the 19th day of July, 1875, and will be paid by me, at 5, Great Saint Thomas Apostle, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on any Wednesday, on and after the 22nd day of December, 1875.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1875.

ROBT. KING, Trustee.

A FIRST Dividend of 7s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joseph Deane Hilton, of **A** declared in the matter of Joseph Deane Hilton, of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Grocer, adju-dicated bankrupt on the 19th day of August, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my offices, Hall-quay-chambers, Great Yarmouth, on and after the 23rd day of December, 1875.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1875. LOVEWELL BLAKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford. In the Matter of John Absalom, of No. 28, Marine-

parade, Southend-on-Sea, in the county of Essex, Grocer, a Bankrupt.

W HEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said John Absalom, an order of adjudication was made on the 4th day of October, 1875. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 6th day of December 1875. December, 1875.-Dated this 13th day of December, 1875.

In Bankruptcy. WHEREAS s.Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was_filed on the 11th day of May, 1832, against Joseph Harling and Zebulon Harling, of Brixton-road, in the county of Surrey, Bakers and Corn Chandlers, Dealers and Chapmen, under which the said Joseph Harling and Zebulon Harling were, on the 22nd day of May, 1832, duly declared and adjudged bankrupts. This is to give notice, that by an Order of the Court, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1875, the said adjudication was annulled so far as regards the said Zebulon Harling, one of the said bank-rupts, only.—Dated the 13th day of December, 1875.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1867; and of the Troedyrhiew and Cymmer Pioneer Industrial Society Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition for the winding up of the above-named Society by the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd, County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd, was, on the 7th day of December, 1875, presented to the Judge of the said County Court, by William Prootor Baker, Atthur Baker, and Henry Willoughby Beloe, trading under the style of William Baker and Sons, of Redcliff Backs, in the city of Bristol, and Henry William Franklyn, George King Morgan, and Thomas Davey, trading under the style of Franklyn, Davey, and Morgan, of the Welsh Back, in the said city of Bristol, who are creditors of the said Society, and that the said Petition is directed to be heard before the Judge of the said County Court, on the 13th day before the Judge of the said County Court, on the 13th day of January, 1876; and any creditor or contributory of the of January, 1876; and any creator or contributory of the said Society desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Society under the above Act, should 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 Society requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the requiring the same the same

of the regulated charge for the same. FRY, ABBOT, POPE, and BROWN, of Shannon-court, Bristol, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the County Court of Staffordshire holden at Newcastleunder-Lyme.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1867, and in the Matter of the Chesterton Provi-dent Co-operative and Industrial Society Limited.

BY an Order made by his Honour the Judge of the above-named County Court, in the above matter, dated the lath day of December, 1875, on the petition of James Alcock, of Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, a creditor of the above-named Company, it was ordered that the said Chesterton Provident Co-operative and Industrial Society Limited, be wound up by the abovenamed Court under the provisions of the above-mentioned A cts.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Newcastleunder-Lyme.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1867, and in the Chesterton Provident Co-operative

and Industrial Society Limited. IL IS Honour William Spooner, Esq., the Judge of the lath day of December, 1875, appointed George Dutton, of of Debts to the Registrar.

Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, Accountant, and Thomas Wood, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Ac-countant, to be Official Liquidators of the above-named Company .- Dated this 15th day of December, 1875.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Newoastle-under-Lyme.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts, 1867; and in the Matter of the Chesterton Provi-dent Co-operative and Industrial Society Limited.

HE creditors of the above-named Company are required. on or before the 3rd day of January, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Soli-citors, if any, to Mr. George Dutton, of Tunstall, in the citors, if any, to Mr. George Dutton, of Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, Accountant, and Mr. Thomes Wood, of I, Balloon-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, the Official Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidators, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the County Court Offices, Newcastle-under-Lyme, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Saturday, the 15th day of January, 1876, at are proved. Saturday, the 15th day of January, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said offices is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.-Dated this 15th day of December, 1875.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Watson, of Lordship-lane, Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, formerly carrying on business as Watson Brothers, in copartnership with John Watson, at Melford House,

Melford-road, Lordship-lane, Dulwich aforesaid, Builder. 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 of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas Wat-Son, having been given, it is ordered that he said Thomas Watson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 15th day of December, 1875.

By the Court, W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar. The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said The rist General Meeting of the creators of the sain Thomas Watson is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's - ion - fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of January, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, 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 Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignce in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John C Johnston, of Peter's-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Merchant, trading as J. C. John-

ston and Co. ston and Co. 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 of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John C Johnston having been given, it is ordered that the said John C Johnston be, and he is hereby adjudged bankrupt.—

Given under the Seal of the Court this 14th day of December, 1875.

By the Court,

James F. Watson, Registrar. The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said hn C Johnston is hereby summoned to be held at the John C Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 3rd day of January, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a

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 the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs

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