In the Matter of Thomas Lane, of No. 179, Caledonianroad, in the county of Middlesex, Greengrocer and Fruiterer, by whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey was filed on the 17th day of December, 1867.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of creditors will be held at the Court of Bankruptey, Basinghall-street, London, before Henry Philip Roche, Esq., the Registrar acting in the above matter, on the 15th day of April, 1868, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the proof of debts and for the choice of a creditor's Assignee or Assignees, under the said bankruptey; at which meeting creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, and with those who have already proved, to vote in such choice.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

## Notice of Dividend Meetings.

Meetings of the Creditors of the Bankrupts hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the times and places hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District at Nottingham, before Owen Davies Tudor, Esq., Registrar:

Samuel Greensmith, of the Hole in the Wall Inn, Saint James'-lane, Derby, in the county of Derby, Licensed Victualler, formerly of the same place, Attorney's Clerk, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of October, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 21st day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District at Birmingham, before Alfred Hill, Esq., Registrar:

George Pitt, of Hall-street, Dudley, and Worcester-street, Kidderminster, both in the county of Worcester, Currier and Leather Seller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of January, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 6th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at Liverpool, before J. Y. Lee, Esq., Registrar:

William Cark, of No. 31, Peel-street, Toxteth-park, and No. 24. Temple-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Broker and Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 2nd of April, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

William Bennett, of No. 131, Park-road, Toxteth-park, Liverpool, in the county of Laneaster, and carrying on business there, and lately at No. 35, Northumberland-street, and No. 28, Upper Harrington-street, Toxteth-park aforesaid, as a Flour and Provision Dealer, adjudicated bank-rupt on the 7th day of October, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of April next, at eleven o clock in the forenoon precisely.

Robert MacDonald, of No. 4, Richmond terrace, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, out of business, formerly of Antigua, in the West Indies, in partnership there with John Scotland MacDonald, James Robert MacDonald, and Archibold William MacLaughlan, as Merchants, under the style or firm of MacDonald and Company, adjudicated bankrupt on the 2nd day of October, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 17th day of April next, at eleven o clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District, at the Athenæum, George-street, Manchester, before David Cato Macrae, Esq., a Registrar:

Thomas Abbott and Alexander Mercer, both of Bank Mill, Cherry Tree, in the township of Livesey, near Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers and Copartners, trading under the firm of Abbott and Mercer, adjudicated bankrupts on the 14th day of July, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 22nd day of April next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

John Cable Ainsworth and Thomas Ainsworth, both of Barrow-bridge Works, Barrow, near Whalley, and of the city of Manchester, both in the county of Lancaster, Calico Printers, carrying on business under the style or firm of H. and G. Ainsworth, adjudicated bankrupts on the 31st day of July, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 27th day of April next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Devon, holden at Bideford, b. fore James Rooker, Esq., Registrar:

William Henry Darracott, of Appledore, in the parish of Northam, in the county of Devon, Shipowner and Broker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of August, 1863. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 13th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meetings the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said respective meetings will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what Dividend shall be made, and whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts respectively. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of the Granting of Orders of Discharge.

The Bankrupts hereinafter named have had Orders of Discharge granted or suspended as hereinafter mentioned by the several Courts acting in prosecution of their respective Bankruptcies, and such Orders will be delivered to the Bankrupts unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court:—

John Rider, of No. 193, Compton-street, Goswell-road, Clerkenwell, and of No. 1, Cleasby-villas, Tollington Park, both in the county of Middlesex, Timber Bender, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of October, 1867. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptoy, London, on the 4th day of February, 1868.

Charles Lambert the younger, of No. 4, West India Dock-road, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, Shipping Butcher and Provision Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of June, 1864. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 28th day of October, 1864.

William Hey, of Meadow-row, New Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, but now known as No. 41, Rockinghamstreet, Newington-causeway, in the same county, Architect, and also at Penge-common, Surrey, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of December, 1867. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 20th day of March, 1868.

Stephen Bottrill, of the Graziers' Arms, West Haddon, in the county of Northampton, Farmer and Innkeeper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of November, 1867. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 7th day of February, 1868.

James Sydenham, of Parkstone, within the borough and county of Poole, and of Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of November, 1867. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 21st day of January, 1868.

John Randon Worcester, lately carrying on business at Lloyd's Royal Exchange, in the city of London, and then and now of Cannon street, in the same city, Ship Owner and Underwriter, formerly of No. 102, King's-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and Belvedere-road, Norwood, in the county of Surrey, and now of No. 12, Upper Belgrave-place, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Ship Owner and Merchant's Assistant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of August, 1867. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 18th day of February, 1868.

Cowasjee Shapoorjee Mehta and George Roferson Goldie, of No. 32, Great Saint Helen's, in the city of London, Merchants, and trading in copartnership under the style of Cowasjee, Goldie, and Company, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of July, 1867. An Order of Discharge was granted to Cowasjee Shapoorjee Mehta, one of the said bankrupts, by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 14th day of February, 1868.

Benjamin Battie, formerly of Faugh, near Brampton, in the county of Cumberland, then of No. 10, Warrior-square,