

In the Matter of James Wells.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 6s. 8½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April next, or on any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend can be paid to any creditor holding any security for his debt until such security shall be produced to me, without the special direction of a Commissioner on that behalf. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

GEORGE MORGAN, Official Assignee,  
12, Cook-street, Liverpool.

In the Matter of John Barber, of Manchester, Machine and Roller Maker, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, was filed 22nd August, 1860.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 3s. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, between the hours of ten and one o'clock, on Tuesday, the 26th instant, and every following Tuesday. No Dividend can be paid to a creditor holding a security for his debt until such security shall be produced to me, without the special direction of a Commissioner on that behalf.—March 21, 1861.

F. HERNAMAN, Official Assignee,  
69, Princess-street, Manchester.

In the Matter of John William Armstrong, of Manchester Yarn Agent, Dealer and Chapman, by whom a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy was filed 14th July, 1860.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, between the hours of ten and one o'clock, on Tuesday the 26th instant, and every following Tuesday. No Dividend can be paid to a creditor holding a security for his debt until such security shall be produced to me, without the special direction of a Commissioner on that behalf.—March 21, 1861.

F. HERNAMAN, Official Assignee,  
69, Princess-street, Manchester.

In the Matter of Paul Whitworth, of Staleybridge, Grocer Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy was filed 22nd September, 1860.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 4s. 8d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, between the hours of ten and one of the clock, on Tuesday the 26th instant, on every following Tuesday. No Dividend can be paid to a creditor holding a security for his debt until such security shall be produced to me, without the special direction of a Commissioner on that behalf.—March 21, 1861.

F. HERNAMAN, Official Assignee,  
69, Princess-street, Manchester.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 6th day of March, 1861, filed and entered of record in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, against Thomas Ellison, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Baker and Flour Dealer; this is to give notice, that by an order of Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, bearing date the 23rd day of March instant, such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was dismissed, and the adjudication thereunder annulled.

In the Court of Bankruptcy,  
Basinghall-street, London,  
20th day of March, 1861.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Act, 1856; and in the Matter of the Llanfyrnach Silver Lead Mining Company (Limited).

B-fore Mr. Commissioner Goulburn.

**U**PON the application of the petitioner Thomas Turner, and upon hearing Mr. Karlake and Mr. Doria, of Counsel for the said petitioner, and Mr. Bagley, of Counsel for the respondents (the above-named Company), and upon reading the affidavit of James Edward Hawksford, filed the 18th day of February last, the affidavit of William Battye, filed the 5th day of March instant, the two affidavits of James Boatwright Gibbons, filed respectively the 7th day of March, and the 16th day of March instant, and upon debate of the matters in the said Petition alleged, it is ordered, that the proceeding for the voluntary winding up of the said Company be continued, subject to the supervision of the Court, and that the appointment of Mr. James Boatwright Gibbons, as voluntary Liquidator be confirmed, and his proceedings prior to the date of this Order as such liquidator be adopted; and it is ordered, that Mr. William Pennell, one of the Official Assignees of this Court, be and he is hereby appointed and henceforth associated with the

said voluntary liquidator, as an additional liquidator of the said Company; and it is further ordered, that no assets belonging to the said Company shall be sold or disposed of without the sanction and direction of the said William Pennell, and that he shall be at liberty at all times to apply as he may think necessary to this Court, in the matter of the winding up or in relation thereto; and it is ordered, that the books and seal of the said Company, or such of them as the said William Pennell shall require, shall be deposited with and left in the custody of the said William Pennell; and it is ordered, that the costs of all parties of and incidental to the presentation and hearing of this Petition and occasioned thereby, shall be taxed by the taxing master of this Court, and paid out of the assets of the said Company.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, London.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Acts, 1856 and 1857, and of the Electro Printing Block Company (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been this day presented in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy at London, by Henry George Collins, a Contributor of the Electro Printing Block Company (Limited), praying that the said Company may be wound up by the said Court, pursuant to the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies Acts, 1856 and 1857; and that such Petition will by Order of the said Court, be heard before Mr. Commissioner Goulburn, on Friday, the 12th day of April, 1861, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1861.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 26th day of March, 1861, filed by John King, of New Alresford, in the county of Southampton, Saddler and Harness Maker, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 5th day of April next, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 9th day of May following, at half-past one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects: when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Bell, No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Lott, Solicitor, No. 44, Parliament-street.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 22nd day of March, 1861, filed against James Harden Gates, of Menor-street, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Builder, and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 5th day of April next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 9th day of May following, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. P. Johnson, No. 20, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. A. M. Hewitt, Solicitor, No. 4, Princes-street, Bank.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for arrangement under the control of the Court, was, on the 21st day of January, 1861, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, by Phillip Raphael, of the St. James's Tavern, Duke-street, Aldgate, in the city of London, Wine and Spirit Merchant, and Publican, and also carrying on business at the same place, and formerly at Magdalen-row, Great Prescott-street, in the county of Middlesex, as a Cigar Dealer and General Merchant; and whereas the said Phillip Raphael was, on the 22nd day of March, 1861, duly adjudicated a Bankrupt by the Court, and all further proceedings in the matter were adjourned into the Public Court, and the said Phillip Raphael having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 9th day of April next, at half past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 1st day of May following, at two in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects