

effects of the Bankrupt, or any estate or effects taken under the Bankruptcy, or claimed by the assignees for the benefit of the creditors, or relating to any acts done or sought to be done by the assignees in their character of assignees (by virtue or under colour of the Bankruptcy), and also in any matter of Bankruptcy whatever, as between the assignees and any creditor or other person appearing and submitting to the jurisdiction of the Court, and also in any application for discharge, and generally in any matter where the Court, by virtue of this Act, has jurisdiction, save and except as may be by this Act otherwise specially provided, and subject in all cases to the appeal hereinafter provided.

15. The several Courts of Bankruptcy shall be auxiliary to each other for proof of debts, for the examination of persons or witnesses on oath, and for all other purposes under the provisions of this Act; provided, always, that all such examinations shall be taken down in writing, and shall be annexed to and form part of the proceedings in the matter to which the same shall relate, and that no such proof or examination shall be taken without the sanction of the Judge before whom the matter is being prosecuted.

Courts to be auxiliary to each other.

SITTINGS.

16. The Courts of Bankruptcy shall sit for despatch of business daily throughout the year, Monday and Tuesday in Easter Week, Her Majesty's Birth day and all legal Holidays, and also the times during which the Court of Appeal in Bankruptcy may be sitting excepted.

Sittings of the Courts.

REGISTRARS.

17. A Registrar shall be appointed by the Governor in Council for each Court of Bankruptcy who shall be called the Registrar for the Court of Bankruptcy for which he is appointed, and who shall hold office during pleasure.

Appointment of Registrar.

18. The Registrars shall have their offices in the several places in which the Courts for their respective Districts are held.

Where he shall have his office.

19. The Registrars shall keep their offices open for the transaction of business, from ten o'clock A. M., until three P. M. every day, except Sundays and legal holidays.

Office hours.

20. All Proceedings, Books, Papers and Documents constituting from time to time the Records of the Court, shall be kept by the several Registrars, and shall be open to the inspection of all persons on the payment of such fees, as by General Orders, may be directed.

His duties as regards the Records of the Court.