liquidator shall then have 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 8th day of September, 1902.

PAKEMAN and READ, 11, Ironmonger-lane, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the **MANNINGTREE PUBLIC HALL COMPANY** Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the twenty-seventh day of September, 1902, 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, and, if so required, by notice in writing are, by themselves or 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 ninth day of September, 1902.

W. G. SYNNOT, Manningtree, Essex, Solicitor to the Liquidators.

The **PEAT COKE SYNDICATE** Limited.

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 Peat Coke Syndicate Limited, of 11, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the Liquidator, on or before the 15th day of October, 1902; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said Liquidator will proceed to distribute the assets of the Company among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Liquidator shall then have 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 8th day of September, 1902.

PAKEMAN and READ, 11, Ironmonger-lane, E.C., Solicitors for the Liquidators.

In the Matter of the **ANGLO-BELGIAN WELSBACH INCANDESCENT GAS LIGHT COMPANY** Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above Company are required, on or before the 22nd day of October, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the name and address of their Solicitors (if any), to John Henry Roscos, of 17, Old Broad-street, London E.C., 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 10th day of September, 1902.

STEPHENSON, HARWOOD, and CO., 31, Lombard-street, E.C., Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

The **GENERAL REMEDIES COMPANY** Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Park-chambers, Westgate-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October next, 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, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the amount of the Liquidator's remuneration, and the manner in which the books and other documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

CROFTON C. CROCKER, Liquidator.

The **ASPLEY ENGINEERING CO., Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of the Liquidator, Westminster-chambers, East parade, Leeds, on Monday, the 13th day of October, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also 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 4th day of September, 1902.

R. HILDITCH, Liquidator.

The **COUNTIES PLATE-GLASS AND GENERAL INSURANCE 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 9, Quay-street, Cardiff, on Wednesday, the 15th day of October, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, shewing 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 10th day of September, 1902.

W. S. SWEET-ESCOTT, Liquidator.

CLIVE, SON, AND MYOTT Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting (in Liquidation) will be held at the office of Messrs. Llewellyn and Son, Solicitors, Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1902, at 10.15 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report, showing how the winding up has been conducted, and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and other documents of the Company.—Dated this eighth day of September, 1902.

ROB. C. OLIVE, }
A. BURLAND, } Liquidators.

THOMAS WHITFIELD AND COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at my offices, District Bank-chambers, Market-street, in the city of Bradford, on Thursday, the 30th day of October, 1902, 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 this eighth day of September, 1902.

WM. M. GRAY, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

HADLEY'S STORES Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of Hadley's Stores, Limited, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Felton and Walker, Chartered Accountants, 131, Edmund-street, Birmingham, on Monday, the 13th day of October, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them by the Liquidators (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 Liquidators.

ROLAND A. FELTON, }
J. W. B. BROWN, } Liquidators.

The **ZEBRIL FOODS COMPANY** Limited

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at my offices, District Bank Chambers, Market-street, in the city of Bradford, on Thursday, the 23rd day of October, 1902, 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 this eighth day of September, 1902.

WM. M. GRAY, Liquidator.

YOUNG'S BOTANIC BREWERY (BRADFORD) Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at my offices, District Bank-chambers, Market-street, in the city of Bradford, on Thursday, the 30th day of October, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report, showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and other documents of the Company.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

WM. M. GRAY, Liquidator.

No. 4 CHURCH AND DISTRICT INVESTMENT COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the Commercial Hotel, Church, on Monday, the thirteenth of October, 1902, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, 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.—Dated this 2nd day of September, 1902.

J. H. DUXBURY, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of SOUTHORNS Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Blease and Sons, Fenwick-chambers, Fenwick-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting, 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 8th day of September, 1902.

HARLING and HARLING, 11, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Liquidator.

**The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.
The NEW STEAM STAMP MILL SYNDICATE Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Acts, 1862, a General Meeting of the New Steam Mill Syndicate Limited (in Liquidation) will be held at No. 3, Mount-street, Manchester, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of October, 1902, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of having laid before the Meeting the account of the Liquidator, 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; the Company will be asked to declare, by Extraordinary Resolution, how the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and the Liquidator are to be disposed of.—Dated the 10th day of September, 1902.

C. W. PROVIS, JR., Liquidator.

JASPER TOWN AND LANDS 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 18, St. Helen's-place, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the twenty-second day of October, 1902, 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 sixth day of September, 1902.

EDMUND HIRSCH, Liquidator.

The NEW HAURAKI GOLD PROPERTIES 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 100, Dashwood House, New Broad-street, London, E.C., on Monday, the 13th of October, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 9th day of September, 1902.

W. J. LAVINGTORE, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

The TEMPERANCE BEER CO. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Final Winding-up Meeting of Members of the Temperance Beer Co. Limited, will be held at the registered office, 66, Week-street, Maidstone, Kent, on Monday, the 13th day of October, at six o'clock in the afternoon.—September 9th, 1902.

ALBERT E. ROWCROFT, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Winder, William Winder, and Ebenezer Winder, carrying on business as Botanical Beer Agents, at Gildersome, in the county of York, under the style or firm of S. WINDER AND SONS, was dissolved as and from the 23rd day of August, 1902, by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Samuel Winder, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated the eight day of September, 1902.

SAMUEL WINDER.
WILLIAM WINDER.
EBENEZER WINDER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between the undersigned, William Wilkinson, Thomas Frederick Wilkinson, and Edwin Wilkinson, in the business of Loom Makers and Machinists, carried on under the name or style of "THOMAS WILKINSON," at Paynes-lane in the city of Coventry, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 2nd day of September, 1902.—Dated this sixth day of September, 1902.

WILLIAM WILKINSON.
THOMAS FREDERICK WILKINSON.
EDWIN WILKINSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Richard Smith and Eliza Odell, carrying on business as Button Manufacturers, at Nos. 2 and 4, St. George's-crescent, Brearley-street, in the city of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of "J. BARBER AND CO.," was dissolved as and from the 30th day of June, 1902, by mutual consent.—Dated the 5th day of September, 1902.

J. R. SMITH.
ELIZA ODELL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Sutcliffe and Edgar Gerald Howorth, carrying on business as Wholesale Confectioners, Drysalers, and Yeast Importers, at Number 4, Halifax-road, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of SUTCLIFFE AND HOWORTH, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of May, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edgar Gerald Howorth, who will continue the said business.—Dated 6th day of September, 1902.

ALFRED SUTCLIFFE.
EDGAR GERALD HOWORTH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Harold Penrose Mark Wardlaw, of Holway Farm, Corton Denham, Sherborne, in the county of Dorset, Farmer, and Arthur Penrose Wardlaw, of Holway Farm aforesaid, Farmer, carrying on the business of Farmers, at Holway Farm aforesaid, under the style or firm of "WARDLAW BROTHERS," has been dissolved as from the 25th day of March, 1902, by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Harold Penrose Mark Wardlaw, who will henceforth carry on the business at the same place in his own name and on his sole account.—Dated this 3rd day of September, 1902.

HAROLD P. M. WARDLAW.
ARTHUR P. WARDLAW.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Craig and William James Cordner, carrying on business as Brewers and Spirit Merchants, at Rainton Brewery, Rainton Bridge, near Fence Houses, in the county of Durham, under the style or firm of "THE RAIN-TON BREWERY COMPANY," was dissolved as from this date by mutual consent. The said business will be carried on in future by William James Cordner under the same name or title.—Dated this sixth day of September, 1902.

JAMES CRAIG.
WILLIAM JAMES CORDNER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George William Bell and John Pearson, carrying on business as Fruit Salesmen, at Covent Garden Market, London, and Smithfield Market, Manchester, under the style or firm of **GEORGE, BELL, SON AND PEARSON**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the sixth day of September, 1902. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by Mr. J. H. Kemp, of Suffolk House, Laurence Pountney-hill, E.C., Chartered Accountant. And that in future such business will be carried on by the said George William Bell, in London, under the style or firm of George Bell and Son, and in Manchester by the said John Pearson, under the style or firm of John Pearson. — Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

GEORGE WM. BELL.
JOHN PEARSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Jackson Saint and Arthur Ebenezer Slater Cook, carrying on business as Chartered Accountants, under the style or firm of "**J. JACKSON SAINT AND CO.**," at 39, Lowther-street, in the city of Carlisle, and under the style or firm of "**J. JACKSON SAINT AND CO.**" and "**JACKSON SAINT AND COOK**," at 53, Lord-street, in the city of Liverpool, was as and from the 7th day of August, 1902, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the firm at Carlisle will be received and paid by the said John Jackson Saint, who will carry on business at Carlisle on his own account under the style or firm of "**J. Jackson Saint and Co.**"; and all debts due to and owing by the firm at Liverpool will be received and paid by the said Arthur Ebenezer Slater Cook, who will carry on business at Liverpool on his own account under the style or firm of "**Slater Cook and Co.**" — Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

JOHN JACKSON SAINT.
A. E. S. COOK.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Travis and John Arthur Richards, carrying on business as Coal and Potato Merchants, at 43, Corporation-road, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, under the style or firm of "**TRAVIS JUNIOR AND RICHARDS**," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 26th day of May, 1902. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Arthur Richards. — Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

JAMES TRAVIS, JR.
JOHN ARTHUR RICHARDS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Turner and George Euinton, carrying on business as Nursery Gardeners, at Canons Nursery Gardens, under the style or firm of **TURNER AND EUINTON**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 24th day of June, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Turner. — Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

JAMES TURNER.
GEORGE EUINTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Tobin Bush and Hugh Bernard Fitch, carrying on business as Provision Merchants and Agents, at 19, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of **BUSH, FITCH, AND CO.**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of June, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Tobin Bush. — Dated sixth day of September, 1902.

JAS. TOBIN BUSH.
HUGH B. FITCH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Rawley Cross, Ernest Arthur Willder, and Ernest Cheesewright, lately carrying on business as Auctioneers and Estate Agents, at Ilchester House, Uxbridge-road, London, W., under the style or firm of Messrs. **C. RAWLEY CROSS AND CO.**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of August, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Rawley Cross and Ernest Cheesewright, who will continue the said business in the said style or firm of Messrs. **C. Rawley Cross and Co.**, on their own account, at Ilchester House, Uxbridge-road aforesaid. — Dated this second day of September, 1902.

C. RAWLEY CROSS.
ERNEST A. WILLDER.
E. CHEESEWRIGHT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Moulson and William Lindley, carrying on business as Timber Merchants, at Walton, near the city of Wakefield, under the style or firm of "**MARTIN AND MOULSON**," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 15th day of February, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Moulson. — Dated this 20th day of August, 1902.

JOHN MOULSON.
WILLIAM LINDLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Lloyd Gardiner, Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner, and William Cowper Robison, carrying on business as Cigar Merchants and Cigarette Manufacturers, at 81, Regent-street, and 59, Charin^g Cross-road, under the style or firm of "**GARDINER AND CO.**," has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the first day of September, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Lloyd Gardiner and Thomas Henry Reginald Gardiner. — Dated this 5th day of September, 1902.

C. L. GARDINER.
T. H. P. GARDINER.

By Charles Lloyd Gardiner, his attorney,
W. C. ROBISON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Ayshford Sharland and William Sharland, carrying on business as Drapers, at Nos. 10 and 12, The Hundred, Romsey, in the county of Southampton, under the style or firm of "**SHARLAND BROTHERS**," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 20th day of August, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Ayshford Sharland. — Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

THOMAS AYSHFORD SHARLAND.
WILLIAM SHARLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Henry Burt and Charles Frederick Green, carrying on business as Builders, Decorators, and Electrical Engineers, at Berry Cottage, The Bittoms, Kingston-on-Thames, under the style or firm of **C. BARKER AND CO.**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 30th day of August, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Henry Burt, who continues. — Dated 9th day of September, 1902.

JAMES HENRY BURT.
CHARLES FREDERICK GREEN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jules de Saugy and Lawrence Williamson, carrying on business as Wholesale Fishmongers or Wholesale Merchants, Curers, and Dealers in Dried Fish, under the style or firm of **L. WILLIAMSON AND CO.**, at Burravoe, in the Island of Gell, Shetland, and elsewhere, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. And notice is hereby further given, that all debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Lawrence Williamson, who will henceforth carry on the business for his own benefit, under the name of Williamson and Co., as a Wholesale Provision Merchant and Fish Curer. — Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

J. DE SAUGY.
LAWRENCE WILLIAMSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Siese and Alexander Herbert Siese, carrying on business as Tailors, at Number 255, Lavender-hill, Clapham Common, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Siese Brothers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the fifth day of September, 1902. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alexander Herbert Siese. — Dated this 5th day of September, 1902.

WILLIAM SIESE.
ALEXANDER HERBERT SIESE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Ormesher and Charles Mather, carrying on business as Yarn Polishers and Dyers, at Bridge Mill, Middleton, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of **MATHER, ORMESHER AND CO.**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the eighteenth day of August, 1902. — Dated the ninth day of September, 1902.

JAMES ORMESHER.
CHARLES MATHER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick Eli Appleby, Joseph Alfred Appleby, Bernard James Appleby, and George Herbert Appleby, carrying on business as Textile Accessory Manufacturers, Machinists, Engineers, and Tool Makers, at Oak Bank Works, Hooley Hill, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of **APPLEBY AND CO.**, was dissolved as and from the 19th day of February, 1902, by mutual consent. The said business will henceforth be carried on by the said Frederick Eli Appleby, Joseph Alfred Appleby, and Bernard James Appleby, by whom all debts will be received and paid respectively.—Dated the 15th day of August, 1902.

FREDERICK ELI APPLEBY.
JOSEPH ALFRED APPLEBY.
BERNARD JAMES APPLEBY.
GEORGE HERBERT APPLEBY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ernest Frederick Hornby and Ernest Arthur Wainwright, at 26, Cooper-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Financial Agents, under the style or firm of "**HORNBY AND WAINWRIGHT**," was on the 3rd day of September, 1902, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said Ernest Arthur Wainwright, who for the future will carry on the business on his own account under the style or firm of "**Hornby and Wainwright**."—Dated the 10th day of September, 1902.

ERNEST FREDERICK HORNBY.
ERNEST ARTHUR WAINWRIGHT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Samuel Phillips and Lionel Ellis Phillips, carrying on business as Tailors, at No. 14, Sloane-street, London, S.W., under the style or firm of "**LIONEL**," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 5th day of September, 1902. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alfred Samuel Phillips.—Dated this 11th day of September, 1902.

A. S. PHILLIPS.
LIONEL ELLIS PHILLIPS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between me, the undersigned Herbert Owen Grainger, and Edward Norman Fawcett, recently carrying on business as Auctioneers, Valuers, and Business Transfer Agents, at Albany-chambers, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, under the style or firm of "**MIDGLEY, FAWCETT, AND GRAINGER**," has been dissolved by notice from the 28th day of August, 1902.—Dated this 6th day of September, 1902.

H. O. GRAINGER.

Re WILLIAM POMFRET POMFRET, Deceased.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of the late William Pomfret Pomfret, of Pomfret, Burra, and Co., Bankers, Ashford, and of Mystole, Canterbury, and of Morghew, Tenterden, who died on the 11th day of August, 1902, are hereby requested to send particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the executors.—Dated this 3rd day of September, 1902.

HOBES, PATTISON, and BATHURST, 52, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.

JOHN MUNN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of John Munn, late of 4, Green-bank, Waterloo, near the city of Liverpool, Esquire (who died on the 15th day of July, 1902, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 13th day of August, 1902, to his brother, Robert Munn), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to the undersigned, on or before the 9th day of October, 1902, after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

GRUNDY, KERSHAW, SAMSON and CO., 31, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

SYDNEY JOHN LEWIN WHYMAN, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Sydney John Lewin Whyman, late of "Le Nid," Endesleigh Gardens, Sorbiton, in the county of Surrey (who died on the 22nd day of June, 1902, at "Le Nid" aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 13th day of August, 1902, by Leonard Frederick Whyman, Charles Frederick Pailthorpe, and William Edward Martyn, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned before the eighth day of October next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this eighth day of September, 1902.

MARTYN and MARTYN, No. 2, Temple Gardens, Temple, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY EDWARD SOUTHWOOD, Deceased.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Henry Edward Southwood, late of Number 25, Rivercourt-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Grocer (who died on the 25th day of July, 1902), at 15, Rivercourt-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry, on the 2nd day of August, 1902, by Isabel Margarvie Southwood, and Oswald Shaw Hanson, the executrix and executor named in the said will) are required to send particulars of such claims to the said Isabel Margarvie Southwood and Oswald Shaw Hanson, or to us, the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of October next, after which date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims then received.—Dated this 5th day of September, 1902.

OSWALD HANSON and CO., 10, Vernon-street, West Kensington, London, Solicitors to the said Executrix and Executor.

WILLIAM CHARD, Deceased.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of William Chard, late of Number 61, Fulham Palace-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, Insurance Broker (who died on the 24th day of June, 1902, at 61, Fulham Palace-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 19th day of July, 1902, by Ellen Charlotte Chard, of Number 61, Fulham Palace-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, the sole executrix named in the said will), are required to send particulars of such claims to the said Ellen Charlotte Chard, or to us, the undersigned, on or before the 28th day of October next, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims then received.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

OSWALD HANSON and CO., 10, Vernon street, West Kensington, London, W., Solicitors to the said Executrix.

Re ALFRED JOHN BEWICK WARD, 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 Alfred John Bewick Ward, late of Number 33, the Avenue, Bedford Park, London, W., and 38 and 39, Parliament-street, Westminster, Director of a Limited Company (who died on the 7th day of November, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 11th day of December, 1901, by me, the undersigned, Septimus Gladstone Ward, and Percy Farbridge Ward, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said Percy Farbridge Ward, of 27, Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chartered Accountant, on or before the 31st day of October, 1902, 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 8th day of September, 1902.

SEPTIMUS G. WARD, Clayton-chambers, 61, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Inspector General of Hospitals and Fleets
WILLIAM HENRY SLOGGETT, Deceased.
 Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria,
 chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Henry Sloggett, late of Tremabyn, Paignton, in the county of Devon, retired Inspector General of Hospitals and Fleets, R.N., who died on the 10th day of June, 1902, and whose will was proved by Anna Elizabeth Tunnard-Moore and Frederick George Farwell, two of the executors therein named, on the 3rd day of September, 1902, in the Exeter District Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor, on or before the 23rd day of October, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

T. H. GILL, 3, St. Aubyn-street, Devonport,
 Solicitor for the said Executors.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, c. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of **OSBORN JENKYN**, late of 63, Lincoln's-inn-fields, and of Woodside, Ealing Common, both in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, deceased (who died on the 27th day of June, 1902, and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Elizabeth Jenkyn, of Woodside, Ealing Common aforesaid, on the 2nd day of September, 1902, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said administratrix, at the office of the undersigned, Osborn Jenkyn and Son, 63, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.C., Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 9th day of October, 1902; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Osborn Jenkyn, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 9th day of September, 1902.

OSBORN JENKYN and SON, 63, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.C., Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

ANNIE HECTOR (Widow), Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon the estate of Annie Hector, late of 10, Warrington-gardens, Maida Hill, but formerly of 54, Portsdown-road, Maida Vale, both in the county of Middlesex, who died on the 10th day of July, 1902, and probate of whose will was granted to Ida Hector out of the Principal Probate Registry on the 3rd day of September, 1902, are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said Ida Hector, on or before the 31st day of October, 1902; and notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day, the said Ida Hector will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has then had notice; and she will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she has not had notice at the time of distribution.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

JANSON, COBB, PEARSON, and CO., 22, College-Hill, London, E.C.

JAMES CLARK, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of James Clark, late of 154, Snargate-street, Dover, in the county of Kent, Jeweller (who died on the 11th day of June, 1902), are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, Solicitors for William John Lord, the executor, on or before the 10th day of October next, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

MOWLL and MOWLL, Dover, Solicitors for the Executor.

MARY JANE MUNDY, Deceased.
 Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria,
 chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Jane Mundy, of "Fairlight," London-road, Ewell, Surrey, formerly of 87, London-road, South-wark, Surrey, Widow, deceased, who died on the 8th day of March, 1902, and whose will was proved on the 23th day of April, 1902, in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, by John Sheldon Peters Cartwright and William George Dobbie, the executors thereof, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of October, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

THOS. G. BAYNES, 55, Broadway, Baxley Heath,
 Solicitor for the above named Executors.

R. N. DAVISON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria,
 chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Robert Nichols Davison, late of High-street, Sandy, in the county of Beds., who died at Sandy on the 11th March, 1902, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th April, 1902, by Ebenezer Chew, of Biggleswade, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to me, Ebenezer Chew, High-street, Biggleswade, the executor, on or before the 11th day of October, 1902; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said R. N. Davison among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which I shall then have notice; and that I will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand I shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

E. CHEW, High-street, Biggleswade, Executor.

JOHN DENISON JEE, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Denison Jee, late of 19, Mersey-road, Aigburth, in the county of Lancaster, and Central-chambers, 17A, South Castle-street, in the city of Liverpool, Surveyor, deceased (who died on the 9th May, 1902, and whose will was proved by Charles Matthew Jee and Beatrice Richardson, two of the executors therein named, on the 5th July, 1902, in the Liverpool District Probate Registry, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said executors, at the offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 9th November, 1902; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Denison Jee, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated 8th September, 1902.

WM. F. MORECROFT and CO., 5, Castle-street,
 Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Executors.

MORGAN DAVIES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Morgan Davies, of Vanhaulog Ynysybwll, in the parish of Llanwonno, in the county of Glamorgan, Farmer, deceased (who died on the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and two), are required to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, on behalf of the executrix of the will of the said deceased, on or before the 30th day of September, 1902, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

LEWIS and JONES, 33, Victoria-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitors for the said Executrix.

JAMES DIXON CHURCHILL, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vict., c. 35.

ALL creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of James Dixon Churchill, of Rockhills, St. Brannocks-road, Ilfracombe, deceased (who died 31st October, 1901), are hereby required to send written particulars thereof to the executors, on or before the 30th October, 1902, after which day the executors, Fanny Churchill and Frederick Goodwin, will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of September, 1902.

FEW and CO., 19, Surrey-street, Strand, London, Solicitors.

JOHN CAUNOE LINNEY CAUNOE, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of John Caunoe Linney Caunoe, late of Number 4, King-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and Number 26, Corporation-street, Manchester, in the said county, Solicitor, deceased, who died on the 8th day of March, 1902, are to send written particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for Sarah Caunoe, the administratrix of the estate of the deceased, on or before the 1st day of November next, after which date the administratrix will distribute the deceased's assets, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice.—Dated this 4th day of September, 1902.

WRIGHT and APPLETON, Solicitors, Leader's-buildings, King-street, Wigan.

Re JOHN SMITH ELDRIDGE, 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 Smith Eldridge, late of Lower Woodside, Marchwood, in the county of Southampton, retired Solicitor, deceased (who died on the 27th day of May, 1901), and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 31st day of July, 1901, by Rosa Eldridge, of Priestlands, Romsey, in the county of Southampton, widow of the said deceased, and Alexander Paris, of the county borough of Southampton, Solicitor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 18th day of October, 1902, 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 8th day of September, 1902.

PARIS, SMITH, and RANDALL, Lansdowne House, Castle-lane, Southampton, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re JOHN WARBURTON, 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 Warburton, late of the Sportsman Inn, Hall-street, Gorton, in the county of Lancaster, Beer-house-keeper, deceased (who died on the 4th day of July, 1902, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Manchester of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of July, 1902, by Joseph Lax Warburton, of Number 5, Abbey Hey-lane, Gorton, aforesaid, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned William Frederick Chambers, on or before the 13th day of October, 1902, 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 9th day of September, 1902.

W. F. CHAMBERS, Denton, near Manchester, Solicitor for the said Executor.

ADA RINDER WHITLEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ada Rinder Whitley, late of Little Westlands, Lingfield, in the county of Surrey, deceased (who died on the 12th day of May, 1902, and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Alfred William Whitley, of Heath Royde, Halifax, in the county of York, Cotton Spinner, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 11th day of July, 1902), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the said Alfred William Whitley, or to the undersigned, his solicitors, on or before the 1st day of November, 1902; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have 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 the 11th day of September, 1902.

HUMPHREYS, HURST, and WHITLEY, 5, Harrison-road, Halifax, Solicitors for the above-named Administrator.

MARK WILKINSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of Mark Wilkinson, late of Spring Gardens, Earlsheaton, Dewsbury, in the county of York, Joiner and Draper (who died on the 16th day of July, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of September, 1902, by George Wilkinson, John Herbert Wilkinson, and William Harvey Wilkinson, three of the executors therein named), are hereby requested to send, in writing, particulars of such claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 13th day of October, 1902, at which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said 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 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 10th day of September, 1902.

C. E. OSCAR WALKER, 20, Union-street, Dewsbury, Solicitor for the said Executors.

EDWARD BUSH, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 V. Cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against or interest in the estate of Edward Bush, late of Elm House, Worpell-road, Epsom, Surrey, who died on the 10th day of August, 1902, are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the administratrix, on or before the 31st day of October next, after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands to which she shall then have had notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

A. J. OLIVER and CO., 79, Coleman-street, London, E.C., Solicitors.

ELIZA CHAPLIN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Eliza Chaplin (Wife of Jabez William Chaplin), late of Whitwick, in the county of Leicester, deceased, who died on the 26th day of November, 1901, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to Thomas Jesson and Jacob Newbury, the executors named in the will of the said deceased, on or before the 26th day of September, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the 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 8th day of September, 1902.

FISHER, JESSON, and WILKINS, Solicitors for the said Executors, Ashby-de-la-Zouch.

Re JANE LISTER, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Jane Lister, late of Shuttleworth Cottage, Leyland, in the county of Lancaster, wife of John Lister, and formerly of 37, Avondale-road, West End, Morecambe, in the said county (who died on the 31st day of January, 1902), are hereby required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October, 1902, after which date the executors of the said will 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.

CANT and FAIRER, St. Andrew's-place, Penrith, Cumberland, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re THOMAS FARBRIDGE WARD, 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 Thomas Farbridge Ward, late of 10, Summer-hill-terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne (a partner in the firm of R. Ward and Sons, of High Bridge, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Printers and Publishers), deceased (who died on the 15th day of February, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th day of August, 1902, by the undersigned, Septimus Gladstone Ward and Percy Farbridge Ward, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said Percy Farbridge Ward, of 27, Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chartered Accountant, on or before the 31st day of October, 1902, 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 8th day of September, 1902.

SEPTIMUS G. WARD, Clayton-chambers, 61, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re ISABELLA REED, 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 Isabella Reed, late of No. 38, Bath Lane-terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Spinster (who died on the 14th day of December, 1901, and to whose estate letters of administration de bonis non were granted by the District Registry at Newcastle-upon-Tyne of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Charles Albert Wray, of 204, Gloucester road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Electrical Mechanic) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of October, 1902, after which date the said Charles Albert Wray 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 8th day of September, 1902.

W. MARK PYBUS and SON, Post Office Chambers, St. Nicholas-square, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re MARY EVANS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Evans, late of No. 7, Gelliwastad-road, Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, Widow (who died on the 22nd December, 1901, and probate of whose will was granted by the Llandaff District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 29th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and two, to Edwin Phillips of Pontypridd aforesaid, the executor), are requested to send, in writing, the particulars of their

debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned Solicitors for the executor, on or before the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed, the said executor will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, and demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this eighth day of September, 1902.

SPICKEFF and SONS, Pontypridd, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re JAMES JOHNSON MARLOW, Deceased.

Pursuant to an 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 others having any claims or demands against the estate of James Johnson Marlow, late of No. 46, High-street, Old Basford, in the city of Nottingham, Builder, deceased (who died on the 13th day of April, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Nottingham District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 30th day of April, 1902, by James William Burton, of No. 7, Wilton-street, Old Basford, in the city of Nottingham aforesaid, Joiner, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send full particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of October, 1902, 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 12th day of September, 1902.

RORKE and JACKSON, Albion-chambers, King-street, Nottingham, Solicitors for the said Executor.

ALICE HARRIETT POWELL, Deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Alice Harriett Powell, late of 1, Stocks-street, in the city of Manchester, Cloth Dresser, deceased (who died on the 28th day of July, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of September, 1902, by John Edward Masheder, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of October, 1902, 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 he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of September, 1902.

E. ARTHUR W. WRAGG, 14, St. Ann's-square, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Executor.

JOHN BEAUMONT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of John Beaumont, late of Lindow Cottage, Moor-lane, Wilmslow, in the county of Chester, Gentleman (who died on the 14th day of July, 1902, intestate, and of whose estate administration was granted by the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry on the 29th day of August, 1902, to Walter Ibbotson Beaumont, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Gentleman), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of October, 1902, after which date the 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.—Dated this 4th day of September, 1902.

GODFREY HEATHCOTE, 16, John Dalton-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the Administrator.

HARRY PRICE, 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 Harry Price, late of "Uplands," Cleve-road, West Hampstead, in the county of London, Gentleman (who died on the 30th day of July, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 3rd day of September, 1902, by Fanny Elizabeth Price, Widow, Herbert Price, and Frank Shepherd Hawes, the executors therein named, 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 11th day of October, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

ROUTH, STACEY, and CASTLE, 14, Southampton-Street, Bloomsbury, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re ELLEN WATSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 upon or against the estate of Ellen Watson, late of No. 3, Normanby-terrace, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Spinster, who died on the 18th day of July, 1902, and to whose estate letters of administration, with the will and codicil annexed, were granted by the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, at the Durham District Registry, on the 29th day of August, 1902, to Agnes Stewart, of No. 4, Usway-street, Hebburn Quay, in the county of Durham, are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the undersigned, on or before the ninth day of October, 1902. And notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Agnes Stewart, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has then had notice; and that she will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she has not had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

DAGGETT and GREY, 6 and 8, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the said Agnes Stewart.

ELIZA PARROTT (Widow), 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Eliza Parrott (Widow), late of Bracklesham House, Maybank-road, Woodford, Essex (who died on the 2nd day of July, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 12th day of August, 1902, by Mary Ann Ayton, the wife of Robert Ayton, and Edmund Parrott, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Edell and Gordon, at No. 4, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on or before the 18th day of October, 1902, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of September, 1902.

EDELL and GORDON, 4, King-street, Cheapside, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

DAVID GOW IRVINE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of David Gow Irvine, late of Seaton Carew, in the county of Durham, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of June, 1902), and whose will was proved on the 6th day of August, 1902, in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Henry Douglas Eshelby, of the city of Liverpool, Chartered Accountant, the surviving executor therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of December, 1902, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and 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 claims and demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

TURNBULL and TILLY, 13, Church-street, West Hartlepool, Solicitors of the above-named Executor.

ELIZA SANDERSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Eliza Sanderson, late of No. 18, Prince of Wales-terrace, Scarborough, in the county of York, Spinster (who died on the 17th day of September, 1899, and whose will was proved in the York District Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of December, 1900, by Henry Turnbull, and Sydney Peverill Turnbull, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October, 1902, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

TURNBULL and SON, Scarborough, Solicitors for the Executors.

Miss JULIANNA MARSH, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Julianna Marsh, formerly of 1, Queen's-road, Faversham, in the county of Kent, but late of 2, Polperro-mansions, Lyncroft-gardens, West Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 6th day of August, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of September, 1902, by Edward Wheatly, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 24th day of October, 1902, 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 September, 1902.

R B. WHEATLY, SON, and DANIEL, 2, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's Inn, Solicitors for the said Executor.

JOHN RICHARD NEWBERRY, 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 Richard Newberry, late of the New Quay Hotel, Teignmouth, in the county of Devon, Hotel Proprietor, deceased, who died on the 10th day of July, 1902, intestate, and to whose estate letters of administration were, on the 22nd day of August, 1902,

granted by His Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Probate Registry thereof, at Exeter, to Christine Mabel Newberry, of the New Quay Hotel, Teignmouth aforesaid, Widow, the relict of the deceased, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 22nd day of October, 1902, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

BAKER, WATT, ALSOP, and WOOLLOMBE,
Newton Abbot, Devon, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

Re WILLIAM WAITES, 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 William Waites, late of Emley Woodhouse, Emley, in the county of York, Rope and Twine Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 27th day of July, 1902, and whose will, with one codicil thereto, was proved in the Wakefield District Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 5th day of September, 1902, by William Henry Waites, James Waites, and Joshua Kaye Armitage, the executors), are hereby required to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned Solicitors for the executors, on or before the 10th day of October, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

ARMITAGE, SYKES, and HINCHCLIFFE,
13, Westgate, Huddersfield, Solicitors.

JOSEPH WILKINSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute, 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joseph Wilkinson, late of Kibworth Beauchamp, in the county of Leicester, Gentleman (who died on the 16th day of April, 1902, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were duly granted to John Wilkinson, of 33, Humberstone road, Leicester, Jeweller, by the Leicester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 31st day of May, 1902), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said John Wilkinson, on or before the 8th day of October next, after which date the said John Wilkinson will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Joseph Wilkins amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said John Wilkinson has then had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said John Wilkinson has not had notice at the time of distribution.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

R. B. BERRIDGE and SONS, 8, Friar-lane,
Leicester.

Re FRANCES GRACE LAWTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 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 Frances Grace Lawton, late of Darmsden Hall, Darmsden, in the county of Suffolk, Spinster, deceased, who died on the 31st day of October, 1899, and whose will was proved in the Ipswich District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 29th day of December, 1899, by the executors therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Lawton Warnes and Sons, on or before the 31st day of October, 1902; 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 5th day of September, 1902.

LAWTON WARNES and SONS, 21, Buttermarket, Ipswich, and Bye, Suffolk, Solicitors for the Executors of the said Frances Grace Lawton.

Re JOHN LATHAM WALTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 38, 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 Latham Walton, of Ironbridge, in the county of Salop, Machinist and Blacksmith (retired), deceased (who died on the 10th day of January, 1902, and whose will was proved in the Shrewsbury District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of May, 1902, by Richard George Walton, of "Waverley," Melville-road, Edgbaston, Gentleman, Arthur Glanville Chubb, of Ironbridge aforesaid, Gas Works Manager, and Alfred Henry Thorn, of Ironbridge aforesaid, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 15th day of October, 1902, 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 10th day of September, 1902.

ALFRED H. THORN-PUDSEY, Ironbridge,
Shropshire, Solicitor for the said Executors.

TO be sold pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in the Matter of the GRAND THEATRE (ISLINGTON) Limited, SHRUBSOLE, AND ANOTHER v. The GRAND THEATRE (ISLINGTON) Limited, AND OTHERS, 1902, G. No. 418, with the approbation of his Lordship, Mr. Justice Byrne, the Judge to whose Court this action is assigned, by George Frederick Edwards (of the firm of Newbon, Edwards, and Shephard), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., on Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1902, at 2 o'clock precisely, in one lot:—
Certain leasehold property known as the "Grand Theatre," situate near the "Angel" Hotel, and City-road, Islington, N., with seating accommodation for 2,200 persons, besides 6 private boxes; also the White Swan Tavern adjoining, and the adjoining Baker's Shop, No. 44, High-street, Islington aforesaid, the whole held for about 34 years, unexpired at ground rents.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Messrs. Rillitt and Sons, 3, Mincing-lane, London, E.C.; of Messrs. Newbon, Edwards, and Shephard, Auctioneers, 274 and 275, Upper-street, Islington, London, N., or at the Mart.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

WILLIAM BINNS SMITH, Vacation Master of the Supreme Court.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action of MOORE v. MOORE, 1898, M. No. 632, with the approbation of Mr. Justice Farwell, the Judge to whom this action is attached, by Mr. William Herbert Daw (the person appointed by the Judge), at the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse Yard, London, E.C., on Wednesday, the eighth of October, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:—

Certain copyhold property held of the Manor of Kennington, and situate close to Vauxhall Station, in the county of Surrey, comprising the Vauxhall Baptist Chapel, with the adjoining houses, Nos. 160 and 162, Upper Kennington-lane, the whole let partly on lease and producing £103 10s. 0d. per annum.

Particulars, plan, and conditions of sale may be obtained, gratis, of Messrs. Stones, Morris, and Stone, No. 5, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., Solicitors; of the Auctioneer, 6, Ironmonger-lane, Cheapside, E.C., and 304, Brixton-hill, S.W.; and at the place of sale.—Dated this 17th day of July, 1902.

E. W. WALKER, Master.

FREDERICK JOHN CAUNTER ROSS, Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements, Settlement of Penang, made in an action the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on behalf of themselves and all other creditors, against Frederick Ernest Ross, the administrator of

F. J. C. Ross, deceased (Suit 1902, No. 179), the creditors of F. J. C. Ross, late of Eastbourne, Pangkore-road, Penang aforesaid, Barrister-at-Law, who died on the 1st day of June, 1902, are on or before the 30th day of November, 1902, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Howard Wilberforce Sharp, of No. 5, Union-street, Penang Straits Settlements, of the firm of Logan and Ross, of the same place, the Solicitors of the defendant F. E. Ross, the administrator of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same himself, or by his Solicitors or Agents, before the Assistant Registrar of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements, at his chambers, the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements, Settlement of Penang, on Saturday, the 13th day of December, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 8th day of September, 1902.

