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In the Supreme Court  
of Victoria.

In its Probate jurisdiction

In the Estate of  
Margaret Pollard  
Bowler late of Melbourne  
in the Colony of Victoria  
spinster deceased Intestate

Final Account.



HENRY WESTLEY,  
SOLICITOR &c,  
280 COLLINS STREET,  
MELBOURNE.

In the Supreme Court }  
of the Colony of Victoria }

## In its Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of Margaret Rollock Bowler  
late of Melbourne in the Colony of Victoria Spinster deceased  
Intestate -

Final Account shewing Receipts and Disbursements and Portions of Estate retained by the Administrator.

<u>Receipts.</u>		<u>Disbursements.</u>	
1895		1895.	
June 10 <sup>th</sup>	To Cash received from Brake and Gair, being principal and interest due under Deposit Receipts, numbers 2623, 2484, and 2753 on the 4 <sup>th</sup> .		
	Victorian Building Society	286 : 9 : 0	
July 2 <sup>nd</sup>	To Cash from Trustees, Mrs. Brady's Settlement being deceased's vested interest in one moiety of the funds settled	220 : 10 : 0	
			By Cash paid Henry Westley } Probate Duty and fee paid } 10 : 0 : 0
			June 21 <sup>st</sup> By Cash paid Henry Westley } Costs of Application &c. } 28 : 17 : 2
			28 <sup>th</sup> By Cash paid Mrs A. L. Buchanan on account, her interest in the estate } 35 : 0 : 0
			By Cash paid Mrs N. Hitchens, on account her interest in the estate } 35 : 0 : 0
			By Cash paid Mrs G. E. Knosc, on account her interest in the estate. } 35 : 0 : 0
			By Cash paid Equity Trustees Company Ltd. being commission on corpus of estate £686 @ 2½% } 14 : 3 : 0
		July 5 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash paid Mrs H. Hitchens } balance of her share of estate. } 39 : 16 : 2
			By Cash paid Mrs G. E. Knosc, } balance of her share of estate. } 39 : 16 : 2
			By Cash paid Mrs A. L. Buchanan } balance of her share of estate } 39 : 16 : 2
			Forward 280 : 8 : 8
		Forward 506 : 19 : 0	

Brought forward 506:19:0

Brought forward 280:8:8

By Cash paid John Bowler, his } share of estate. } 44:16:1

July 19<sup>th</sup> By Cash paid C.A. Matthews estate, } its share of estate. } 44:16:1

1896. June 19<sup>th</sup> By Cash paid Henry Westley cost } of preparing and filing 15 months } account herem. } 2:2:0

To portion of Estate retained, } being share due to the estate of } deceased's mother } 44:16:2

£ 506:19:0

Corrected  
J. Fox 21/6/1916

£ 506:19:0

Dated this twentysecond day of June 1896.

Helen Sydney Hitchens  
Administrator  
BY HER ATTORNEY UNDER POWER.  
THE EQUITY TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS  
AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED

Joel. Fox.  
Manager

In the Supreme Court } IN ITS PROBATE JURISDICTION.  
OF VICTORIA.

IN THE Estate of Margaret Pollock Bowler  
late of Melbourne in the Colony of Victoria  
Spinster deceased.

I Helen Sydney Hitchens  
of Cotham Road Kew in the Colony of Victoria  
Married Woman make oath and say—

1. That the paper-writing hereunto annexed marked "A" contains a true statement of all and singular the real and personal estate of or to which the above-named deceased was at the time of her death possessed or entitled that the values thereof as therein set forth are the true and full values of the several particulars therein mentioned respectively and that the liabilities therein stated are justly due thereon and that the balance of One hundred and eighty six  
Pounds nine shillings

therein appearing is the full net value of the said real and personal estate.

(c) If any such  
conveyance or  
transfer was  
made deponent  
to state date  
thereof name of  
transferee  
amount or  
nature of con-  
sideration and  
description of  
property.

2. That to the best of my knowledge information and belief the said deceased did not within the space of two years preceding the date of her death convey or otherwise dispose of for other than adequate valuable consideration any real or personal property of which she was seized or possessed.

3. That the only persons entitled to a distribution of the said estate are Georgina Elizabeth Knosc, Wife of Robert William Knosc of Glen Ryan Road Brunswick in the said Colony, Alice Leighton Buchanan, Wife of Samuel Buchanan of Ballarat East in the said Colony, John Bowler of Herberton in the Colony of Queensland and myself this deponent.

Sworn at Melbourne in the Colony  
of Victoria this 29<sup>th</sup> day of March  
One thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Before me

W. H. Whittaker

Helen Sydney Hitchens

A Commissioner of the Supreme Court of Victoria for taking Affidavits.

