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 times and places hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before William Hazlitt, Esq., a Registrar:

Thomas Heward, of Surrey-street, Littlehampton, in the county of Sussex, Coal Merebant and Ship and Custom House Agent, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of March, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 11th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar:

Samuel Barrett, of Ewell, in the county of Surrey, Surgeon and Apothecary and Doctor of Medicine, adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of April, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 30th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Richard Sheen, of Castle Hedingham, in the county of Essex, Grocer and Draper, djudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of December, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 16th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at Liverpool, before the Officer duly appointed, or the Court having jurisdiction to dispose of pending business of the said Liverpool Court:

Robert Calvert, of Weeton, near Kirkham, in the county of Lancaster. Farmer, Cattle and Sheep Dealer, Dealer, and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of March, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 6th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John Smith and Arthur Bubb, both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, General Merchants and Copartners, carrying on business there under the firm of Smith, Bubb, and Company, and also at Rangoon, in British Burmah, with Charles James Forbes, Smith Forbes, and James Mooney, as General Merchants, under the firm of Bubb, Smith, and Company, adjudicated bankrupts on the 28th day of October, 1869. A Dividend Meeting of the separate estate and effects of John Smith, one of the said bankrupts, will be held on the 6th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Charles Stuart, of No. 5, Old Chester-road, Bebbington, in the county of Chester, late of No. 25, Balmoral-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and of Batavia-buildings, Hackins Hey, Liverpool aforesaid, Wine Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of June, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 6th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Devonshire, holden at the Castle of Exeter, at Exeter, before R. R. M. Daw, Esq., Registrar:

James Bruce Birkmyer, of No. 6, Bradninch place, in the city of Exeter, Arimaster, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of November, 1869, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptey, and the proceedings in the said bankruptey having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Walter Westcott, of Dawlish, in the county of Devon, Printer and Newspaper Publisher, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of December, 1869, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings in the said bankruptcy having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Arthur Berryman, of Penzance, in the county of Cornwall, Surgeon, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of November, 1869, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings in the said bankruptcy having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Henry Ears White, of Shetterton, in the parish of Beer Regis, in the county of Dorset, Grocer and Baker, adjudi-

cated bankrupt on the 7th day of December, 1869, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings in the said bankruptcy having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

John Henry Parsons, of the New Market Inn, Goldsmith-street, in the city of Exeter, Innkeeper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of December, 1869, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings in the said bankruptcy having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

George Walters, of Pinhoe, in the county of Devon, formerly of Broad Clyst, in the same county, Corn and Seed Dealer and Licensed Victualler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of December, 1869, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptey, and the proceedings in the said bankruptey having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Durham, holden at Gateshead, before Henry Ingledew, Esq., Registrar:

Michael Streenen, of Prudboe-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Beerhouse Keeper, formerly of the Ship Inn, Highstreet, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Licensed Victualler, and previously of No. 22, Gibson-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Provision Dealer and Journeyman Brickmaker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of June, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Robert Laidlaw, of High-street, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Draper, and lately carrying on business at Gateshead aforesaid, as a Pawnbroker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of August, 1868. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Sussex, holden at Horsham, before Pulfold Medwin, Esq., the Registrar:

William Mason, of Manningsheath, in the parish of Nuthurst, in the county of Sussex, Builder and Stonemason, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of April, 1868. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 12th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Axminster, before the Registrar:

Thomas Game, of Combepyne, Devon, Farmer and Grower of Flax, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of June, 1868. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 12th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Albert Ryall, of Smalbridge, in the parish of Axminster, Devon, Baker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of December, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 12th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland, before Robt. K. A. Ellis, Esq., Registrar:

John Conqueror, of No. 42, Johnson-street, Bishopwear-mouth, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Glassmaker and Publican, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of November, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 18th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

At the said Meetings the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said respective meetings will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what Dividend shall be made, and whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts respectively. 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.