LOUGHBROUGH, GEDGE, NISBET, and DREW, 23, Austin Friars, London, E.C.; Agents for

LOGAN and ROSS, Penang, Solicitors for F. E. Ross, the Administrator of F. J. C. Ross, deceased.

In the Matter of an Assignment for benefit of Creditors, executed on the 14th day of June, 1902, by FELIX EDMUND GAMBLE, of Melton Mowbray, in the county of Leicester, Hosiery.

PERSONS having claims against the debtor, who have not yet done so, are required to send particulars thereof to Messrs. Josolyne, Miles, and Blow, of 28, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C., Chartered Accountants, or to us the undersigned, on or before the 19th instant, otherwise they will be excluded from Dividend under the said assignment.—Dated this 10th day of September, 1902.

J. N. MASON and CO., 82, Gresham-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 11th day of March, 1902, by Stephen and Daniel Davies, trading as STEPHEN DAVIES AND CO., of Plevna Works, Plevna-road, South Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex.

THE creditors of the above named Stephen and Daniel Davies, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before the first day of October, 1902, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Stewart Arthur Semple, of 12, Bow-lane, in the city of London, the Trustee under the said Deed, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this eleventh day of September, 1902.

RALPH RAPHAEL and CO., 59, Moorgate-street, E.C., Solicitors for the above named Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 27th day of April, 1901, by WILLIAM BRAY, of Frankfort-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Corn and Forage Merchant, trading as Phillips and Bray.

THE creditors of the above named William Bray, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before the 30th day of September, 1902, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Frederick William Dawe, of the Devon and Cornwall Bank-chambers, Plymouth, Chartered Accountant, Trustee of the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 6th day of September, 1902.

FRANCE and PRANCE, 7, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth, Solicitors for the above named Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and two, by SAMUEL HOLDEN and WILLIAM HOLDEN, trading as Holden and Son, of Station Stores, Station-road, South Benfleet, in the county of Essex, Provision Dealers, Merchants, Grocers, and Butchers.

THE creditors of the above named, who have not already sent in their claims and assented to the said Deed, are requested on or before the 19th day of September, 1902, to assent thereto, and to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and be prepared to prove the same to me, the undersigned, Oscar Berry, Trustee, under the said Deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this eighth day of September, 1902.

OSCAR BERRY, Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C., Chartered Accountant.

In the High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice, dated the 13th day of August, 1902.

To W. T. HARGREAVES, of 50, Parliament-hill, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court, at the instance of William Watson and Co., of 7, Waterloo-place, Pall Mall, in the city of Westminster, Bankers and East India Agents, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspapers 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 6th day of September, 1902.

J. E. LINKLATER, Registrar.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford.

In Bankruptcy. No. 10 of 1902.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition, filed the 5th day of September, 1902.

To WILLIAM JAMES CLIFTON, of Argyle-street, in the city of Oxford, Canal Office Clerk.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by John Pyke, of 97, Saint Aldate-street, in the city of Oxford, Outfitter, and the Court has ordered that the sending of a sealed copy of the above mentioned bankruptcy petition by registered post to the address specified in the said Order and the publication of this notice once in the London Gazette and in the Oxford Times newspapers, shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice that the said Petition will be heard at No. 17, Magdalen-street, Oxford, on the 27th day of September, 1902, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, 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 10th day of September, 1902.

PERCIVAL WALSH, Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice.—In Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition, filed the 5th day of September, 1902.

To CHARLES JAMES EDWARDS, of 30, Borough-road, in the county of London, Publican.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by B. and P. Samuel, of 11, Savile-row, Burlington-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Money Lenders, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspapers, 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 3rd day of October, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, 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 6th day of September, 1902.

J. E. LINKLATER, Registrar.

THE estates of DUNCAN MCAINSH, residing at No. 60, Main-street, Dundee, sole Partner of the firm of Duncan McAinsh and Sons, Saw Millers and Packing Case Makers, 37, Commercial-street, Maxwelltown, Dundee, and the said Duncan McAinsh and Sons, were sequestrated on the 8th day of September, 1902, by the Sheriff of the county of Forfar, at Dundee.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of September, 1902.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, the 19th day of September, 1902, within Lamb's Hotel, Dundee.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of January, 1903.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

STEVENSON and JOHNSTON, Solicitors,
Dundee, Agents.

THE estates of WILLIAM LOVE, Farmer, Cairncurran, in the parish of Kilmalcolm, were sequestrated on the 6th day of September, 1902, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Benfrew and Bute at Greenock.

The first deliverance is dated 6th September, 1902.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on the 19th day of September, 1902, at 12 o'clock, within the Masonic Temple, West Stewart-street, Greenock.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 6th day of January, 1903.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the "Edinburgh Gazette" alone.

JOHN PATTISON, 23, Moss-street, Paisley,
Agent.

THE estates of DANIEL MCLELLAN, Painter, Three Meadowwell-terrace, Shettleston, were sequestrated on the 9th day of September, 1902, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 9th day of September, 1902.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 19th day of September, 1902, within the Faculty Hall, in Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day of January, 1903.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the "Edinburgh Gazette" alone.

ANDREW LITTLE, Law Agent, Glasgow, Agent.

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.
2875	Davies, David (trading as D. Evans)	91, Wood-street, Walthamstow, Essex	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 20, 1902	877 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	428	Creditor's	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2876	Hargreaves, William Thomas	10, Torrington-square, in the county of London, lately residing at 50, Parliament-hill, Hampstead Heath, Middlesex	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Sept. 10, 1902	942 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	431	Debtor's	
2877	Keenan, William	2, Pretoria-avenue, Walthamstow, Essex, and lately residing and carrying on business at the Young Prince, Chrisp-street, Poplar, in the county of London	Innkeeper, out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Sept. 8, 1902	935 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	429	Debtor's	
2878	Segal, A. (trading as Adolf Segal and Co.)	24, Church-lane, Whitechapel, in the county of London	Manchester Warehouseman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 28, 1902	898 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	430	Creditor's	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2879	Madren, Frank	Plas Maelgwyn, Colwyn Bay, Denbighshire	Builder	Bangor	Aug. 26, 1902	39 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	39	Creditor's	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2880	Williams, Edward	Residing at 77, Wellington-road, Rhyl, Flintshire	Timber Merchant's Clerk	Bangor	Sept. 8, 1902	41 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	38	Debtor's	
2881	Allport, Frederick Percy Alexander (trading as F. Allport)	92, Saltley-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Pork and General Butcher, and Purveyor of Hams and A-la-Mode Beef	Birmingham	Sept. 4, 1902	81 of 1902	Sept. 4, 1902	72	Debtor's	
2882	Batsford, Charles (carrying on business under the style or firm of the Wellington Foundry Company)	Carrying on business at 14½, St. George's-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and residing at Tanworth-lane, Shirley Heath, in the county of Warwick	Ironfounder	Birmingham	Sept. 6, 1902	82 of 1902	Sept. 6, 1902	73	Debtor's	
2883	Richardson, George Arthur	Lately of 99, Curzon-street, and 17A, Barry-street, both in the city of Bradford	Builders' Merchant	Bradford	Aug. 28, 1902	47 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	49	Creditor's	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2884	Fletcher, Thomas	40, Musgrave-road, and 10, Victory-street, Bolton, Lancashire	House Painter and Decorator	Bolton	Sept. 9, 1902	43 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	41	Debtor's	

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2885	Frost, Thomas ...	39, 1/2 Hilton-street, and Hudcar-lane, Bury, Lancashire	Stone Mason and Contractor	Bolton ...	Sept. 9, 1902	42 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	40	Debtor's	
2886	Marden, George ...	The Rising Sun, Milland, Iping, Sussex	Licensed Victualler and Wheelwright	Brighton	Sept. 8, 1902	86 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	48	Debtor's	
2887	Hey, Stephen ...	Residing at 19, Pankhouse-street, and recently carrying on business at 8, Manchester-rose, both in Burnley, Lancashire	Fishmonger and Fruiterer	Burnley	Sept. 10, 1902	21 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	21	Debtor's	
2888	Wheeldon, Charles ...	101, Sutherland-street, New Normanton, in the county of Derby, lately residing at Shirley, in the same county	Lately a Farmer, now a Carter	Burton-on-Trent	Sept. 9, 1902	11 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	9	Debtor's	
2889	Lord, Daniel Thomas ...	Residing at 58, Windsor-road, Penarth, in the county of Glamorgan, and carrying on business at 76, Windsor-road, Penarth	Builder ...	Cardiff ...	Sept. 8, 1902	59 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	51	Debtor's	
2890	Pope, Alfred ...	47, Claude-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Accountant ...	Cardiff ...	Sept. 8, 1902	58 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	50	Debtor's	
2891	Lewis, Roger William ...	Springfield, Carmarthen	Schoolmaster ...	Carmarthen	Sept. 8, 1902	21 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	21	Debtor's	
2892	Griffith, Margaret ...	74, Belsize-road, in the county of Middlesex, lately residing and carrying on business at Kenecourt, Talsfield, in the county of Surrey	Formerly an Anthoness, but now of no occupation, Widow	Croydon	Sept. 8, 1902	50 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	38	Debtor's	
2893	Piper, Ernest, and Piper, Alfred, Junior (lately trading as John Baker) ...	28, High-road, Wood Green, and 73, West Green-road, South Tottenham, and lately trading as John Baker, of 136, High-road, Wood Green, all in the county of Middlesex, and residing at 74, Pallatt-grove, Wood Green aforesaid	Merchant Tailors and Outfitters	Edmonton	Sept. 8, 1902	19 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	19	Debtor's	
2894	Littlewood, Bramley Harry	289, Kennington-road, S.E., lately 32, Oaklands-road, Cricklewood, N.W., and 6, Broseley-grove, Sydenham, S.E.	Clerk ...	Greenwich	Sept. 9, 1902	25 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	20	Debtor's	
2895	Marriott, Ernest Watson	3, Clematis-villas, Grove-road, and 4A, St. Peter-street, Hereford	Cycle Agent and Engineer	Hereford	Sept. 6, 1902	11 of 1902	Sept. 6, 1902	5	Debtor's	

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2896	Daniels, Charles (trading as the Norfolk Fruit Co.)	66, Saint Matthew's-street, Ipswich ...	Greengrocer ...	Ipswich ...	Sept. 8, 1902	20 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	16	Debtor's	
2897	Lister, Walter ...	Beeford, in the East Riding of the county of York	Grocer and Draper ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Sept. 9, 1902	47 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	42	Debtor's	
2898	Ward, Thomas ...	Carrying on business at 36½, All Saints-road, and residing at 24, Leamington-street, both in the county borough of Leicester	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Leicester ...	Sept. 9, 1902	66 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	61	Debtor's	
2899	Goodwin, Arthur ..	Residing and carrying on business at the George Hotel, Yalding, Kent	Licensed Victualler ...	Maidstone ...	Sept. 9, 1902	11 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	8	Debtor's	
2900	McCrie, Emily Sarah ...	41, Albion-place, Maidstone, Kent ...	Widow ...	Maidstone ...	Sept. 10, 1902	12 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	9	Debtor's	
2901	Bucknall, J. Alfred ...	50, Blackfriars-street, in the city of Manchester	Cotton Merchant ...	Manchester ...	Aug. 20, 1902	77 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	62	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2902	Howes, Walter ...	8, Fitzwilliam-street, Rusden, in the county of Northampton	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Northampton ...	Sept. 9, 1902	20 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	20	Debtor's	
2903	John Watson and Son ...	Beeston Mill, near Nottingham ...	Silk Manufacturers or Throwsters	Nottingham ...	May 2, 1902	27 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	45	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2904	Henry, Alfred Charles ...	45, Lincoln-road, Peterborough, Northamptonshire, formerly of 57, Gladstone-street, Peterborough aforesaid	Grocer and Fruiterer ...	Peterborough ...	Sept. 9, 1902	14 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	10	Debtor's	
2905	Butler, Frederick George	96, West-street, Fareham, Hants ...	Tailor ...	Portsmouth ...	Sept. 5, 1902	19 of 1902	Sept. 5, 1902	17	Debtor's	
2906	Godrich, Fanny ...	The Mill, Wickham, Hants ...	Flour Miller, Widow ...	Portsmouth ...	Sept. 8, 1902	20 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	18	Debtor's	
2907	Knight, Edith Cecilia Annie	Residing at 6, Leopold-grove, and carrying on business at 39, Market-street, both in Blackpool, and also at the Crown Café, 33, Old Hall-street, Liverpool, all in the county of Lancaster	Restaurant Proprietress, a Married Woman, trading separate and apart from her Husband, and having separate estate, Wife of George Topham Knight	Preston ...	Sept. 8, 1902	38 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	35	Debtor's	

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2908	Sutcliffe, Arthur ...	Residing at 4, Fairfield-villas, Hest Bank-lane, Bolton-le-Sands, and carrying on business at 24, Moor-lane, Lancaster, both in the county of Lancaster	Draper, Outfitter, and Furniture Dealer	Preston...	Sept. 9, 1902	40 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	36	Debtor's	
2909	Nichols, David ...	131A, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 131A, Yorkshire-street aforesaid, and 11, the Walk, Rochdale aforesaid	Tobacconist and Hair-dresser	Rochdale ...	Sept. 10, 1902	11 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	10	Debtor's	
2910	Coward, Henry ...	Mere, in the county of Wiltshire ...	Glass and China Factor and General Dealer	Salisbury ...	Sept. 5, 1902	4 of 1902	Sept. 5, 1902	4	Debtor's	
2911	Smith, William Thomas	The White Lion, Queen-street, Sheffield, in the county of York	Licensed Victualler ...	Sheffield ...	Sept. 8, 1902	66 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	66	Debtor's	
2912	Smith, Charles Fluder ...	Residing at Coimbrea, Tennyson-road, Southampton, and carrying on business at the Valley Dairy, 70, Bevois Valley-road, Southampton	Dairy Proprietor...	Southampton ...	Sept. 9, 1902	15 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	14	Debtor's	
2913	Bulmer, Arthur Gibson...	39, Church-street, Guisborough, in the county of York, previously residing at Holbeck House, Guisborough aforesaid	Mineral Water Manufacturer, formerly a Farmer	Stockton - on - Tees	Sept. 2, 1902	23 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	20	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2914	Isaacs, Isaac ...	Residing and carrying on business, at 23, Tees-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham	Cabinet Maker ...	Sunderland ...	Aug. 19, 1902	11 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	12	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2915	Williams, William ...	Cae Parc, Pontardulais, in the county of Glamorgan	Gentleman ...	Swansea ...	Sept. 1, 1902	25 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	23	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2916	Clisby, Charles ...	Fairholme, 79, St. James-road, Wandsworth Common, in the county of London, and lately carrying on business, at 4, Lavender-hill, Clapham Junction, and now at 25, Queen's-road, Battersea, and 2A, Lavender-hill, Clapham Junction, both in the county of London	Grocer, Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant	Wandsworth ...	Sept. 9, 1902	39 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	27	Debtor's	

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
2917	Kirk, Albert Edwin	527, York-road, Wandsworth, in the county of London	Beer Retailer	Wandsworth ...	Aug. 19, 1902	37 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	28	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2918	Stuart, Henry Paice	The Spread Eagle, High-street, Wandsworth, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler	Wandsworth ...	June 20, 1902	29 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	29	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2825	Hyde, James Withington (trading under the style of J. W. Hyde and Co.)	Now residing at 28, Sewerby-street, Moss Side, near Manchester, formerly at 139, Bishop-street, Moss Side, near Manchester, and now trading at Post Office-chambers, 26, Brown-street, Manchester	Company Promoter	Manchester ...	July 24, 1902	62 of 1902	Sept. 1, 1902	55	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 5th instant.

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.
Davies, David (trading as D. Evans)	91, Wood-street, Waltham-stow, Essex	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	877 of 1902	Sept. 23, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 22, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Farrell, Leonard ...	37, Ossington-street, Bayswater, in the county of London	Commission/Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	885 of 1902	Sept. 22, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 22, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Feldman, Ephraim Jacob	2, Almeida-street, Upper-street, Islington, in the county of London	Warehouseman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy ..	774 of 1902	Sept. 23, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 22, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Harvey-Rae, Richard	Broad-street House, New Broad-street, in the city of London, and North-court, Ponder's End, Middlesex	Colonial Shipping, and Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	751 of 1902	Sept. 25, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 30, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Jefferson, Matthew ...	8, Water-lane, Ludgate Hill, in the city of London	Leather Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	880 of 1902	Sept. 25, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 30, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
King, Arthur Clement	14, Holland-mews, Holland-road, Kensington, in the county of London	Cab Proprietor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	812 of 1902	Sept. 24, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 24, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Kirby, George (trading as the Globe Printing Works)	Chatsworth - road, Lea Bridge - road, Clapton, Middlesex	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	806 of 1902	Sept. 22, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 24, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Marshall, William ...	Throgmorton House, Copthall-avenue, in the city of London	Company Promoter	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	334 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Oct. 17, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order if any, for Summary Administration.
Segal, A. (trading as Adolf Segal and Co.)	24, Church-lane, White-chapel, in the county of London	Manchester Warehouseman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	898 of 1902	Sept. 22, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London	Nov. 4, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London. W.C.	
Taylor, William Massey	Lately residing at Avondale House, 22, Sherwood-street, Scarborough, York, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	Late a Clerk in the employ of the Petitioning Creditors	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	86 of 1902	(As previously gazetted)			Oct. 20, 1902	2 P.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Kingston - upon-Hull (as auxiliary to the High Court under Sec. 118 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883)	
Fletcher, Thomas ...	Residing at 40, Musgrave-road, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 10, Victory-street, Bolton aforesaid	House Painter and Decorator	Bolton ...	43 of 1902	Sept. 23, 1902	3.30 P.M.	19, Exchange-street, Bolton	Oct. 22, 1902	3.30 P.M.	Court - house, Mawdsley-street, Bolton	Sept. 10, 1902
Frost, Thomas ...	Residing at 38, Hilton-street, Bury, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at Hudcar-lane, Bury aforesaid	Stone Mason and Contractor	Bolton ...	42 of 1902	Sept. 23, 1902	3 P.M.	19, Exchange-street, Bolton	Oct. 22, 1902	3.30 P.M.	Court - house, Mawdsley-street, Bolton	Sept. 9, 1902
Firth, Thomas ...	Lately of Shay-lane, Heaton, in the city of Bradford	Farmer ...	Bradford ...	45 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Oct. 15, 1902	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	Sept. 10, 1902
Brammall, Ellis, the Younger	Residing at 45, Sillwood-road, and carrying on business at 52, Middle-street, Brighton, Sussex	Circus Proprietor	Brighton	85 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11.30 A.M.	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Oct. 2, 1902	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church-street, Brighton	
Franklin, William ...	3, Babbicombe-road, Bromley, in the county of Kent, lately residing and carrying on business at 25, Lansdowne-road, Bromley, in the said county	Builder ...	Croydon ...	45 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Oct. 29, 1902	11 A.M.	County Court, Park - street, Croydon	

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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.
Booth, Fred ...	Residing and carrying on business at the Star Inn, Roberttown, in Liversedge, in the county of York	Publican ...	Dewsbury ...	23 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Oct. 7, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	Sept. 6, 1902
Manchester, Tom ...	Residing and carrying on business at Low Little Moor, Mirfield, in the county of York	Tin Plate Worker and Ironmonger	Dewsbury ...	22 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Oct. 7, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	Sept. 6, 1902
Heyhoe, David ...	125, Brereton-street, late of 84, Grimsby-road, New Cleethorpes	Formerly Pork Butcher, now out of business	Great Grimsby	23 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Office of the Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Oct. 2, 1902	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Sept. 5, 1902
Daniels, Charles (trading as the Norfolk Fruit Company)	66, St. Matthew's-street, Ipswich, Suffolk	Greengrocer ...	Ipswich ...	20 of 1902	Sept. 24, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich	Oct. 17, 1902	11 A.M.	Shirehall, Saint Helen's-street, Ipswich	
Hart, Siebert Colburn (carrying on business under the style or firm of Hart and Company)	Farler, Holmesdale-road, Teddington, in the county of Middlesex, lately carrying on business at the Estate Office, Railway Station, Norbiton, and the Estate Office, Railway Station, Kingston, both in the county of Surrey	Auctioneer and Estate Agent	Kingston, Surrey	25 of 1902	Sept. 22, 1902	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Oct. 28, 1902	2.30 P.M.	Court - house, Kingston, Surrey	Sept. 9, 1902
Wilkinson, Ernest Steeple and Aspin, George (trading together in copartnership under the style of Wilkinson and Aspin)	Now in lodgings at the Boulevard Villas, Hessle-road Now in lodgings at 35, Thoresby-street At Whitehorse-yard, Market-place, all in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Printers and Bookbinders	Kingston-upon-Hull	46 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	Oct. 20, 1902	2 P.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Hull	

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Foster, Joseph and Lodge, John William (carrying on business in copartnership under the style of Joseph Foster and Co.)	6, Argyle-place, Beckett-street, in the city of Leeds Residing in lodgings at 1, Stonefield-terrace, Churwell, in the county of York	Tallow Merchants	Leeds ...	89 of 1902 (under consolidation of proceedings.)	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Sept. 30, 1902	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Sept. 10, 1902
Hall, Jesse ...	Lately residing at 93, Chapeltown-road, and carrying on business at Block 13, Kirkgate Market, both in the city of Leeds, now residing at 27, Sidlaw-terrace, Markham-avenue, in Leeds aforesaid	Late Fruit Merchant, now out of business	Leeds ...	96 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Sept. 30, 1902	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Sept. 10, 1902
Goodwin, Arthur ...	Residing and carrying on business at the George Hotel, Yalding, Kent	Licensed Victualer	Maidstone ...	11 of 1902	Sept. 24, 1902	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 9, King-street, Maidstone	Sept. 24, 1902	12 noon	Sessions House, Maidstone	
McCrie, Emily Sarah	41, Albion-place, Maidstone, Kent	Widow ...	Maidstone ...	12 of 1902	Sept. 24, 1902	10.45 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 9, King-street, Maidstone	Sept. 24, 1902	12 noon	Sessions House, Maidstone	Sept. 10, 1902
Ottewill, Henry Richard	Residing at 4, Bowes-lane, Maidstone, Kent, and carrying on business at 47, High-street, Maidstone aforesaid, and Gabriel's Wharf, St. Peter's-street, Maidstone aforesaid	Builder, carrying on business in partnership with William Henry Ottewill, of Oaklea, Tonbridge-road, Maidstone aforesaid, under the style or firm of W. H. Ottewill and Son	Maidstone ...	10 of 1902	Sept. 24, 1902	11 A.M.	9, King-street, Maidstone	Sept. 24, 1902	12 noon	Sessions House, Maidstone	

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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.
Andrew, Walter Butterworth	Residing and carrying on business at Moston Bank, Church-lane, Moston, Manchester, and lately carrying on business at School Works, Rochdale-road, Harpurhey, Manchester	Now a Builder, late Mantle Maker-up	Manchester	73 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Oct. 6, 1902	10 A.M.	Court-house, Quay-street, Manchester	
G 2 Kirby, Thompson	2, School-road, Sale, in the county of Chester	Builder	Manchester	66 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Oct. 6, 1902	10 A.M.	Court-house, Quay-street, Manchester	Sept. 4, 1902
Bartlett, Onesimus Smart	9, Gerston-terrace, Paignton, in the county of Devon	Solicitor	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	26 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Oct. 8, 1902	12 noon	Townhall, East Stonehouse	
Trafani, Guiseppe	2, Stoke-road, Plymouth, in the county of Devon	Provision Merchant	Plymouth	30 of 1902	Sept. 22, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Oct. 3, 1902	12 noon	Townhall, East Stonehouse	Sept. 3, 1902
Coward, Mary	Mere, in the county of Wilts	Glass and China Factor and General Dealer	Salisbury	4 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Endless-street, Salisbury	Oct. 23, 1902	2 P.M.	Council-house, Salisbury	
Beal, Samuel...	234, Shoreham-street, in the city of Sheffield, lately residing and carrying on business at 70, Suffolk-road, in the city of Sheffield	Painter and Decorator	Sheffield	65 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield	Oct. 2, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court-hall, Bank-street, Sheffield	Sept. 9, 1902
Potter, John William	Residing at 20, Hume-street, and carrying on business at Fenwick-street, both in Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham	Joiner and Builder	Stockton-on-Tees	22 of 1902	Sept. 23, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesbrough	Oct. 15, 1902	10.30 A.M.	Court-house, Bridge-road, Stockton-on-Tees	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of 1902	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Rowley, Newton Lewis (trading as Rowley and Son)	Park-place Works, High-street, Longton, lately residing at 34½, Upper Belgrave-road, Normacot, Longton, and now residing at 127, Belgrave-road, Dresden, Longton, Staffordshire	China Manufacturer	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	12 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	3 P.M.	North Stafford Hotel, Stoke-upon-Trent	Sept. 23, 1902	10.15 A.M.	Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent	Sept. 10, 1902
Enock, Annie (Deceased)	Campbell-place, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire	milliner (Married Woman)	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	13 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	2.30 P.M.	North Stafford Hotel, Stoke-upon-Trent	Oct. 3, 1902	10.30 A.M.	County Court, Townhall, Tredgar	Sept. 9, 1902
Lloyd, Francis Thomas	Belmont House, Gilwern, Breconshire	Builder, Cycle Agent, and Refreshment-house Keeper	Tredgar	22 of 1902	Sept. 22, 1902	3 P.M.	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Oct. 3, 1902	10.30 A.M.	County Court, Townhall, Tredgar	Sept. 9, 1902
Price, James ...	6, Libanus-road, Ebbw Vale, Monmouthshire	Collier, General Dealer, and Coffee-house Keeper	Tredgar	23 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	3 P.M.	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Oct. 1, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Court-house, Walsall	Sept. 10, 1902
Bayley, Henry	New Rowley-street, Walsall, Staffordshire, lately residing or carrying on business at Belborne Works, Walsall aforesaid	Metals Worker	Walsall	22 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	12 noon	Official Receivers Office, Wolverhampton	Oct. 1, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Court-house, Walsall	Aug. 27, 1902
Taylor, Harry	Mill-street, Cannock, lately carrying on business at Mill-street, Cannock aforesaid, Staffordshire	Baker	Walsall	23 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	11 A.M.	Official Receivers Office, Wolverhampton	Oct. 1, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Court-house, Walsall	Aug. 27, 1902
MacCutcheon, Robert Thorburn	Residing and carrying on business at 3, Collinfield, Douglas-road, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, formerly of 11, New Market-street, Wigan aforesaid, and prior thereto of 1, Lansdowne-terrace, Earle-street, Wigan aforesaid	Travelling Draper	Wigan	9 of 1902	Sept. 19, 1902	3 P.M.	Official Receivers Office, Byrom-street, Manchester	Sept. 25, 1902	10.45 A.M.	Court-house, Crawford street, Wigan	

