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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will
 State of Minnesota, County of Carver
 In the matter of the estate of Augusta Hesse, Decedent.
 The State of Minnesota to Frieda A. B. Miller, Corollia Dressel, all persons interested in the allowance and probate of will of said decedent: The petition of Frieda A. B. Miller being duly filed in this court, representing that Augusta Hesse then a resident of the county of Carver, state of Minnesota, died on the 2 day of July, 1916, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters of testamentary be issued therein to Jas. J. Ponsford. Now Therefore, You, And Each Of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the probate court rooms, in the court house, in the city of Chaska in the county of Carver, state of Minnesota, on the 4th day of August 1916, at 10 o'clock p. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
 Witness the honorable John Glaeser, Judge of said court and seal of said court this 11th day of July, 1916.
 (seal) John Glaeser, Judge,
 First pub. July 13-16

PRINTER'S AFFIDAVIT.

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State of Minnesota } ss
 COUNTY OF CARVER

C. C. Stearns being duly sworn, says that he

is, and during all the time herein mentioned, has been the printer and publisher of a weekly newspaper known as the CARVER COUNTY NEWS; that said paper is a collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, consisting of general and local news, comments and literary items; that during all the time for six years last past newspaper has been and is now published in the English language, in Carver County, Minnesota, at an established office therein, equipped with the necessary material and skilled workmen for printing the same, and that said newspaper has been during all of said time and now is printed in part in an office in said County, where the same is dated; that said newspaper during all of said time has had and now has a general circulation throughout the said Carver County, and during all of said time has consisted, and now consists of not less than four pages of six columns to each page, each column not less than seventeen and three-quarters inches long; that during all of said time there has been and now is published and delivered weekly at each regular issue more than 250 complete copies of said paper to paying subscribers; that said paper is not substantially a duplicate of any other publication and is not made up wholly of patents and plates and advertisements; that the publisher of said paper did file with the County Auditor of said county, on the 22nd day of April, 1893, the affidavit required by Sec. 2 of Chap. 33, of the General Laws of 1893, of the State of Minnesota. That the annexed printed

Cit for Hearing on Pet for Prob of Will hereto attached and made a part hereof, was cut from the columns of said newspaper and was published in said newspaper for 3 successive weeks, once in each week; that said notice was first published in said newspaper on Thursday, the 13 day of July A. D. 1916 and was thereafter published in said newspaper on each and every Thursday until and including Thursday the 27 day of July A. D. 1916 (3 insertions) and that during all of said period said newspaper was published on Thursday of each week.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of

July A. D. 1916
Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.
 My commission expires Jan. 4, 1923.

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse,
Decedent.

FINAL DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 1st day of March, 1918, upon the petition of the representative of said estate for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

The representative of said estate appeared in person
and no one appeared in opposition

Upon said hearing, and due consideration of said petition and said final account and the evidence produced at said hearing, the arguments of counsel and all persons interested therein, and the files and records in said matter, the court finds the following facts:

FIRST—That notice of said hearing has been duly given and served as required by law and the citation of this court for said hearing made and filed on the 30th day of January, 1918, and that said citation has been published as required by law in
The Carver County News

SECOND—That the said estate has been in all respects fully administered, the expenses of the administration thereof, of the last sickness and burial of said decedent, and all debts of said decedent and claims against her estate, have been fully paid and satisfied, and that said representative has filed his final account herein which has been settled and allowed by the Court.

(1)

THIRD—That said decedent died testate on the 2nd day of July, 1916 and at the time of her said death was a resident of Watertown in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota.

FIFTH—That the following named persons are the Residuary legatees

(2)

and are the persons entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent,

by the terms of her last Will and Testament (3)

to-wit: Frieda A. B. Miller and Carolina Dressel daughters

of said decedent.

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of Jas. J. Ponsford, as

representative of said estate, and by virtue of the power and authority vested in this court by law, IT

IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, and the said court does hereby ORDER, AD-

JUDGE AND DECREE, that all and singular the above described property, together with all other

estate of said decedent in the State of Minnesota, be, and the same hereby is, assigned to and vested

in the above named persons, in the following proportions and estates, to-wit:

To said Lena Dressel, for her own use and benefit the sum of
\$2000.00 in this sum the notes are included as mentioned in the
Last Will and Testament of decedent. And

To said Lena Dressel the undivided one half of the remainder
being the sum of \$265.49.

To said Frieda A. B. Miller, all the household furniture and
personal effects of said estate and also the sum of \$265.49

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the said above named person^s, their heirs and assigns; without prejudice, however, to any lawful conveyance of said property or any part thereof by said person^s, or any of them, made.



WITNESS, THE HONORABLE John Glaeser
Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 1st day of
... March 19.18

.....
Judge of Probate.

- Note (1) Insert "payment of legacies," if any there be.
Note (2) Insert "residuary legatees and devisees," or "sole heirs at law," as the case may be.
Note (3) Insert "by the terms of his last will and testament" or "by law," as the case may be.

No. 2302

In Probate Court
County of Carver.

In The Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Morse
Decedent.

**Final Decree Assigning
Residue of Estate.**

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

I, Judge of the Probate Court of said County do hereby certify that I have compared the within Final Decree, in the matter of said estate, with the original Final Decree on file and of record in the Probate Court of said County aforesaid, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original Final Decree and Record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, and signed my name, this day of

To,

Judge of Probate.

Filed this 1st day of

March 1918, and recorded
in Order Book of

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John Glaeser
Judge of Probate

No. 285

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Augusta Hesse Deceased:

Whereas, It has been made to appear to the satisfaction of this court that
Jas. J. Ponsford,
as Executor of the above named estate has fully complied with all the terms and conditions
of the final decree of distribution of said estate duly made and filed in this court, and has paid over to the
distributees named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded by said final decree,
and has fully complied with all other orders and decrees of this Court relating to said estate, and has
in all things well, faithfully and fully administered said estate as such Executor

It is Therefore Ordered and Decreed, That said Executor
of said estate and the sureties on his bond, be, and they hereby are, forever discharged and released
from all further duties and liabilities in the matter of said estate and of said trust.

Dated this 9th day of April A. D. 1918

John H. Hauer
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minn.



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IN PROBATE COURT,

County of Carver

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse
Deceased.

Order Discharging Executor or
Administrator.

Filed this *8th* day of
April 191*8*

Recorded in Book *4* of Orders,

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John F. Hansen
Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

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In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Auguste Kesse
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ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 1st day of March 1918, upon the petition of the representative of the above named estate praying for the allowance of his final account and for the distribution of the residue of said estate.

The said representative appeared in person

representative appeared a person. *and no one appeared in opposition*

The Court after due consideration of said petition, the evidence adduced in support thereof, and the files and records in said matter, finds the following facts:

First—That due notice of the said hearing of said petition has been given as required by law by the publication of the citation of this Court for said hearing, dated the 30th day of January, 1918, in the Carver County News

Second—That the final account set forth in said petition has been examined, adjusted and settled by the Court and so adjusted and settled, is hereby found correct; a summary statement of which account is as follows, to-wit:

RECEIPTS

[illegible]

DISBURSEMENTS AND CREDITS

[illegible]

Third—As a conclusion from the foregoing facts, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that said account, as adjusted by the court, be, and the same hereby is, settled and allowed as and for the final account of said representative of said estate.

Dated March 1st

1918
By the Court,

John H. Haver,
Judge of Probate.

No. 2302

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hesse

Order Allowing Final Account

Filed this 1st day of

March A. D. 1918

and recorded in Book No.

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of Orders at page

John H. