

December, 1880, it is ordered that the said George Aston be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 22nd day of December, 1880.

By the Court,

*Wm. Keary, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Aston is hereby summoned to be held at the office of this Court, Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 14th day of January, 1881, 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 the Receiver. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Pidcock, of Bakewell, in the county of Derby, Grocer, Provision Merchant, and Ale and Porter Dealer.

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 George Pidcock having been given, it is ordered that the said George Pidcock be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 29th day of December, 1880.

By the Court,

*Geo. H. Weller, Registrar,*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Pidcock is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Offices, Full-street, Derby, on the 18th day of January, 1881, at half-past twelve 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.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Walter Shepherd and Francis John Upjohn, of 15, Holborn Viaduct, in the city of London, Music Publishers and Pianoforte Dealers, trading in copartnership as Shepherd, Cary, and Co., Bankrupts.

Charles George Lucas, of 20, Great Marlborough-street, in the county of Middlesex, Chartered Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 11th day of January, 1881, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1880.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, transferred from the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes and Eastbourne. In the Matter of Charles Smith, trading as C. J. Smith, of 6, the Colonnade, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, Draper, a Bankrupt.

Robert Pittman, of 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, on the 25th day of January, 1881, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1880.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings. In the Matter of Russell Munday, of 14, Alma-terrace, and Wellington-road, Silverhill, in the parish of St. Mary-in-the-Castle, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Frederick Cruttenden, of St. Leonard's-on-Sea, in the county of Sussex, Builder, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Market Hall, Hastings, on the 10th day of January, 1881, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their

possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1880.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Joseph Anthony Hofmann, of Nos. 14 and 15, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the style or firm of J. A. Hofmann and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of March, 1876.

James Casley Benwell, of No. 33, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, and Isaac John Hooper Wilkins, of No. 2, Billiter-street, in the city of London, Tobacco Broker, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, in the place of Frederick Carr, of No. 33, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the late trustee, who has been removed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the bankrupt 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 23rd day of December, 1880.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

ON the 21st day of January, 1881, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Patrick Keating, of No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Printer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of May, 1880, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1880.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, transferred from the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

A Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edward Munster de Bussche, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, and county of Hants, Steamship Owner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of March, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 10th day of January, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1880.

*Geo. A. Cape,*

*Fredk. B. Smart, Trustees.*

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Thomas Upton, of Idle, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, Stone Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of December, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 7th day of January, 1881, will be excluded.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1880.

*J. A. Heselson, Trustee.*

In the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District. In the Matter of Joseph Morgan, of the city of Hereford, Banker, and Francis Hamp Adams, of the town of Ross, in the county of Hereford, Banker, carrying on business together in copartnership as Bankers, under the style and title of the Hereford Old Bank, at Hereford, and the Ross and Archenfield Bank, at Ross, adjudicated Bankrupts on the 13th day of May, 1863, and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Francis Hamp Adams.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an adjourned Dividend Meeting of the above-named bankrupts will be held before Edwin Parry, Esq., one of the Registrars of the Court of Bankruptcy, at the Royal Hotel, Ross, in the county of Hereford, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January, 1881, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry Gale, of No. 1, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, formerly carrying on business as a Contractor, in copartnership with Edward William Barnett, of No. 3, Westminster-chambers aforesaid, and also of 54, Maddox-street, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 12th day of February, 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Lee Nichols and Thomas Leopold Fox, the Trustees of the estate of the above-named bankrupt, intend to apply to the Court on the 20th day of January, 1881, at eleven o'clock, for their release. And notice is also given, that a General Meeting of Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held on the 10th day of January, 1881, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, at the offices of Messrs. Trinders and Curtis-Hayward, of 14, Saint Helen's-place, in the city of London, Solicitors, to consider such application.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1880.

TRINDERS and CURTIS-HAYWARD, 14, Saint Helen's-place, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.