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Addr ss.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Davies, David (trading as Evans, D.)	91, Wood-street, Walthamstow, Essex	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	877 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	Aug. 20, 1902
Hargreaves, William Thomas	10, Torrington-square, in the county of London, lately residing at 50, Parliament-hill, Hampstead Heath, Middlesex	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	942 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	Sept. 10, 1902
Keenan, William	2, Pretoria-avenue, Walthamstow, Essex, and lately residing and carrying on business at the Young Prince, Crisp-street, Poplar, in the county of London	Innkeeper, out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	935 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Kirby, George (trading as the Globe Printing Works)	Chatsworth-road, Lea Bridge-road, Clapton, Middlesex		High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	806 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	July 29, 1902
Williams, Edward	Residing at 77, Wellington-road, Rhyl, Flintshire	Timber Merchant's Clerk	Bangor	41 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Thomas, Richard	Bigbrook Farm, Roseash, Devonshire	Farmer	Barnstaple	5 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Aug. 1, 1902
Atkind, Solomon (trading in the name of S. Atkind and Company)	66, Willow's-road, Balsall Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, lately residing and carrying on business at 45, Smallbrook-street, Birmingham aforesaid	Furnisher, lately carrying on business as a House Furnisher	Birmingham	68 of 1902	Sept. 4, 1902	Aug. 8, 1902
Cherry, Henry Ernest (lately carrying on business under the style of S. Cherry)	Beacon Cottage, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, lately residing at 26, Stamford-road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, and lately carrying on business at 108, Great Hampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Jobbing Carpenter	Birmingham	79 of 1902	Sept. 5, 1902	Sept. 3, 1902
Gulliver, William (trading as William Henry Gulliver)	2, Garway-place, Oldfield-road, Sparkbrook, in the city of Birmingham, and lately carrying on business at 75, Wenman-street, Balsall Heath, Birmingham aforesaid	Coal Merchant	Birmingham	73 of 1902	Sept. 6, 1902	Aug. 19, 1902
Waring, John George	542, Coventry-road, Small Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Pianoforte Dealer	Birmingham	64 of 1902	Sept. 6, 1902	July 25, 1902
Fletcher, Thomas	40, Musgrave-road, and 10, Victory-street, Bolton, Lancashire	House Painter and Decorator	Bolton	43 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Frost, Thomas	38, Hilton-street, and Hudcar-lane, Bury, Lancashire	Stonemason and Contractor	Bolton	42 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Berry, William Edward	26, Clara-road, Bolton-villas, Bolton, and 44, Vicar-lane, both in the city of Bradford	Printer and Lithographer	Bradford	46 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Aug. 26, 1902

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Marden, George	The Rising Sun, Milland, Iping, Sussex	Licensed Victualler and Wheelwright	Brighton	86 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Hey, Stephen	Residing at 19, Bankhouse-street, and recently carrying on business at 8, Manchester-road, both in Burnley, Lancashire.	Fishmonger and Fruiterer	Burnley	21 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	Sept. 10, 1902
Whealdon, Charles	101, Sutherland-street, New Normanton, in the county of Derby, lately residing at Shirley, in the same county	Lately a Farmer, now a Carter	Burton-on-Trent	11 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Busbridge, Stephen William, and Busbridge, William James (trading as S. W. Busbridge and Son)	Wilson House, Birchington-on-Sea, in the county of Kent	Coal Merchants	Canterbury	37 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Aug. 2, 1902
Lord, Daniel Thomas	Residing at 58, Windsor-road, Penarth, in the county of Glamorgan, and carrying on business at 76, Windsor-road, Penarth	Builder	Cardiff	59 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Pope, Alfred	47, Claude-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Accountant	Cardiff	58 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Lewis, Roger William	Springfield, Carmarthen	Schoolmaster	Carmarthen	21 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Clisland, Mary	Hellman's Cottage, Great Canfield, in the county of Essex	Spinster	Ohelmsford	13 of 1902	Sept. 6, 1902	July 30, 1902
Griffith, Margaret	74, Belsize-road, in the county of Middlesex, lately residing and carrying on business at Kencourt, Tatsfield, in the county of Surrey	Formerly an Authoress, now of no occupation, Widow	Croydon	50 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Littlewood, Harry Bramley	289, Kennington-road, S.E., lately 32, Oaklands-road, Cricklewood, N.W., and 6, Broseley-grove, Sydenham, S.E.	Clerk	Greenwich	25 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Marriott, Ernest Watson	3, Clematis-villas, Grove-road, and 4A, St. Peter-street, Hereford	Cycle Agent and Engineer	Hereford	11 of 1902	Sept. 6, 1902	Sept. 6, 1902
Daniels, Charles (trading as the Norfolk Fruit Co.)	66, Saint Matthew's-street, Ipswich	Greengrocer	Ipswich	20 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Lister, Walter	Beeford, in the East Riding of the county of York	Grocer and Draper	Kingston-upon-Hull	47 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Ward, Thomas	Carrying on business at 36½, All Saint's-road, and residing at 24, Leamington-street, both in the county borough of Leicester	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Leicester	66 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Goodwin, Arthur	Residing and carrying on business at the George Hotel, Yalding, Kent	Licensed Victualler	Maidstone	11 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
McCrie, Emily Sarah	41, Albion-place, Maidstone, in the county of Kent	Widow	Maidstone	12 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	Sept. 10, 1902
Henley, Frank	The Firs, Rhayader, in the county of Radnor	Solicitor's Clerk	Newtown	14 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Aug. 19, 1902
Howes, Walter	8, Fitzwilliam-street, Rushden, in the county of Northampton	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Northampton	20 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Henry, Alfred Charles	45, Lincoln-road, Peterborough, Northamptonshire, formerly of 57, Gladstone-street, Peterborough aforesaid	Grocer and Fruiterer	Peterborough	14 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Butler, Frederick George	96, West-street, Fareham, Hants	Tailor	Portsmouth	19 of 1902	Sept. 5, 1902	Sept. 5, 1902
Godrioh, Fanny	The Mill, Wickham, Hants	Flour Miller, Widow	Portsmouth	20 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Knight, Edith Cecilia Annie	Residing at 6, Leopold-grove, and carrying on business at 39, Market-street, both in Blackpool, and also at the Crown Cafe, 33, Old Hall-street, Liverpool, all in the county of Lancaster	Restaurant Proprietress, a Married Woman, trading separate and apart from her Husband, and having separate estate, Wife of George Topham Knight	Preston	38 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Sept. 8, 1902
Porter, James Sykes	Mains Hall, Poulton-le-Fylde, in the county of Lancaster	Gentleman	Preston	33 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902	Aug. 14, 1902
Sutcliffe, Arthur	Residing at 4, Fairfield-villas, Hest Bank-lane, Bolton-le-Sands, and carrying on business at 24, Moor-lane, Lancaster, both in the county of Lancaster	Draper, Outfitter, and Furniture Dealer	Preston	40 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902
Nichols, David	131A, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 131A, Yorkshire-street aforesaid, and 11, the Walk, Rochdale aforesaid	Tobacconist and Hairdresser	Rochdale	11 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	Sept. 10, 1902
Coward, Henry	Mere, in the county of Wiltshire	Glass and China Factor and General Dealer	Salisbury	4 of 1902	Sept. 5, 1902	Sept. 5, 1902

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Smith, William Thomas	The White Lion, Queen-street, Sheffield, in the county of York	Licensed Victualler	Sheffield	66 of 1902	Sept. 8, 1902 ...	Sept. 8, 1902
Smith, Charles Fluder	Residing at Coimbrea, Tennyson-road, Southampton, and carrying on business at the Valley Dairy, 70, Bevois Valley-road, Southampton	Dairy Proprietor	Southampton	15 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902 ...	Sept. 9, 1902
Rowley, Newton Lewis (trading as Rowley and Son)	Park-place Works, High-street, Longton, lately residing at 315, Upper Belgrave-road, Normacot, Longton, and now residing at 127, Belgrave-road, Dresden, Longton, Staffordshire	China Manufacturer	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	12 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902 ...	Aug. 16, 1902
Clisby, Charles	Fairholme, 79, St. James-road, Wandsworth Common, in the county of London, and lately carrying on business at 4, Lavender-hill, Clapham Junction, and now at 125, Queen's-road, Battersca, and 2A, Lavender-hill, Clapham Junction, both in the county of London	Grocer, Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant	Wandsworth	39 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902 ...	Sept. 9, 1902
Kear, William John... ..	30, Canal-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford. Formerly a partner in the firm of C. Mills and Son, who traded at Mill-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid, as Corn and Provision Merchants, but which partnership was dissolved in October, 1901	Corn and Provision Merchant	Wolverhampton	24 of 1902	Sept. 9, 1902 ...	Sept. 4, 1902

ORDER ON APPLICATION TO APPROVE COMPOSITION OR SCHEME.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made.
Williams, Frederick	Eian Valley Hotel, near Rhayader, and the Royal Oak Hotel, Rhayader, in the county of Radnor	Hotel Keeper	Newtown	6 of 1902	July 23, 1902	<p>(1) That debtor's estate be vested in the Official Receiver as Trustee, or such other Trustee as the creditors may appoint, to be administered in all respects as under an Adjudication in bankruptcy. (2) That no dividend shall be paid or payable on the proof for £1,604 10s. 2d., of Mrs. H. S. Williams, of Napier House, Carmarthen, until all the creditors have received 10s. in the pound in respect of their various claims; the said Mrs. H. S. Williams afterwards, however, to participate equally with all the creditors in any subsequent dividend. (3) That payment in priority to all other of debtor's debts of all debts directed to be so paid in the distribution of the property of a bankrupt is provided for as follows:—By cash to be paid to the Official Receiver before application is made to confirm this Scheme. (4) That provision for payment of all proper costs and charges and expenses of and incidental to the proceedings, and all fees and percentages payable to the Official Receiver and the Board of Trade, is provided for as follows:—By cash to be paid to the Official Receiver before application is made to the Court to confirm this Scheme. (5) That section 15 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, and the provisions of Parts I, VI, and VIII of the said Act, so far as is requisite for the due administration of the estate, shall apply to this Scheme as though the estate were being administered under an Order of Adjudication.</p>

