

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Phillipson, of 244, Rawlinson-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Draper.

CHARLES LOWDEN, of Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Powell, of No. 25, Hardiog-street, Brindle Heath, Pendleton, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Dealer, Beer Retailer, Builder, and Contractor.

ROBERT SHARP, of 29, Manchester-chambers, Market-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Hickling, of North Sherwood-street, in the town of Nottingham, Coal Dealer, and of Houndsgate, in the same town, Hosiery Manufacturer, trading in copartnership, as Hosiery Manufacturers, with John Davies and John Heywood, under the style or firm of Hickling, Davies, and Heywood.

CHARLES ROGERS, of the town of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A MEETING of the Creditors of Thomas Hall, of No. 12, Maitland Park-villas, Haverstock Hill, in the county of Middlesex, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of July, 1875, will be held at the offices of Frederic Coker, Trustee, 32, Cheapside, London, E.C., on the 17th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of 19s. in the pound at eighteen months from the date of registration, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of James Hind, of No. 18, Leinster-terrace, Lancaster-gate, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named James Hind adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of July, 1876, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Harry Brett, Milford, and Co., Public Accountants, 150, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 17th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of considering whether or not the creditors of the said bankrupt shall testify their assent to the bankrupt applying to the Court for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

HARRY BRETT, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST (and not Third, as advertised in the Gazette of 30th ultimo) Dividend of 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Robert Fitzroy Holderness

and George Nott, late of Saint Michael's House, Cornhill, in the city of London, Stock and Share Brokers, and Copartners, carrying on business under the style or firm of Holderness, Nott, and Company, adjudicated bankrupts on the 21st day of July, 1874, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on and after the 11th day of April, 1877, or any succeeding Wednesday, between the hours of eleven o'clock in the morning and three o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

GEO. A. CAPE, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FOURTH Dividend of 1½d. (1s. 11½d. to New Proofs) in the pound has been declared in the matter of Herbert Edward Clayton, of 34, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, Stock Broker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of April, 1874, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 3, Crosby-square, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1877, and three following Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

EDWARD MOORE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 7½d. in the pound has been declared in the separate estate of William Thomas Cullum, of Watling-street, in Leicester aforesaid, Wholesale Clothier, carrying on business in copartnership with Henry Knowles Dakin, under the style or firm of Dakin and Cullum, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of November, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Wykes Brothers and Mantle, No. 24, Friar-lane, Leicester, on and after the 9th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

T. A. WYKES, Trustee.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 4½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Burbidge Valentine, of Amptill, in the county of Bedford, Corn Dealer and Mealman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of August, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the office of Messrs. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on and after the 4th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 31st day of March, 1877.

WILLIAM NUTTING, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Nathan Harrison, of Woodhouse-lane, Leeds, Plumber, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of January, 1877, and will be paid by me, at my office, 49, Albion-street, Leeds, on and after the 31st day of March, 1877.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

ROBT. M. BURGESS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 3s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alfred Purdy, of Greengates, in the township of Eccleshill, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of December, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 2, Cheapside, Bradford, in the county of York, between the hours of ten in the morning and four in the afternoon, on and after the 12th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1877.

A. B. KEMP, Trustee.

In the City of London Court.

In the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874, and in the Matter of the Victoria Permanent Benefit Building Society, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Mr. Commissioner Kerr has fixed the 17th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the City of London Court, holden at Guildhall-buildings, London, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Society.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Henry French, late of No. 1, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Printer and Lithographer.

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