

shall be established; or the said court may require said fiduciary to hold or transfer and deliver to a trustee or receiver to be appointed by it the share or shares to which such unknown person or persons would be entitled if in existence to be held, and the income thereof accumulated for such time as the said court may direct, in order to afford full opportunity for such unknown person or persons to appear and assert their rights, and may order the delivery or distribution thereof whenever said unknown persons shall appear and establish their rights thereto, or when it shall be convinced that there are no unknown persons entitled to any share of said property; and the said court may defer the passage of the said decree from time to time if it shall deem it necessary in cases of doubt as to the existence of persons who may be entitled, but the discretion of the said court as to requiring bond and deferring the passage of said decree and withholding and accumulating shares shall be subject to review by the court of appeals; and any fiduciary making distribution or delivery of any property in obedience to such decree or order shall be protected from any claim in respect thereof by such unknown person or persons, his, her or their heirs, personal representatives or assigns.

As to the payment of debts and distribution by administrators under the jurisdiction of the orphans' court, see art. 93, secs. 122 and 148.

An. Code, sec. 211. 1906, ch. 373.

226. Whenever any fiduciary shall have property to distribute or deliver, and there shall be persons entitled to shares thereof, or whose rights therein will be affected by such distribution or delivery, and such persons shall be known to such fiduciary to be in existence, but it shall not be known to said fiduciary whether said persons are residents of this State or not, or if residents of this State where they may be served with the process of the court, they may, by special leave of the court upon good cause shown, be proceeded against as non-residents; and if their names be not known to such fiduciary, they may be described as nearly as practicable.

An. Code, sec. 212. 1906, ch. 373.

227. The said court may assign counsel to protect the interest of such supposed unknown person or persons known to exist whose names or places of residence are unknown, and that the fees of such counsel shall be fixed by the court, and be paid out of said property or such part thereof as the court shall determine ought to bear the same.

An. Code, sec. 213. 1906, ch. 373.

228. The three preceding sections shall not be interpreted as a repeal or construction of existing law, or of the jurisdiction and powers of courts of equity, and the remedy hereby provided is intended to be additional to and not in substitution for any other existing remedy.

An. Code, sec. 214. 1908, ch. 69.

229. Nothing in sections 225 to 228 of this article shall in any manner affect the rights of any person or persons who may have become entitled