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Deane, Thomas ...	25, Lawrence-lane, and lately carrying on business at 11, Gutter-lane, both in the city of London	Manufacturer's Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	720 of 1900	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	E. L. Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Dixon, John William ...	3, Park-villas, Bloomfield-road, Highgate, and 33, South Grove, Highgate, both in Middlesex	Builder and Contractor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1146 of 1900	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	William Izard... ..	52, Gracechurch-street, E.C.
Fitzwilliam, The Honble. William Reginald Wentworth	4, Crowvenor-square, in the county of London ...	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	326 of 1900	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	E. L. Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Harriss, William Joseph ...	141, Caledonian-road, King's Cross, No. 1, Southern-street, Pentonville-road, and 513, Green-lanes, all in the county of London	Corn Dealer and Green-grocer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	526 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	G. W. Chapman, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Irwell, Lawrence ...	Lately residing at Chesterton, in the county of Oxford, but whose present address and occupation the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1486 of 1887	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	G. W. Chapman, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Knight, Sydney ...	347, New King'-road, Fulham, in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1109 of 1901	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Frederic William Davis, Chartered Accountant	(Of the firm of Saker and Davis), 95-97, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C.
La Croix, Frederick Bradfield	The Money Order Office of the General Post Office, Saint Martin's-le-Grand, in the city of London	Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	648 of 1888	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	G. W. Chapman, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Proom, Edward ...	The Black Prince Public-house, Walworth-road, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1090 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	E. S. Grey, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Tower, H. Chichester ...	Late of Eaton Cottage, Staines, in the county of Middlesex, and the Private Bill Office in the House of Commons, in the city of Westminster	Clerk in the Civil Service ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	632 of 1895	Sept. 28, 1902 ...	Flaxman Haydon ...	16, Union Court, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.
Mitchinson, Willingham George	Spilsby, in the county of Lincoln ...	Bank Manager	Boston	1 of 1902	Oct. 3, 1902 ...	Charles Lucas, Chartered Accountant	4 and 6, West-street, Boston
Smith, William Millard ...	The Stores, Stoke, near Clare, Suffolk ...	Grocer, Draper and Baker ...	Cambridge	11 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Official Receiver ...	5, Petty Cury, Cambridge
Haig, John Brown ...	27, Zion-place, Margate, in the county of Kent	Saddler and Harness Manufacturer	Canterbury	50 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Worsfold Mowl ...	Official Receiver's Office, 68, Castle-street, Canterbury

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Starling, Stephen...	40, Radnor-street, Folkestone, in the county of Kent	Fisherman	Canterbury	5 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Worsfold Mowll ...	68, Castle-street, Canterbury
Zeller, Henry	32, Rickergate, Carlisle	Pork Butcher... ..	Carlisle	8 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Kighley J. Hough, Official Receiver	34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Thorne, Edwin Richard ...	High-street, and 1, Chapel-street, Orpington, in the county of Kent	Builder, Contractor, and Undertaker	Croydon	6 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Frederic William Davis, Chartered Accountant	Of the firm of Saker and Davis, 95 and 97, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C.
Harrison, George Thomas	Residing at 125, Halifax-road, Staincliffe, Dewsbury, and now or lately carrying on business at Church-street, Dewsbury, and at 125, Halifax-road, Staincliffe, Dewsbury	Umbrella Maker	Dewsbury	11 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Edgar Ernest Deane ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank Chambers, Batley
H 2 Edwards, Ernest, Morley, Cornelius Alexander (trading as Madame Amie)	Residing and carrying on business at 6, Dove-cote-terrace, Wood Green, in the county of Middlesex	Drapers	Edmonton	29 of 1900	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Alfred Page	28, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C.
Davey, Reuben	Newfoundland Hotel, Newton Abbot, Devonshire	Licensed Victualler	Exeter	24 of 1902	Oct. 10, 1902 ...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Farler, Thomas Henry (trading as Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Farler)	Clovelly, Torquay, Devonshire	Boarding-house Keeper	Exeter	48 of 1901	Oct. 10, 1902 ...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Luckham, William	12, South-avenue, Polsloe-road, Heavitree, Devonshire.	Commercial Traveller	Exeter	3 of 1902	Oct. 10, 1902 ...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Nichols, Robert	Furzeleigh Mills, Ashburton, Devonshire	Miller	Exeter	26 of 1902	Oct. 10, 1902 ...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Robinson, George Herbert (also trading under the style or firm of Horolin and Co.)	Lancaster Villa, Endon, and John-street, Turnstall At Colridge, all in the county of Stafford	Engineer and Surveyor and Contractor	Hanley	29 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	R. E. Clark	17, Albion-street, Hanley
Davies, Christopher Augustine	47, Arlington-street, and 6, Chariot-street, both in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Tailor	Kingston-upon-Hull	42 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	E. W. Shaw	22, Silver-street, Hull
Lamb, George	4, Balmoral-terrace, Anlaby-road, Kingston-upon-Hull	Surgeon	Kingston-upon-Hull	48 of 1893	Sept. 30, 1902 ...	J. E. Walker	12, Bowlalley-lane, Hull

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Taylor, Earnest William... and Green, Clarence (carrying on business as Taylor and Green) ...	3, Albart-terrace, Springhead-road 32, Caroline-place At 46, Hutt-street, all in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Wholesale Grocers and Pro- vision Dealers	Kingston-upon-Hull	25 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	T. Fawley Judge ...	Parliament-chambers, Quay- street, Hull
Roberts, Arthur Walter ... and Tomlinson, Richard Mor- ley (carrying on busi- ness in copartnership under the style or firm of Roberts and Tomlinson)...	Residing at Wetherby-grove Residing at 8, Vicarage-view At Wilson's-yard, Bramley, all in the city of Leeds	Engine Packing Manufac- turers	Leeds	34 of 1902	Sept. 30, 1902 ...	John Bowling, Offi- cial Receiver	22, Park-row, Leeds
Badworth, Horace ...	2, Victoria-avenue, Leicester, and carrying on business at 23, Silver-street, in the borough of Leicester	Cork Merchant	Leicester	24 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	John Gulson Burgess, Official Receiver	1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Lewis, David Francis ..	153, Windsor-road, Neath, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer... ..	Neath and Aberafon	23 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Thomas Thomas ...	Official Receiver's Office, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Hesseltine, George Robert	17, St. James-street, in the city and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and carrying on business at 99, Clayton-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne aforesaid	Clothier	Newcastle-on-Tyne	34 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	John Grant Gibson, Official Receiver	30, Mosley-street, New- castle-on-Tyne
Shiell, David (trading as D. Shiell and Son)	The Welcome Restaurant, 129, High-street, Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed	Restaurant Keeper and Confectioner	Newcastle-on-Tyne	31 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	John Grant Gibson, Official Receiver	30, Mosley-street, New- castle-on-Tyne
Minton, William Charles.. Mountford, William Greaves Mountford, Harry, and McKay, Duncan (trading as Mountford and Co., W. G.)	40, Rheola-street, Penrhiwceiber, Glamorgan- shire Castle Foregate, Shrewsbury, Salop	Ironmonger and General Dealer	Pontypridd, Ystrad- yfordwg, and Porth	12 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	William Lewes Daniel, Official Receiver	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Sanders, Joseph (Separate Estate)	Alton, in the county of Stafford	Baker and Confectioner, Provision and Corn Dealer, trading with William Mace as Sanders and Mace	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	5 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Thomas Bullock, Offi- cial Receiver	King-street, Newcastle, Staffordshire

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Rogers, Aeron Edward ...	18, Neath-road, Hafod, in the county borough of Swansea	Confectioner	Swansea	29 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Thomas Thomas ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Bell, Robert John... ..	Woodland House, Sirhowy, Tredegar, Monmouthshire	Travelling Draper	Tredegar	10 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	William Lewes Daniel, Official Receiver	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Gardiner, Nicholson Roche	Goodall-street, and residing at 67, Lichfield-road, both in Walsall, Staffordshire	Chief Constable	Walsall	25 of 1901	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Jackson, Frederick John	185, High-street, Bloxwich, Staffordshire	Grocer... ..	Walsall	32 of 1901	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Jeavons, David	9 and 10, High-street, Brownhills, Staffordshire	Grocer, Provision Merchant, and Tea Dealer	Walsall	15 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Bywater, Henry Thomas...	Bath-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, formerly of Chapel Ash, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Professor of Music, formerly Teacher of Music and Musical Instrument Dealer	Wolverhampton ...	45 of 1901	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Cottrell, Amy	Leopard Inn, Church-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford	Licensed Victualler, Wife of William Cottrell	Wolverhampton ...	20 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Edwards, William...	Residing at 138, Lord-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at 38, Princess-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Wolverhampton ...	7 of 1902	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Jones, Nathan Job ...	35, Union-street, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford	Lock Manufacturer	Wolverhampton ...	17 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Lansdale, Wilfred ...	Carrying on business at 47, Brick Kiln-street, and residing in lodgings at 188, Leicester-street, both in Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Grocer... ..	Wolverhampton ...	8 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Wilkinson, Joseph ...	93, Wolverhampton-road, Heath Town, near Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Wolverhampton ...	12 of 1902	Sept. 27, 1902 ...	Samuel Wells Page, Official Receiver	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Collingwood, Thomas Crisp	The Clarence Public-house, Aldersgate-street, and of the Prince Albert Public-house, 20, Brushfield-street, Bishopsgate, both in the city of London, and of the Rainbow Public-house, 200, Liverpool-road, Islington, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1235 of 1901	6½d.	Second and Final	Wednesday, Sept. 24, 1902, or any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of 11 and 2	Edward Moore and Sons, 3, Crosby-square, London, E.C.
Kimber, Arthur Odell ...	79, Upton-lane, Forest Gate, in the county of Essex	Corn and Forage Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1417 of 1901	1s. 5d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between the hours of 11 and 2	Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Muriel, Frank Charles (described in the Receiving Order as Frank C. Muriel)	The Boltens-mansions Hotel, the Boltens, South Kensington, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	812 of 1901	10s.	First	Any day (except Saturday) between the hours of 11 and 2, on and after Sept. 29, 1902	2, Clement's - inn, London, W.C.
Silvester, Ernest F. ...	22, Chancery-lane, in the city of London...	Barrister-at-Law... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	919 of 1887	2½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between the hours of 11 and 2	Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Townsend, George (described in the Receiving Order as George Townsend, Junior)	59, Hampden-street, Harrow-road, in the county of London	Carman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1360 of 1901	11d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between the hours of 11 and 2	Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Fletcher, Joseph... ..	The Limes, West Wycombe-road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire	Late a Hotel Proprietor, now out of business	Aylesbury	7 of 1901	1s. 9d.	First and Final	Wednesday, Sept. 24, 1902, or any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of 11 and 2	Edward Moore and Sons, 3, Crosby-square, London, E.C.
Brown, Eliza (trading as James Claridge and Co.)	18, Parsons-street, Banbury, Oxfordshire ...	Confectioner, Spinster ...	Banbury	1 of 1902	2s.	First	Sept. 23, 1902 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Wood, Guy H.,	Methven, Church-walks, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire	Gentleman	Bangor	23 of 1901	1s. 4½d.	First and Final	Sept. 26, 1902 ...	Office of Trustee, Llewelyn-chambers, Llandudno
Blamires, George ...	West View-terrace, Booth-street, Cleckheaton, in the county of York	Engineer	Bradford	65 of 1897	1s. 2½d.	Supplementary	Sept. 19, 1902 ...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Walker, Thomas ...	Inglenook, Canterbury-road, Whitstable, in the county of Kent, lately residing at Springfield House, Canterbury-road, Whitstable, and carrying on business at Ludgate-hill, Whitstable aforesaid	Corn Merchant	Canterbury	58 of 1901	2s. 7½d.	First and Final	Sept. 18, 1902	Office Receiver's Office, 68, Castle-street, Canterbury
Thomas, William Samuel and Thomas, Arthur Gaskin (trading as Thomas Brothers) ...	Belrise, Cleveland-road, Torquay 9 and 10, Abbey-place, Torquay	Fishmongers and Poulterers	Exeter	35 of 1901	4s. 11d.	First and Final	Sept. 26, 1902	Office of the Official Receiver, Exeter
Thomas, William Samuel (Separate Estate)	Belrise, Cleveland-road, Torquay, Devonshire	Fishmonger and Poulterer	Exeter	35 of 1901	1s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 26, 1902	Office of the Official Receiver, Exeter
Thomas, Arthur Gaskin (Separate Estate)	9 and 10, Abbey-place, Torquay, Devonshire	Fishmonger and Poulterer	Exeter	35 of 1901	3s. 1½d.	First and Final	Sept. 26, 1902	Office of the Official Receiver, Exeter
Scott, Alfred Thomas ...	High-street, New Romney, and High-street, Lydd, both in the county of Kent	Jeweller, Stationer, and Fancy Dealer	Hastings	26 of 1901	1½d.	Supplementary	Sept. 18, 1902	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Foster, Matthew (trading as Matthew Foster and Co.)	Hitchin, in the county of Hertford ...	Builder and Contractor...	Luton	16 of 1900	¾d.	Supplemental	Sept. 19, 1902	Official Receiver's Offices, Bridge-street, Northampton
Darwent, William Henry (carrying on business under the style of W. H. Darwent and Co.)	Residing at 100, Railway-road, Urmston, Lancashire, and carrying on business at 3, Chatham-street, Piccadilly, Manchester, Lancashire	Merchant	Manchester	48 of 1901	¾d.	First and Final	Sept. 15, 1902	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester
Taylor, Hannah Dora, commonly known as Dorothy Taylor (carrying on business under the style or firm of the John-street Manufacturing Company)	Residing at 137, Great Clowes-street, Lower Broughton, in the county of Lancaster, formerly carrying on business at 5, John-street, Thomas-street, Manchester, but now carrying on business at 1, Mason-street, Swan-street, Manchester	Formerly a Blouse, Apron, Pinafore, and Underclothing Manufacturer, now a Governing Director of the John-street Manufacturing Company, Limited	Manchester	11 of 1902	20s.	Composition	Sept. 26, 1902	53, Brown-street, Manchester

