

and that the estate and effects of the said bankrupt shall be wound up and administered in such manner as such last-mentioned majority shall direct; and notice is hereby further given, that every creditor entitled to be present at such meeting, and to vote upon such resolution, may authorise in writing any other person to appear for him in the form prescribed by the general orders issued pursuant to the Bankruptcy Act, 1861.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1862.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 13th September, 1858, against John Argent, of the Rainbow Tavern, No. 18, Fleet-street, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend at the rate of 2s. 7d. in the pound, is now payable (to new proofs), and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.—February 11, 1862.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

In Re Robert Scott and James Forster, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Linen and Woollen Drapers, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 11th November, 1861, was duly filed.

I HEREBY give notice, that a First Dividend at the rate of 5s. 6d. in the pound, may be received by all the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, at my office, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, the 1st March next, or on any subsequent Saturday, between the hours of eleven and three. No Dividend will be paid without the production of every security exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—February 21, 1862.

THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, London.

In the Matter of the Plumstead, Woolwich, and Charlton Consumers Pure Water Company (Limited); and in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Act, 1856 and 1857.

Basinghall-street, London;

The 10th day of February, 1862.

BY direction of Edward Goulburn, Esq., Serjeant-at-Law, the Commissioner to whose Court this Matter is attached, notice is hereby given, that the said Commissioner hath appointed Wednesday, the 12th day of March, 1862, at one of the clock in the afternoon, and Thursday, the 20th day of March, 1862, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to settle the list of contributories of the said Plumstead, Woolwich, and Charlton Consumers Pure Water Company (Limited); and that after such list shall have been settled no party affected thereby shall be allowed to dispute the same without leave of the said Court of Bankruptcy first obtained.

In the Court of Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Acts, 1856, 1857, and of the Professional and General Loan and Discount Company (Limited).

WHEREAS a Petition has been presented to and filed in this Court by George Richard Pemberton, of Fork House, Chertsey, in the county of Surrey, Major-General in Her Majesty's Indian Army, a creditor and contributory of the said Company, Thomas Ponsonby, of Prospect-place, Wandsworth-road, in the said county, a Captain in the Royal Navy, and Charles Bissett Bayley, of No. 6, Southbrook-street, New-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, a Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, the last two being contributories of the said Company, praying—that an order may be made for the winding-up of the said Company, under the provisions of the said Acts, or such other order, to meet the necessities of the case. Notice is hereby given, that the said Petition will be heard before Joshua Evans, Esquire, Commissioner, to whose Court the said Petition is attached, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, on Thursday, the 6th day of March, 1862, at half-past ten of the clock in the forenoon, at which time and place, all persons desiring to be heard for or against the dissolution and winding-up of the said Company, are required to appear.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1862.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Adjudications and First Meeting of Creditors.

William Cousins, of Church-street, Staines, in the county of Middlesex, Baker, Dealer and Chapman having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 21st day of February, 1862, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 10th day of March, 1862, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. William Bell, of No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings is the Official Assignee, and Mr. A. Haynes, No. 12, Southampton-buildings, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Augustus Batger, of No. 22, Michael's-place, Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of No. 6, Carlton-terrace, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, Surveyor, having been adjudged bankrupt, under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 22nd day of February, 1862, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors, to be held before the said Registrar, on the 10th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. William Bell, of No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. May and Son, of Princes-street, Spitalfields, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Birch and William Birch, of 74, Horseferry-road, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Omnibus and Cab Proprietors and Horse Dealers, having been adjudged bankrupts, under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 25th day of January, 1862, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 14th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. William Bell, of No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. B. May, of Russell-square, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Noah George Bond (sued as George Bond), of No. 5, Albion-place, Upper Kennington-lane, Vauxhall, in the county of Surrey, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of a County Court of York, attending at York Castle, on the 14th day of February, 1862, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the Court of Bankruptcy; in London, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 5th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. William Bell, of No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Henry Sams, late of the Crown public house, Leigh-street, Red Lion-square, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, having been adjudged bankrupt, under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 13th day of February, 1862, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 14th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Patrick Johnson, of No. 20, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. H. Child, of No. 1 Turn-wheel-lane, Cannon-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert George Nash, of Bushey, in the county of Hertford, Hay and Straw Salesman, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of February, 1862, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors, to be held before the said Registrar, on the 5th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Patrick Johnson, of No. 20, Basinghall-street, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Poole, of 58, Bartholomew-close, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Job Palmer, of the Highbury Park Tavern, Highbury Park, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler and Builder, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 24th day of February, 1862, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar