## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of M. Esses, of No. 23, Brondesbury-villas, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, a Bankrupt.

Mr. Registrar Murray, acting as Chief Judge. UPON reading a report of the Registrar Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 16th day of January, 1883, reporting that the bankrupt had not filed any statement of his affairs, and that he did not appear on the day appointed for his Public Examination, and that it had not been brought to his knowledge that, at the date of the adju-dication, the bankrupt was possessed of any property that could be realized for the benefit of his creditors, or that he -conic be realized for the benefit of his creditors, or that he had since acquired any property that could be so realized, and that in his opinion it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and the affidavit of William Humphreys, sworn the 25th day of January, 1883, and upon hearing Mr. Ald-ridge, Official Solicitor, on 'behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the bankrupt has not filed any statement of his efficient of the did account of the day appearing to oppose. affairs, and that he did not appear on the day appointed for his Public Examination, and that he was not, at the date of the adjudication, possessed of any property that could be realized for the benefit of his creditors, or that he has since acquired any property that could be so realized, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said M. Esses has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 31st day of January, 1883.

# The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of Henry Stock, of No. 6, Davisville-road, Grove-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Hazlitt, setting as Chief Judge. UPON reading a report of the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 10th day of January, 1883, reporting that the statement of affairs filed by the bankrupt does not disclose any property to be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that it had not been brought to bis knowledge that the bankrupt had since adjudication his knowledge that the bankrupt had since adjudication acquired any property, and that in his opinion it is expedient that the bankruptcy should be closed, and the affidavit of William Humphreys, sworn the 16th day of January, 1683, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor, on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the statement of affairs filed by the bankrupt does not disclose any property to be realized for the benchi of the creditors, and that the bankrupt has not since the adjudication scenired any property, doth order not since the adjudication acquired any property, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Henry Stock has closed. - Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of February, 1883.

The Bankruptey Act, 1869. In the London Bankruptey Court. In the Matter of Philip Hathaway, of No. 12, Bedfordrow, in the county of Middlesex, Attorney-at-Law, a

row, in the county of Middlesex, Attorney-at-Law, a Bankrupt. Before Mr. Registrar Murray, acting as Chief Judge. UPON reading a report of the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 16th day of January, 1883, reporting that the bankrupt had not filed any statement of his affairs, and that he did not appear on the day appointed for his Public Examination, and that it had not been brought to his knowledge that at the date of the adjudication the bankrupt was possessed of any property that could be realized for the benefit of his creditors, or that he had since acquired any property that could be so realized, and that in his opinion it is oxpedient that the bankruptoy should be closed, and the affidavit of William Humphreys, sworn the 25th day of January, 1883, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Soliditor for the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one ap-pearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the bankrupt

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rupt has not filed any statement of his affairs, and that he did not appear on the day appointed for his Public Examination, and that he was not at the date of the adjudication possessed of any property that could be realized for the benefit of his creditors, and that he has has not since acquired any property that could be so realized, doth order and declare that the bankruptey of the said Philip Hathaway has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 31st day of January, 1883.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869. In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Brentford. In the Matter of Samuel Bantock, late of No. 10, Stevenson-street, Canning Town, Essex, formerly of Springfield Park, Acton, in the county of Middlesex, a Bankrupt. UPON reading a report of the Truatee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 13th day of January, 1883, re-porting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt as disclosed by him in his statement of affirs, consisted in two leasehold houses. built by him in the Byron-read. Balham. disclosed by him in his statement of affairs, consisted in two leasehold houses, built by him in the Byron-road, Balham, in the county of Surrey, now known as Chesterfield-villas, and which he estimated as of the value of £700, mortgaged to the extent of £550 besidés interest, that it has been found impossible to find a purchaser for either of these houses, and only recently a tenant for one, the other being still unoccupied, so that as an asset they are of no value whatever, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the haukrunt, as disclosed by him in his stateproperty of the bankrupt, as disclosed by him in his state-ment of affairs, consisted in two leasehold houses, built by him in the Byron-road, Balham, in the county of Surrey, now known as Chesterfield-villas, and which he estimated as of the value of  $\pounds700$ , more aged to the extent of  $\pounds550$  besides interest, that it has been found impossible to find a purchaser for either of these houses, and only recently a tenant for one, the other being still unoccupied, so that as an asset they are of no value whatever, doth order and deelare that the bankruptcy of the said Saunel Bantock has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of January, 1883.

THE estates of James Douglas, Draper, carrying on business at 43, Vennel, Greenock, under the firm of James Douglas and Company, Drapers there, the sole Part-ner of said firm, were sequestrated on the 1st day of Feb-ruary, 1883, by the Sheriff Substitute of Renfrewshire and Buteshire, at Greenock.

The first deliverance is dated the 1st day of February, 1888.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, current, within the White Hart Hotel, Cathcart-street Greenock.

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 1st day of June, 1883.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. A. FERGUSON and J. T. T. BROWN, Agents. 53, West Regent-street, Glasgow.

THE estates of Francis Allan, Cab Proprietor, Leith, were sequestrated on 2nd February, 1863, by the Sheriff of the Lothians.

The first deliverance is dated 2nd February, 1883. The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Wednesday, the 14th February, 1883, within Young's Hotel, Cockburnstreet, Edinburgh.

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 2nd June, 1883. All dutre advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. FRANCIS ALLAN, Petitioner.

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