IN THE SUPREME COURT  
OF VICTORIA.

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PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE Estate of Margaret Pollock Bowler late of  
Melbourne in the Colony of Victoria Spinster  
deceased Intestate.

The assets must under the Rule gazetted on the 4th May, 1888, be set down  
under the following heads, viz.—PERSONAL ESTATE—Landed property held under  
lease or license from the Crown—Rents—Crops—Live Stock—Farming Implements  
—Carriages &c.—Harness and Saddlery—Furniture—Watches, Trinkets, Jewellery,  
&c.—Money in hand or house—Money in bank—Current Account—Money in hand  
—Money on deposit—Interest—Debentures—Mortgages—Mortgages Interest—Life  
Policies—Bonus—Shares—Dividends—Plant, &c.—Tools—Debts due to the Estate—  
Stock in a shop or business—Goodwill—Interest in a deceased person's estate.

ASSETS—REAL ESTATE.

25 May 1897  
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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

ASSETS							LIABILITIES						

This is the paper-writing marked "A" referred to in the annexed affidavit of

Helen Sydney Hitchens  
Sworn this 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 1895

Before me

W. Haynes

A Commissioner of the Supreme Court of Victoria  
for taking Affidavits.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT  
OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE ESTATE OF *Margaret Pollock Bowler* late  
of Melbourne in the Colony  
of Victoria *Douglas*

deceased intestate.

AFFIDAVIT OF ADMINISTRATRIX.



H.WESTLEY. [REDACTED]

SOLICITOR,

260 Collins Street,  
Melbourne.

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In the Supreme Court }  
OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE ESTATE OF Margaret Pollock Bowler  
late of Melbourne in the Colony of  
Victoria Spouse deceased Intestate

I Helen Sydney Hitchens  
of Cotham Road ~~She~~ in the Colony of Victoria  
Married woman make oath and say—

1. That the above-named Margaret Pollock Bowler  
deceased died on the Fifth day of May One thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-seven at Melbourne  
intestate. W<sup>h</sup>

2. That the said deceased left real estate in the Colony of Victoria ~~not exceeding in value the sum of~~  
~~but left~~ personal property in the said  
Colony not exceeding in value the sum of One hundred and eighty six pounds  
~~nine shillings~~ making together the sum of One hundred and eighty six pounds nine  
shillings.

3. That the said deceased left her surviving Helen Sydney Hitchens of Cotham  
Road aforesaid, married woman, Georgina Elizabeth Knosc, Wife of  
Robert William Knosc of Glen Ryan Road Brunswick in the said  
Colony, Alice Leighton Buchanan, Wife of Samuel Buchanan  
of Ballarat East in the said Colony, Sisters, and John  
Bowler of Herberton in the Colony of Queensland, brother,  
of the said deceased.

(That both her Father & Mother being deceased)  
who are her only surviving next of kin entitled by law to share in her property.

4. That I am the Eldest sister of the said deceased and as such I claim to be entitled to administration of  
her estate.

5. That I have made careful inquiry and search but am unable to find any Will of the said deceased.

6. That to the best of my knowledge information and belief the said deceased did not within the space of  
two years preceding the date of her death convey or otherwise dispose of for other than adequate valuable  
consideration any real or personal property of which she was seized or possessed.

7. That if I obtain Administration I will well and truly collect and administer according to law to the best  
of my knowledge and ability the property lands and hereditaments goods chattels and credits of the said  
deceased at the time of her death which at any time after shall come to the power or control hands or  
possession of me as her administratrix or of any other person or persons for me and that I will make or  
cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the property lands and hereditaments goods

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In the Supreme Court

OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

PROBATE JURISDICTION

In the Estate of Margaret Pollock  
late of Melbourne  
in the Colony of Victoria  
Opinster  
deceased, *intestate*

ORDER ACCEPTING Bond of The Equity  
Trustees Executors and Agency Company  
Limited, in lieu of usual sureties.

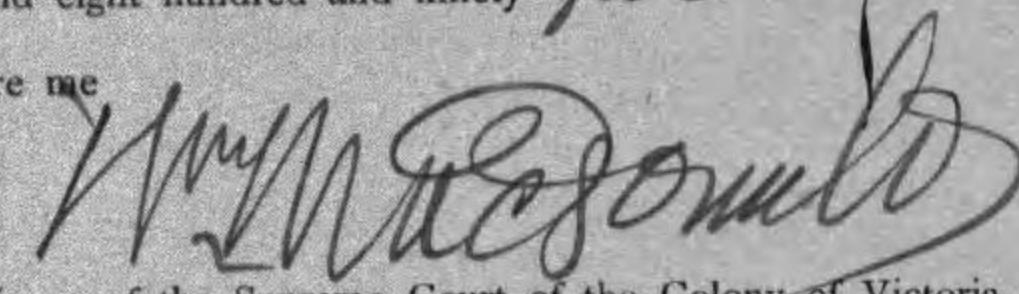


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chattels and credits of the said deceased which shall have come to the hands possession or knowledge of me or to the hands or possession of any other person or persons for me and the same so made will sign with my proper handwriting and will exhibit and deposit or cause to be exhibited and deposited the same inventory in the office of the Master-in-Equity within three calendar months next ensuing the order granting Administration and further that I will make or cause to be made a true and just account of the administration of the estate which I have undertaken as to my receipts and disbursements and as to what portion is retained by me and what portion remains uncollected and the same so made will sign with my proper handwriting and will exhibit and deposit or cause to be exhibited and deposited the same account in the said office of the Master-in-Equity within fifteen calendar months next ensuing the order granting Administration.

Sworn at Melbourne in the Colony  
of Victoria this Twenty-first day of March  
One thousand eight hundred and ninety-five

Before me



A Commissioner of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria for taking Affidavits.



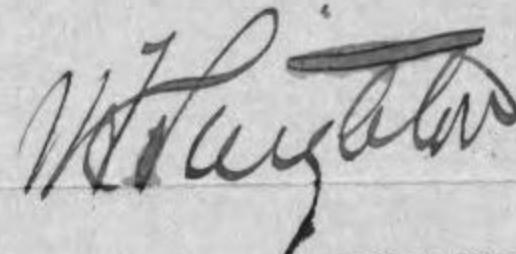
In the Supreme Court  
OF VICTORIA. } PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE ESTATE of Margaret Pollock Bowler  
late of Melbourne in the Colony of  
Victoria Spinstress deceased, intestate.

BEFORE THE REGISTRAR

Mr Justice day of April 1895.

UPON APPLICATION this day made by the Proctor for the  
Applicant and UPON READING the "Government Gazette" of  
15th February 1889 p. 597 notifying the approval by the Governor  
in Council of the security of THE EQUITY TRUSTEES  
EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED under  
the provisions of the Administration and Probate Act I do order  
that the Bond of the said The Equity Trustees Executors and  
Agency Company Limited be accepted in this matter in lieu of the  
usual sureties.



REGISTRAR OF PROBATES.

In the <sup>57</sup>~~Supreme~~<sup>291</sup> Court  
of the Colony of Victoria.

Probate Jurisdiction.

~~In the Estate of Margaret~~  
Pollock Bowler late of  
Melbourne in the Colony of  
Victoria Spinster deceased  
intestate.

Praecipe for Grant of  
Letters of Administration,  
to Helen Sydney Hitchens,  
of Cotham Road Kew, in the Colony  
of Victoria, Married woman, the  
Eldest sister of the above deceased

Grant  
224, 8/4/95  
(M.224) 

**HENRY WESTLEY,**  
SOLICITOR &c.  
260 COLLINS STREET,  
MELBOURNE.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT  
OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

IN ITS PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE *Estate of Margaret  
Pollock Hawker* late  
of Melbourne in the Colony  
of Victoria *Spouse* deceased,  
*Intestate.*

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE  
AND OF SEARCHES.**



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H. WESTLEY. [REDACTED]

SOLICITORS,

200 Collins Street,  
Melbourne.

In the Supreme Court } IN ITS PROBATE JURISDICTION.  
OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

IN THE Estate of Margaret  
Pollock Bowler late of Melbourne  
in the Colony of Victoria Spinster deceased

I, Arthur Howard Westley  
of 260 Collins Street Melbourne  
in the Colony of Victoria Clerk to Henry Westley  
of the same place Solicitor  
make oath and say—

1. That the following advertisement duly appeared in the *Argus* newspaper published in Melbourne on the *Twenty fifth* day of *March 1895* namely

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof application will be made to the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria in its Probate Jurisdiction

that Letters of Administration of the Estate of Margaret Pollock Bowler late of Melbourne in the Colony of Victoria Spinster deceased Intestate may be granted to Helen Sydney Hitchins of Cotham road Kew in the said Colony married woman, the eldest sister of the said deceased.

Dated this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *March* *1895*  
*Henry Westley, Solicitor 260 Collins Street Melbourne.*

2. That I have searched and find that no Will of the above-named deceased is deposited in the Office of the Registrar-General.
3. That I have this day searched in the proper office of this Honorable Court and find that no caveat is lodged in this matter.

SWORN at *Melbourne* in the  
Colony of Victoria this *21<sup>st</sup>* day  
of *April* One thousand eight  
hundred and ninety-five

*A.H. Westley.*

Before me *W.M. McDonald*

A Commissioner of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria for taking Affidavits.