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HODGINS, MASTER IN ORDINARY.

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MASTER'S OFFICE.

CAMERON v. PETERS.

Partnership—Dissolution—Reference to Take Accounts—Partnership Articles—Covenant for Payment of Specified Sum—Lien for—Report of Master—Special Circumstance.

Reference to the Master in Ordinary in a partnership action.

S. Alfred Jones, for plaintiff.

W. B. Laidlaw, for defendant.

The Master:—By partnership articles dated 17th February, 1904, plaintiff and defendant entered into a co-partnership in the trade or business of manufacturers of shoe and leather dressing and other specialties, under the name, style, and firm of "The Maple Leaf Brand Shoe and Leather Dressing Company," for the term of 3 years from the said date, at No. 617 Queen street west, in the city of Toronto.

By a notice in writing dated 1st February, 1906, defendant served notice on plaintiff that the partnership should cease at the expiration of 15 days from that date. And by judgment dated 12th February of the same year the partnership was declared to be dissolved, and Mr. E. R. C. Clarkson was appointed receiver, and the usual partnership accounts were directed to be taken.

Clause 2 of the partnership articles was as follows: "2. That the said co-partners shall each contribute towards the capital stock of the co-partnership, as follows: the said

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