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Wallace, Andrew	Queen's Head Hotel, Rothbury, Northumberland, and of 146, Northumberland-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of the Castle Inn, Silver-street, Durham, in the county of Durham	Licensed Victualler, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Publican	Newcastle-on-Tyne	11 of 1901	2s. 6d.	Third and Final Instalment of Composition	Sept. 19, 1902	Offices of Official Receiver, 30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne
Vernon, Courtney Robert Percy (trading as Percy Vernon)	Stanwick, Northamptonshire	Nurseryman	Northampton	29 of 1894	4s. 11½d.	Supplemental	Sept. 22, 1902	Official Receiver's Offices, Bridge-street, Northampton
Hainsworth, Amos and Bland, Thomas (carrying on business under the style or firm of Hainsworth and Bland)	Residing at 25, Yorkshire-street, Morecambe, in the county of Lancaster Residing at 27, Irving-terrace, Morecambe, aforesaid	Joiners and Builders	Preston	18 of 1900	11d.	First and Final	Sept. 20, 1902	3, Winckley-square, Preston
Saunders, Henry George	Bishops Down, near Salisbury, in the county of Wilts, and carrying on business at New Sarum House, Salisbury aforesaid	Auctioneer	Salisbury	2 of 1902	11s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 19, 1902	Official Receiver's Offices, Endless-street, Salisbury
Gregory, John Henry	Carrying on business at 323, 325, and 330, Attercliffe Common, Sheffield, in the county of York, and residing at 330, Attercliffe Common, Sheffield aforesaid	Jeweller, Clothier, Draper, Boot Merchant, and House Furnisher	Sheffield	2 of 1901	1s.	Third	Sept. 10, 1902	Office of the Trustee, William Holmes, Church-street-chambers, Sheffield
Jones, William Mathetes	11, Christina-street, in the county borough of Swansea	Commercial Traveller	Swansea	15	7s. 3d.	Third and Final	Sept. 20, 1902	9, Castle-street, Swansea
Parfitt, John	Bailey-street, Brynmawr, Breconshire	Hairdresser, Tobacconist, and Posting Master	Tredegar	9 of 1902	2s. 7d.	First and Final	Sept. 19, 1902	Official Receiver's Offices, 135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Webber, William Henry	St. Columb, Cornwall	Jeweller and Tobacconist	Truro	23 of 1902	18s. 5d.	First and Final	Sept. 24, 1902	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro
Horrocks, Thomas (trading under the style or firm of Horrocks and Co.)	Residing at 3, Wrightlington-street, and carrying on business at 36, Greenough-street, both in Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and also carrying on business at 36, Greenough-street aforesaid as a	Small Ware Dealer Printer	Wigan	5 of 1902	6s. 8d.	First and Final	Oct. 1, 1902	4, Mesnes-street, Wigan

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Potts, Arthur	Park-avenue, Bilston-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, lately residing and carrying on business at 42, Parkfield-road and Elm Farm-road, both in Wolverhampton aforesaid, and at 6, High Holborn, Sedgley, in the county of Stafford	Out of business, lately Certificated Bailiff, and Furniture Dealer	Wolverhampton ...	4 of 1901	20s. and 4 per cent. interest	First and Final	Sept. 20, 1902 ..	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 15th August, 1902.</i>								
Shaw, Harry Percy ...	45, High-street, Shrewsbury... ..	Naturalist and Fishing Tackle Maker	Shrewsbury	7 of 1896	4s. 9½d.	Supplemental	Aug. 21, 1902 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 42, St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.
Packer, Sidney George	Residing and carrying on business at Soundwell-road, Staple Hill, in the county of Gloucester	Grocer	Bristol	83 of 1901	Oct. 10, 1902, 11 A.M., Guildhall, Bristol
Stone, Sidney John (trading as S. J. Stone and Co.)	The Redfield Boot Factory, Lippiatt-road, St. George, and residing at 2, Glebe-road, St. George, in the county of Gloucester	Boot Manufacturer	Bristol	35 of 1901	Oct. 10, 1902, 11 A.M., Guildhall, Bristol
Maule, Cyrus	10, Edwy-parade, and 88, Northgate-street, Gloucester	Fish Merchant	Gloucester	12 of 1901	Oct. 7, 1902, 12 noon, Shirehall, Gloucester

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.
Yabsley, George Gardener	Robinson's-row, Salcombe, in the county of Devon	Builder	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	4 of 1898	April 23, 1902	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 23rd April, 1904	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them
Griffiths, William...	Cambria, Gladys-avenue, North End, Portsmouth, Hants	Builder	Portsmouth	44 of 1899	April 10, 1902	Discharge suspended for two years ...	The 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 brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Notley, Charles Holmes	The Friary House, Salisbury, Wiltshire	Schoolmaster ...	Salisbury ...	16 of 1900	June 12, 1902	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th June, 1904	Facts mentioned in sec. 8, sub-sec. 3 (A.), (B.), (C.), and (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Mears, Francis D'Oyley]	4, Nyanza - terrace, in the county borough of Swansea, previously residing at the Mayals, near Swansea, and at 1, Sketty-road, Swansea aforesaid	Consulting Brewer and Coal Merchant	Swansea ...	16 of 1901	Aug. 19, 1902	Discharge granted subject to bankrupt consenting to Judgment for £500, payable by £125 per annum	That the bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations and by unjustifiable extravagance in living
Williams, William McDaniel	Alliago-road, Pontardulais, in the county of Glamorgan, formerly of the Fountain Inn, Pontardulais aforesaid	Formerly Licensed Victualler and Auctioneer, now Auctioneer	Swansea ...	44 of 1893	Aug. 19, 1902	Discharge granted subject to bankrupt consenting to Judgment for the whole amount of his indebtedness and costs; same to be secured to the satisfaction of the Official Receiver	That the 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 on a previous occasion made a Composition with his creditors

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.
Barrow, Alfred ...	2, Church-street, Yeovil, Somerset, and 10, the Borough, Yeovil aforesaid	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Yeovil ...	6 of 1902	Aug. 12, 1902	Discharge suspended for three years, with leave to apply before that period has elapsed on the certificate of the Official Receiver that a Dividend of 10s. in the pound has been paid, failing which that the bankrupt be discharged as from the 12th day of August, 1905	Facts mentioned in (A.), (B.), (C.), (D.), (E.), and (F.), of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 8, of the Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Carey, Henry George	Yeovil, Somerset...	Builder and Contractor	Yeovil ...	4 of 1887	May 1, 1902	Bankrupt to be discharged subject to the following condition to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes place:—The bankrupt's daughter to deposit with the Official Receiver a sum sufficient to pay 5s. in the pound on such of the debts as were not previously assigned to her, it being understood that any portion of the amount so deposited which may not be payable, owing to the fact that creditors cannot be paid or are disinclined to prove their debts shall be returned to the bankrupt's daughter within six months of the date of the Order	Facts mentioned in (B.), (C.), (D.), and (K.), of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 8, of the Bankruptcy Act, 1890

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Gerecke, William	9, Goring-street, in the city of London	Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	761 of 1902	March, Charles James	3, Church-court, Old Jewry, E.C.	Sept. 8, 1902
Neujahr, Henry (described in the Receiving Order as Henry Neuyahr)	45, Mall-road, Hammersmith, in the county of London	Journeyman Decorator	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	849 of 1902	Ward, Robert James	2, Clements-inn, London, W.C.	Sept. 6, 1902
Atkind, Solomon (trading in the name of S. Atkind and Company)	66, Willows-road, Balsall Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, lately residing and carrying on business at 44, Smallbrook-street, Birmingham aforesaid	Furnisher, lately carrying on business as a House Furnisher	Birmingham	68 of 1902	Hackett, Harry	71, Temple-row, Birmingham, Chartered Accountant	Sept. 10, 1902
Waring, John George	542, Coventry-road, Small Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Pianoforte Dealer	Birmingham	64 of 1902	Briggs, James Humphrey	57, Tollington-road, London, N., Secretary	Sept. 9, 1902
Rogers, Thomas (trading as Thomas Rogers and Sons)	Caxton Buildings, Mirfield, in the county of York	Printer, Stationer, and Newsagent	Dewsbury	19 of 1902	Dawson, Walter	Market-place, Dewsbury, Chartered Accountant	Sept. 9, 1902
Mooney, Ernest Hopkins	12, Broad-street, Teddington, Middlesex	Draper	Kingston, Surrey	27 of 1902	Nicholson, William	12, Wood-street, Cheapside, London, E.C., Incorporated Accountant	Sept. 9, 1902
Williams, John Frederick	The Elan Valley Hotel, near Rhayader, in the county of Radnor, and of the Royal Oak Hotel, in Rhayader aforesaid	Hotel Keeper	Newtown	6 of 1902	Jones, Pryce Wilson (Trustee under Scheme of Arrangement)	High-street, Newtown	Aug. 11, 1902

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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.
Chatterton, Seth Eaton	York-road, Southend-on-Sea, and Hookley, both in the county of Essex	Builder and Decorator	Chelmsford ...	24 of 1899	John Holton ...	12, Nelson - street, Southend-on-Sea	Chartered Accountant	July 29, 1902
Palmer, Joseph Glenny...	Late of Woodbines, Staines-road, Sunbury, in the county of Middlesex	Traveller ...	Kingston, Surrey ...	46 of 1900	William Hardy King	13, Basinghall -street, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Aug. 18, 1902

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 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.
Day, William George (known and trading as Bastin John)	Late of 69, Clapham-road, and 16, Southside, Clapham Common, both in the county of London, and residing at 69, Clapham-road aforesaid	Furniture Dealer	July 12, 1902	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	937 of 1902	Sept. 10, 1902	Sept. 9, 1902 ... (Petition)	... ..	Letters of Administration	Sept. 3, 1902

Pursuant to the Acts and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.
 JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

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THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1900.

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
Allison, Johnson, and Foster, Limited... ..	11 and 12, Blanket-row, Kingston-upon-Hull	Kingston-upon-Hull	1 of 1902	Creditors, Sept. 24, 1902 Contributories, Sept. 24, 1902	11 A.M. 12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, Trinity House-lane, Hull Official Receiver's Offices, Trinity House-lane, Hull

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Liquidator.	Address.
The Maclaurin Phosphate Mining Syndicate Limited	12, Pancras-lane, E.C.	High Court of Justice	00179 of 1893	Oct. 1, 1902	Frederick William Lord ...	60, Watling-street, London, E.C
The Ynismudwy Tinplate Company Limited	Ynismudwy Tinplate Works, near Pontardawe, Swansea Valley	Swansea	1 of 1901	Sept. 27, 1901	William Harry Rees ...	Charlesville-place, Neath

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
The Fleet Cycle Company Limited ...	61, Fore-street, Moorfields, London, E.C. ...	High Court of Justice	00201 of 1898	3s. 7½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Liquidator's Office, 131, Edmund-street, Birmingham
Cardiff R.A.O.B. Institute Limited ...	17, Custom House-street, Cardiff	Cardiff	3 of 1899	2s. 0½d.	First and Final	Sept. 17, 1902	117, St. Mary's-street, Cardiff

NOTICE OF RELEASE OF LIQUIDATOR.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Liquidator's Name.	Liquidator's Address.	Date of Release.
The Bangor and North Wales Mutual Marine Protection Association Limited	Plas Llwydd, Bangor, in the county of Carnarvon	High Court of Justice	0064 of 1897	William John Parry	Coetmor Yard, Bethesda, near Bangor, Carnarvon	Aug. 6, 1902

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