

entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1903.

STANLEY KENT and HENDERSON, 57, Basinghall-street, E.O., Solicitors for the said Executrix.

HIRAM BEARDER, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament, 22 and 23 Vict., c. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Hiram Bearder, late of 69, Undercliffe-street, in the city of Bradford, Grocer, deceased (who died on the 21st day of August, 1893, and whose will was proved by Sarah Ann Bearder, Edward Brook, and Walter Bearder, the executors therein named, on the 13th day of September, 1893, in the Wakefield District Registry of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of the claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor of the surviving executors, on or before the twenty-eighth day of May next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the surviving executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 25th day of April, 1903.

GEO. BEARDER, 10, Tanfield-chambers, Bradford, Solicitor for the surviving Executors.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, dated the 25th March, 1903, made in an action intituled "In the matter of the estate of Marianne Ridgway, Spinster, deceased, WILLIAMS v. RIDGWAY, 1903, R. No. 381," the creditors of the said Marianne Ridgway, late of "The Cecil" (late "Fernbrook"), Penmaenmawr, in the county of Carnarvon, Spinster, who died on the 26th day of November, 1901, are, on or before the 26th day of May, 1903, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. James Porter, of Conway, in the county of Carnarvon (a member of the firm of Porter and Amphlett, of the same place, Solicitors), the Solicitor of the defendant, the legal personal representative of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be preemptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same at the chambers of Mr. Justice Byrne and Mr. Justice Buckley, Room No. 298, at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on Wednesday, the 10th day of June, 1903, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated the 25th day of April, 1903.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS, BARHAM, and LAWFORD, 12, New-court, Carey-street, London, W.C.; Agents for PORTER and AMPHLETT, Conway, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

OSMAND, WILLIAM HENRY SEVILLE, Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, made by His Honour The Chief Justice, on the 29th day of August, 1902, in an action, No. 655, commenced by Originating Summons, intituled In the matter of the Will of William Henry Seville Osmand, deceased, between ARTHUR BENNETT, one of the executors of the said will, plaintiff, and EDWARD HORACE BOOTY and JAMES EDWARD BAKER, defendants, to determine who was or were the person or persons who at the time of the decease of the said William Henry Seville Osmand (late of "The Sycamores," near Stawell, in the State of Victoria, Grazier, deceased, who died on the 11th day of March, 1901, at "The Sycamores," near Stawell aforesaid), the next-of-kin of the said William Henry Seville Osmand, deceased, and who, under the Statutes for distribution of intestate effects, was or were entitled to his the said William Henry Seville Osmand's personal estate, if he had died intestate, and whether any of them are since dead, and, if so, who are their legal personal representatives. Notice is hereby

given, that any person or persons claiming to be at the time of the decease of the said William Henry Seville Osmand, deceased, the next-of-kin of the said William Henry Seville Osmand, deceased, and entitled under the Statutes for distribution of intestate effects to the personal estate of the said William Henry Seville Osmand, deceased, if he had died intestate, or the legal personal representatives of any of such next-of-kin as died after the decease of the said William Henry Seville Osmand, are by their Solicitors, on or before Thursday, the first day of October, 1903, to come in and prove their respective claims at the office of the Chief Clerk, Judges' Chambers, at the Law Courts, William-street, Melbourne, in the said State of Victoria, or in default thereof they will be preemptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Thursday, the fifteenth day of October, 1903, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

NOTE.—The testator William Henry Seville Osmand is supposed to have been born on the 10th April, 1824, and to have been baptised in the parish of Stoke Damerel, in the county of Devon, England, on the 6th May, 1824, as William Henry, the son of James and Elizabeth Osmand, of Devonport, who were married in the said parish on the 18th September, 1804. The father of the testator is described as a Surgeon in the Navy, and is believed to have died at Ridgway, Plympton St. Mary, Plympton, in Devon aforesaid, on the 26th February, 1849. The mother of the testator is stated to have been Elizabeth, the daughter of George Baker, of Chatham, in England, and Mary (née Howell), his wife, and she is stated to have died on the 26th October, 1842, at Ridgway aforesaid. The testator subsequently came to Victoria, and lived at "The Sycamores," near Stawell aforesaid, for about thirty-five years, and became a member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria.—Dated the fifth day of March, 1903.

G. H. NEIGHBOUR, K.C., Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.

HILL and TALBOT, 442, Chancery-lane, Melbourne; Agents for

A. C. PALMER and SON, Thomson-street, Hamilton, in Victoria, Solicitors for the above named Plaintiff.

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In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 11th day of December, 1902, by JOHN WILLIAM DURRAD, of York-buildings, York-road, in the county borough of Leicester, Leather Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First and Final Dividend is about to be declared in the above matter. Any person or persons having claims against the above named debtor are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to me, the undersigned Trustee, at 20, Friar-lane, Leicester, on or before the 6th day of May, 1903, in default of which the estate will be distributed by me, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1903.

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E. P. STEEDS, Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, dated the 28th day of May, 1902, executed by JAMES HATTON HALL, GEOFFREY CECIL SWIRE, and ROBERT PERCY WHITHAM, all of No. 34, Pall Mall, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and of No. 14, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, and of Calcutta, in the Empire of India, trading in partnership as Merchants, under the style or firm of "J. Hatton Hall and Co.," the said James Hatton Hall residing at Reddish Hall, Lymm, in the county of Chester; the said Geoffrey Cecil Swire, residing at Broadleish, Urmston, in the said county of Lancaster; and the said Robert Percy Whitham, residing at "Elsteme," Toft-road, Knutsford, in the county of Chester.

THE separate creditors of the above named Robert Percy Whitham, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before the 16th day of May, 1903, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to Stanley Pearson, of No. 13, Spring-gardens, in the said city of Manchester, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1903.

SALE and CO., 29, Booth-street, Manchester Solicitors for the said Trustee.

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