

thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 14th day of February, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, at the said Chambers (Room No. 154), is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated the 21st day of December, 1920.

RICH. WHITE, Master.

NOTE.—The persons more particularly inquired for are Mary Hawkes and Eliza Holmes (née Hawkes), Daughters of Mary and Edward Hawkes (who were married in 1818), the last named Mary Hawkes having been born in Broughton, Oxfordshire.

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**P**URSUANT to a judgment of the High Court of Justice in England, Chancery Division, in an action of Geake v. Geake, 1919, G. 611, dated the 21st November, 1919, and of an Order in the said action, dated the 13th December, 1920, dispensing with service of the notice of the said judgment upon FRANK PERCY CHARLES LUCAS, and any person claiming by, through or under him, the said Frank Percy Charles Lucas, and any person claiming by, through or under him, and all persons claiming to be interested in the property to which this action relates, who are not parties to the said action or have not been served with notice of the said judgment, are hereby required to come in and establish their respective claims in respect thereof at the Chambers of the Judge, at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, England, on or before the 6th April, 1921, and to enter their names in a book kept for that purpose in Room No. 164, at the said Royal Courts of Justice, or in default thereof they will, after the expiration of the time so limited, be bound by the proceedings in the said action as if they had been served with notice of the said judgment. Wednesday, the 13th day of April, 1921, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, Room No. 162, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1920.

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H. HUGHES-ONSLAW, Master.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Astbury.

No. 00475 of 1920.

In the Matter of The BRITISH OXYGEN COMPANY Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition was, on the 15th day of December, 1920, presented to His Majesty's High Court of Justice by the above named Company to confirm an alteration of the said Company's objects proposed to be effected by a Special Resolution of the said Company passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, held on the 9th day of November, 1920, and confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, held on the 24th day of November, 1920, and which Resolution is as follows:—

That the provisions of the memorandum of association of the Company with respect to the objects of the Company be altered as follows, that is to say:—

By inserting in paragraph (B) of Clause 3 immediately after the word "places" the words "(whether at home or abroad)" and by substituting in that paragraph the words "developing the business of the Company or" for the word "verifying."

By inserting in paragraph (D) of Clause 3 the word "inventions" immediately prior to the word "patents" wherever the word "patents" occurs in that paragraph.

By inserting immediately after the said paragraph (D) the two new paragraphs following, that is to say:—

"(D<sup>1</sup>) To carry on the businesses of manufacturing and compressing oxygen, hydrogen, nitrogen, carbonic acid and any other gases or kindred substances, or any compounds thereof by any process, and of selling or applying such gases, substances and compounds or any of them to such purposes as the Company may from time to time think desirable, and also to carry on the businesses of engineers, contractors, manufacturing chemists and analysts, and to manufacture, buy, sell,

let on hire and deal in engines, cylinders, compressors, machines and other apparatus and conveniences which may seem calculated to promote (directly or indirectly) the consumption of gases, or to enhance the value of, or render profitable, any of the Company's properties or rights."

"(D<sup>2</sup>) To manufacture and deal in metals, substances and materials of all kinds (including glass) which may be usefully or conveniently employed in the manufacture of receivers for compressed or liquefied or other gases, and all machinery, appliances, tools, articles and things used or capable of being used for closing or in the manufacture of appliances for closing such receivers or for closing or stoppering bottles or for liberating the gases or other contents of any such receivers or the tools required for or used in the manufacture of any such articles or things or for any of the purposes aforesaid."

By substituting the following paragraph for paragraph (G) of Clause 3, that is to say:—

"(G) To purchase or otherwise acquire shares or securities of any company having objects altogether or in part similar to those for the time being of this Company, or the option to acquire any such shares or securities, and to pay for the same in fully or partly paid shares of this Company or in cash or debentures issued by this Company or in all or any of these or such other methods as may be considered desirable."

By inserting immediately after paragraph (G) the three new paragraphs following, that is to say:—

"(G<sup>1</sup>) To purchase or otherwise acquire the whole or any part of the business, assets, and undertaking of any such company as aforesaid, or of any person or firm engaged in any business similar to any business for the time being carried on by this Company, and to pay for the same in any such manner as aforesaid."

"(G<sup>2</sup>) To agree with any company, person or persons for the surrender or cancellation by such company, person or persons, of any option to take or acquire shares in any company in which this Company for the time being holds, or has agreed to acquire or proposes to acquire, shares and to pay the consideration for such surrender or cancellation in any such manner as aforesaid."

"(G<sup>3</sup>) To lend money to any person or company (and in particular to any company in which this Company for the time being holds shares) upon such terms as may seem expedient, and to guarantee the performance of any contracts by any such person or company, or the payment of any debt incurred by any such person or company."

By striking out of paragraph (K) of Clause 3 the words "but so that no such payment division or distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made without the sanction of the Court if requisite."

By inserting immediately after paragraph (L) of Clause 3 the following new paragraph, that is to say:—

"And it is hereby declared and the intention is that the objects specified in each paragraph of this clause defining the objects of this Company shall, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph."

And notice is further given, that the said petition is directed to be heard before his Lordship, Mr. Justice Astbury, at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on Tuesday the 18th day of January, 1921. Any person interested in the said Company, whether as debenture holder, creditor, or otherwise, desirous of opposing the making of an order for the confirmation of the said alteration under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his Counsel, for the purpose; and he is required to give notice, in writing, on or before the 14th January, 1921, of his intention so to appear, with the grounds of his objection, to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said Company. A copy of the said petition will be furnished to any such person requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated the 30th day of December, 1920.

SHARP and BENEST, 11, Arundel-street, Strand, London, W.C. 2, Solicitors for the above named Company.

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In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and in the Matter of the EDNOR MANUFACTURING COMPANY Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by an Order of the High Court of Justice, Companies (Winding-up) Division, dated Monday, the 6th day of December, 1920, Alfred George Westacott, of 155, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C. 3, Accountant, was ap-