

Re JAMES MELLOR, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Mellor, late of 25, Bath-street, Huddersfield, in the county of York, deceased (who died on the 10th day of April, 1914, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of May, 1914, by the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 10th day of February, 1915, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they 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 they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1915.

F. LEONARD, Vance's Chambers, Cloth Hall-street, Huddersfield, Solicitor for the said Executors.

EDWIN WILLIAM JONES BRIDGE, a British born subject, heretofore called and known by the name of Edwin William Jones Briegel, residing at 66, Frances-road, Windsor, in the county of Berks, hereby give public notice, that on the seventh day of January, 1915, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished and abandoned the use of my said surname "Briegel," and then assumed and adopted and determined thenceforth on all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of Edwin William Jones Bridge, instead of the said name of Edwin William Jones Briegel; and I further give notice, that by a deed poll, dated the seventh day of January, 1915, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court, on the eighth day of January, 1915, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the said surname of "Briegel," and declared that I had assumed and adopted, and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of Edwin William Jones Bridge, instead of Edwin William Jones Briegel, and so as to be at all times hereafter called, known and described by the name of Edwin William Jones Bridge accordingly.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1915.

EDWIN WILLIAM JONES BRIDGE.

SOPHY CHARLOTTE FRANCES ROSE, the Wife of Major John Rose, of 14, Sloane-court, in the county of London, do hereby give notice, that in compliance with the will, dated the twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, of John Lloyd, of Rhagatt, in the county of Merioneth, Esquire, deceased, which was proved on the twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at St. Asaph, I have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and be called and known by the surname of Lloyd only, in lieu of and substitution for my present surname of Rose, and that such intended change or assumption of name is formally declared and evidenced by a deed poll under my hand and seal, dated the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and which has been duly enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, in testimony whereof I do hereby sign and subscribe myself by such my intended future name.—Dated this fifteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

SOPHY C. F. LLOYD.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the Matter of the trusts of the will of EDWARD MAAS, deceased, and in an action of Barratt against Maas (1914, M. 2032), and dated the 30th November, 1914, whereby the following inquiry was directed, namely:—"1. An inquiry whether Hermann Edward Maas, a Son of, and named in the will of, the above named testator, is living or dead, and, if he is dead, at what date he died, and who is his personal representative, and whether he left any wife or child or children him surviving, and whether such wife, child or children (if any) or any of them is or are now living." The said Hermann Edward Maas, if living, or, if dead, all

persons claiming to be entitled under the said inquiry is or are, by himself or themselves, or by his or their Solicitors, on or before the 22nd March, 1915, to come in and prove his or their claim or claims at the Chambers of the Judge, Room No. 288, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, W.C., and to enter his or their names in a book kept for that purpose in Room No. 287, at the said Royal Courts of Justice, or in default thereof he or they will be pre-emptorily excluded from the benefit of any order to be made in the said action. Tuesday, the 30th March, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Chambers of the Judge, Room No. 288, at the said Royal Courts of Justice, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated the 7th day of January, 1915.

SAMUEL A. M. SATOW, Master.

NOTE.—The said Hermann Edward Maas left England in 1903 for Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, and was last heard of in Cape Town, in 1904.

EDWARD BETTELEY, 23, Surrey-street, Victoria-embankment, London, W.C., Plaintiffs' Solicitor.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.
The COWPEN COAL COMPANY Limited.
Special Resolution.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Cowpen Coal Company Limited, duly convened, and held at the offices of the Company, Exchange Buildings, King-street, in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 3rd day of December, 1914, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 31st day of December, 1914, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the following Articles be substituted for Articles 18 and 19 of the Articles of Association of the Company (namely):

"18. The directors may from time to time, at their discretion, raise or borrow or secure the payment of any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, including power to overdraw the banking account of the Company, and the directors may raise or secure the payment or repayment of such sum or sums in such manner and upon such terms and conditions in all respects as they think fit, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock of the Company charged upon all or any part of the property of the Company (both present and future), including its uncalled capital for the time being.

"19. Debentures, debenture stock, and other securities may be made assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued, and any debentures, debenture stock, bonds or other securities may be issued at a discount, premium, or otherwise, and with any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, attending and voting at general meetings of the Company, appointment of directors, and otherwise."

CLAYTON and GIBSON, Solicitors for the said Cowpen Coal Company Limited.

NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND Limited.

15, Bishopsgate, London, E.C.
11th January, 1915.

THE Directors of the National Provincial Bank of England Limited hereby give notice, that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held on Thursday, the 26th day of January next, at the hour of twelve precisely, at the Bank premises, 15, Bishopsgate, in the city of London.

The books will be closed for the preparation of dividend on the 18th inst., and reopened on the 25th inst., the dividend being payable on the 4th February next.

THOMAS ESTALL, } Joint
D. J. H. CUNNICK, } General Managers.
FRED. ELEY, }

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, dated the 9th day of March, 1914, and executed by EVELYN ANNIE BRYAN, of Southleigh, in the county of Oxford, and CHARLES REGINALD THOMPSON, of 15, Tabley-road, Holloway, in the county of London.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a first dividend is about to be declared in the above Matter. Any person or persons having claims against the above