

plication which I have made to this Court for my release, and also to consider the propriety of passing a resolution to the effect that the bankruptcy of the said Sidney Gibbs and his failure to pay ten shillings in the pound, has, in the opinion of the creditors, arisen from circumstances for which the bankrupt cannot be justly held responsible, and that they desire an Order of Discharge to be granted to him. And further take notice, that the Court has appointed Tuesday, the 1st day of March, 1881, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine my said application for my being released.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1881.

E. VINCENT KELLEY, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. On the 22nd day of March, 1881, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, William Bottomley Mason and Henry Bottomley Mason, trading as Mason Brothers and Co., of Victoria Mills, Eccleshill, near Bradford, in the county of York, Wrosted Spinners, adjudicated bankrupts on the 3rd day of July, 1879, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 7th day of February, 1881.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. On the 11th day of March, 1881, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Michael Jones Evans, of 10, Drury-lane and 51, Catherine-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Corn Merchant, trading under the style of M. J. Evans and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of February, 1879, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 8th day of February, 1881.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Henry Walcot Vowler, of the River Lea Iron Works, Canning Town, in the county of Essex, and of 57, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, and also of 9, Brooklyn-road, Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex, Iron Manufacturer, carrying on business in his own name, and under the style of the Canning Town Iron Company, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of October, 1880. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 28th day of February, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 7th day of February, 1881.

E. Fancourt Muller, Trustee.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Martin, late of East Peckham, in the county of Kent, but now of No. 12, Belgrave-gardens, Folkestone-road, Dover, in the county of Kent aforesaid, a Captain in Her Majesty's Royal Artillery, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of May, 1880. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of February, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 8th day of February, 1881.

Flasman Haydon, Trustee.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the separate estate of John Ford, in the matter of John Ford and Henry John Ford, both residing at Haywardsfield, House, Stonehouse, in the county of Gloucester, and carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of John Ford and Son, at Stonehouse aforesaid, and at Ryeford, in the said county, as Timber Merchants and Saw Mill Proprietors, adjudicated bankrupts on the 9th day of March, 1880. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 12th day of February, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 28th day of January, 1881.

Walter Wilkins, Trustee.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Clapham Brooke, late of Hook, in the county of Southampton, Bank Clerk, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of August, 1880. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of February, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 7th day of February, 1881.

James Moody, Trustee.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Salisbury.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edwin White and Charles White, of Stalbridge, in the county of Dorset, Malsters and Brewers and Partners, adjudicated bankrupts on the 5th day of March, 1879. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of February, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 9th day of February, 1881.

Felix Cox, Trustee.

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 time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, before Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar:

Elias Bonnett, of Milton-next-Sittingbourne, and of Sittingbourne, both in the county of Kent, Builder and Brickmaker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of July, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at the County Court Office, Saint Werburgh's-chambers, Small-street, Bristol, before Arthur Edward Harley, Esq., Registrar:

William Baylis Baker, of Painswick, in the county of Gloucester, Architect and Surveyor, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of June, 1862. A First and Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 2nd day of March next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupts' estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts. 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, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of George Clayton Edwards, of 18, Coleman-street, in the city of London, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 31st day of March, 1875.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the offices of Messrs. J. Waddell and Co., No. 1, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 24th day of February, 1881, at half-past twelve o'clock precisely, for the purpose of fixing the remuneration of the Trustee.—Dated this 10th day of February, 1881.

JAMES WADDELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of Sally Steed, of 41, St. James-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, out of business, but lately carrying on business at the Bells, Stoke, in the county of Suffolk, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 31st day of May, 1880, reporting that there are no assets recoverable under this bankruptcy, and that therefore such bankruptcy might be closed, the Court being satisfied that there are no assets recoverable under this bankruptcy, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Sally Steed has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 10th day of December, 1880.

THE estates of Peter McKenzie, Farmer, Barnshangan, in the parish of New Luce, and county of Wig'own, were sequestrated on the 8th day of February, 1881, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of February, 1881.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1881, within the George Hotel, Stranraer.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of June, 1881.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt: till the meeting for the election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

HUGH TODD, Solicitor, Stranraer, Agent.

THE estates of James C. Steven, Family Grocer, 117, Paisley-road West, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 7th February, 1881, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark. The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of February, 1881.