

## Bankruptcy of Charles Higgins

Court of Bankruptcy, London, May 10. (Before Mr. Commissioner Evans)

Re:- Higgins - Dividend Meeting

This was a dividend meeting and for the proof of debts under the bankruptcy of Charles Higgins of Salisbury, brewer and Maltster.

Mr. Woodward (Taylor and Woodward) appeared for the trade assignees, Mr. Thomas Trubridge, of Great Wishford, Wilts., gentleman, and Mr. Samuel Provis, of Salisbury, banker.

The failure took place on the 19th of March 1857, at which period the bankrupt owed to unsecured creditors, £3,477 14s. 3d.; and the same holding security, £7,568 12s. 5d. The total receipts have been £877 2s. 6d., out of which Mr. Johnson, the official assignee, has paid a dividend of 2s. 8d. in the £, upon proofs amounting to £6106 19s. 3d., leaving a balance in hand of £326 16s. 11d. The bankrupt's certificate was suspended for six months, on the 23rd of June, 1857.

The following additional proofs were admitted at this sitting, viz:- Mr. William Brown, of Salisbury, bookseller and stationer, £7 1s. 6d., Mr. Frederick Tabor, Burdensball, South Newton, Wilts, yeoman, £98 16s.; Mr. Walter Tucker, Salisbury, Wilts, £62 14s.; Mr. William Atkins, Fisherton Anger, Wilts, painter, £15 1s. 2d.; and Charles Marsh Lee, Salisbury, gentleman, £18 6s.

The further dividend was declared pro forma, and may be received in a few days, upon application to Mr. Johnson, the official assignee, Basinghall Street. After payment of expenses it is not expected to yield more than one shilling in the pound.

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