

tion shall be allowed to the Trustee, and to consider the desirability of closing the proceedings.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1873.

PAYNE and GALLOWAY, 28, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford. In the Matter of Henry Mullinex Hawes, of Abingdon, in the county of Berks, Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt, 1st March, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt, has been summoned to be held at No. 126, High-street, Oxford, on Monday, the 5th day of May, 1873, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely. The object of the meeting and the business proposed to be transacted thereat are as follows, viz.:—To consider, and, if thought desirable, to sanction, by special resolution, a general scheme of settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt, to be proposed by Messrs. Lemon, Hart, and Sons, or to agree upon such other terms if preferred as might be thought expedient; to audit the accounts of the Trustee, to direct his costs to be taxed, to determine what First and Final Dividend is to be declared, and when, and to grant the Trustee his release, after the bankrupt shall have passed his Public Examination; to direct the Trustee to apply to the Court for an order approving the special resolutions which shall be come to at such meeting.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1873.

EDWARD JAMES HOWELL, No. 2, Heathcote-villas, Saint Margaret's, Twickenham, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Russell Chalk and Thomas Grey Willett, of No. 4, St. Mildred's-court, Poultry, and No. 1, Crown-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, both in the city of London, Wine Merchants and Copartners, trading under the style or firm of Chalk and Willett, adjudicated bankrupts on the 14th day of November, 1872, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 56, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on and after the 30th day of April, 1873.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1873.

H. SCHULTZ, Trustee.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton.

A FIRST Dividend of 1s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of David Fairweather, of No. 9, Portland-place, Southampton, Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of August, 1872, and will be paid by me, at my counting-house, No. 30, Friday-street, in the city of London, on and after the 25th day of April, 1873.—Dated this 23rd day of April, 1873.

WILLIAM AFFLECK, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

A DIVIDEND of 7½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Thomas Stevenson Usher, of Yeadon, in the county of York, Doctor of Medicine, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of February, 1871, and will be paid by me, at my office, 23, Albion-street, Leeds, on and after the 26th day of April, 1873.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1873.

JOHN GORDON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Benjamin Fletcher Joslin, of Maldon, in the county of Essex, Stonemason, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of August, 1872, and will be paid by me, at my office, in the London-road, Maldon, Essex, on and after the 1st day of May, 1873.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1873.

JOHN ROGERS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of James Monk, of West Hanney, in the county of Berks, Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of December, 1872, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. Llewellyn Jochum, Solicitor, Wantage, Berks, on and after the 6th day of May, 1873.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1873.

HENRY PHILIP GIBBONS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonter.

A FIRST Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joseph Leakey, of High-road, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Shoemaker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of November, 1871, and will be paid by me, at 4, Railway-place, Feuchurch-street, in the city of London, on and after the 27th day of April, 1873.—Dated this 23rd day of April, 1873.

RICHD. F. ROBERTS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

A SECOND Dividend of 7s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Adam Richardson, of Scotch-street, in the city of Carlisle, Ale and Spirit Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of January, 1872, and will be paid by me, at No. 3, Carruthers'-court, Scotch-street, Carlisle, on and after the 28th day of April, 1873.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1873.

J. C. WANNOP, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Thomas Hicks, of 160, Waterloo-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Pastrycook, and of 11, New-cut, Lambeth aforesaid, Manager of a Club, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Thomas Hicks, an order of adjudication was made on the 27th day of June, 1872. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 18th day of April, 1873.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1873.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of John Holt, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said John Holt, an order of adjudication was made on the 5th day of September, 1871. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 23rd day of April, 1873.—Dated this 23rd day of April, 1873.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George A Smart, of the Grapes Public-house, Houndsditch, in the city of London, Victualler and Tavern Keeper.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said George A Smart having been given, it is ordered that the said George A Smart be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 22nd day of April, 1873.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George A Smart is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 7th day of May, 1873, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to William Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street. Creditors must forward their Proofs of debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Robert F Piper, of Cumberland House, Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Robert F Piper having been given, it is ordered that the said Robert F Piper be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 19th day of April, 1873.

By the Court,

H. P. Roche, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Robert F Piper is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1873, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the