

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Morris Jones, formerly of No. 27, Hitchin-road, Luton, in the county of Bedford, but now of No. 1, Bedford-road, Luton aforesaid. Grocer and Tea Dealer.

**J**OHAN ROBERT BROWN, of 4, George-street, Luton, in the county of Bedford, and Edward Dewsham, of No. 44, Eastcheap, in the city of London, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 25th day of January, 1878.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle. **A** FIRST Dividend of 13s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Rowntree, of Brampton, in the county of Cumberland, Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of July, 1877, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. Thomas Forster, Solicitor, Brampton, Cumberland, on and after the 1st day of February, 1878.—Dated this 22nd day of January, 1878.

JOS. WM. FOSTER, Trustee.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes. **A** THIRD Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Henry Law Cooper, of Westham, in the county of Sussex, Clerk in Holy Orders, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of June, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Coles and Carr, Seaside-road, Eastbourne, in the said county of Sussex, on any day (Sundays excepted) after the 29th day of January, 1878, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and twelve o'clock at noon.—Dated this 26th day of January, 1878.

WM. BARBER, Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 13th February, 1862, against: Ernest Dawson, late of Pinner, Middlesex, now of Rose Bank Villa, Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Clerk in the Admiralty, Somerset House.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend at the rate of 8s. 9d., proportion of First and Second Dividends of 11s. 6d. in the pound, to New Proofs, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, 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 Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—January 28, 1878.

P. PAGET, Official Assignee.

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In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Walter Mitchell, of 12, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Walter Mitchell having been given, it is ordered that the said Walter Mitchell be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of January, 1878.

By the Court.

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Walter Mitchell is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to James Riggs Brougham, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

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In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Bruce, of Stanway, in the county of Essex, Farmer and Dealer in Cattle.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Bruce having been given, it is ordered that the said William Bruce be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 25th day of January, 1878.

By the Court.

J. S. Barnes, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Bruce is hereby summoned to be held at the Townhall, Colchester, on the 13th day of February, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

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In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Burnham, of South Normanton, in the county of Derby, Beerhouse Keeper, Grocer, and Butcher.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas Burnham having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas Burnham be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of January, 1878.

By the Court.

Geo. H. Weller, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Burnham is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Foul-street, Derby, on the 8th day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Henry Smurthwaite, of Shiney Row, in the county of Durham, Grocer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas Henry Smurthwaite having been given, and the said Thomas Henry Smurthwaite having consented in writing to an order of adjudication being made against him, it is ordered that the said Thomas Henry Smurthwaite be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of January, 1878.

By the Court.

William Marshall, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Henry Smurthwaite is hereby summoned to be held at the Offices of this Court, in Durham, on the 12th day of February, 1878, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

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In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and Godalming.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against T T Hodges, of Aldershot, in the county of Hants, Captain in Her Majesty's 76th Regiment.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said T T Hodges having been given, it is ordered that the said T T Hodges