judgment creditor of such trader may cause to be served upon suchtrading company or copartnership, a notice informing them of the insolvency of such trader, stating the amount of the judgment against him, with such interest and costs as may be due thereon, and requiring pay-

5 ment thereof from such trading company or copartnership.

5. If upon such service the amount of such judgment, interests and Solvent partcosts, and the costs of such service, be not forthwith paid by such insolvent ners may distrader to such creditor, such non-payment shall entitle the solvent partner pany in ceror partners therein to dissolve such company in the same manner as if it iaia cases, 10 had expired by efflux of time.

6. If within thirty days from such service, the copartnership in what case existing between such insolvent trader and such trading company evitory or copartnership is not dissolved and put in course of liquidation, and against the due notice of such dissolution and liquidation given by advertisement copartnesship

15 in the Canada Gazette, such judgment shall be executory against the assets and property of such trading company or copartnership: Provided always, that the creditors of such company or copartnership shall have a prior claim upon the assets thereof, to such creditor of a member thereof.

7. The words "the Judge" shall, in Lower Canada, signify a Judge Interpretaof the Superior Court for Lower Canada, having jurisdiction at the tion. domicile of the insolvent—and in Upper Canada a Judge of the County 'Judge." Court of the county in which the proceedings are carried on. and the words, "the Court" shall, in Lower Canada signify the said Su "Court."

25 perior Court—and in Upper Canada the County Court unless it is otherwise expressed or unless the content plainly requires a different construction.

8. The word "Assignce" shall mean the official assignee appointed "Assignce." in proceedings for compulsory liquidation as well as the assignee, ap-30 pointed under a deed of voluntary assignment. The word "day" "Day." shall mean a juridical day. The word "Creditor" shall be held "Creditor." to mean every person to whom the trader is liable, whether primarily or second rily, and whether as principal or surety; but no debt shall be doubly represented or ranked for, either in the compu-35 tation for ascertaining the numbers of creditors, or in the dividends to

be paid under any assignment or deed of composition: And all the provisions of this Act respecting traders, shall be held to apply equally to unincorporated trading companies, and co-partnershirs; and the Domicile. chief office, or place of business of such incorporated trading compa-40 nies and co-partnerships shall be their domicile for the purposes of this Act.

9. Every assignee to whom a voluntary assignment is made under this Assignees to be agents' Act, and every official assignee appointed under the provisions of this within the Act, and every omeian assigned appointed and the problem of the Asth, 48th, 48th and meaning of 45 49th sections of the 92nd chapter of Consolidated Statutes of Canada; Canad and every provision of this Act, or resolution of the creditors, relating 92 sec, 43 &c to the duties of an assignee or official assignee shall be held to be a direction in writing, within the meaning of the said 43rd section of the said chapter. And in an indictment against an assignee or official as-50 signce under any of the said sections, the right of property in any monies, security, matter, or thing, may be laid in "the creditors of the insolvent, (naming him,) under the Insolvent Act of 1863.'

10. The deed of assignment, or an authentic copy thereof, or a duly Deed of Asauthenticated copy of the order of the judge appointing an official as- to be prime 55 gnee: or a duly certified extract from the minutes of a meeting of cre- fucie eviditors; according to the mode in which the assignee or official assignee dence. is alleged to be appointed shall be prima facie evidence in all courts, whether civil or criminal, of such appointment, and of the regularity of all proceedings at the time thereof and antecedent thereto.