

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Joseph Spear, of Heathcote-street, Kidsgrove, in the county of Stafford, heretofore carrying on business in Well-street, Tunstall aforesaid, as an Earthenware Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of October, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 27th day of December, 1875, will be excluded.—Dated this 18th day of December, 1875.

Henry Wm. Achroll, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A Second and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Robert Hopkins, of No. 1, Saint George's-crescent, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and of West Kirby, in the county of Chester, Brush Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of J. H. Hopkins and Son, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of March, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 1st day of January, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1875.

Hy. Bolland, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.

A Second and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Thomas Brooks Crook, late of Radcliffe, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant and Estate and General Agent, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of May, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 5th day of January, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1875.

John Brierley, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Frederick Stevens Foster, of 65, Fore-street, in the city of London, Manager to a Mangle Manufacturer of the same place, Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Spring-Rice, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the Bankrupt, dated the 1st day of June, 1875, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can, according to his opinion, be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has, been realized, and, after payment of the proper costs and charges, there is no balance available for a dividend, and upon hearing Mr. Salamans, Solicitor for the said Trustee, and upon hearing Mr. Brough, of counsel for Mr. Buffen, a creditor who opposed the application, and upon reading the report of the Official Assignee, dated 9th of December instant, the Court being satisfied that so much of the bankrupt's property as can be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has been realized, and, after payment of the proper costs and charges, there remains no balance available for a dividend, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Frederick Stevens Foster has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of December, 1875.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Alexander Ford, of 75, Mark-lane, in the city of London, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Peppy, sitting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 10th day of May, 1875, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a first and final dividend of two shillings and three halfpence paid to them, and upon hearing Mr. Wilkins, Solicitor for the Trustee, and upon reading the affidavit of Alfred Oughton, filed the 21st day of December, 1875, and upon reading the report of Peter Paget, Esq., the Official Assignee, and no one

appearing to oppose, and the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of the said creditors, and a first and final dividend of two shillings and three halfpence paid to them, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Alexander Ford has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 21st day of December, 1875.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Frederick Richards, of Wilmslow, in the county of Chester, Civil Engineer, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 10th day of December, 1875, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, but that no dividend has been paid, the payments and expenses of and incident to the bankruptcy having exceeded the amount received by him, as appeared by the statement or account thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt had been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and that no dividend has been paid, and that the payments and expenses of and incident to the bankruptcy have exceeded the amount received by the Trustee, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Frederick Richards has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 21st day of December, 1875.]

THE estates of Robert Murray, Farmer, Hillside Farm, Aberdour, were sequestrated on 20th December, 1875, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated said 20th December, 1875.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Thursday, 30th December, 1875, in Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, 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 20th April, 1876.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Mid Lothian, and a Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt till the first meeting of creditors.

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

DAVID FORSYTH, S.S.C., Agent.

3, North Saint David-street, Edinburgh,
20th December, 1875.

THE estates of M. and M. Andreoli and Company, Carvers and Gilders, Greenside-street, Edinburgh, and of Margaret Houlden or Andreoli, residing at No. 2, Saint Mary-street, and Hugh Ronald, residing at No. 2, West Nicolson-street, both in Edinburgh, the Individual Partners of that Company, and as such Partners, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 21st day of December, 1875, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated 21st December, 1875.

The meeting to elect the Trustee or Trustees and Commissioners is to be held on Wednesday, the 29th day of December, 1875, at eleven o'clock, forenoon, within Messrs. Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, George-street, 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 21st day of April, 1876.

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

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

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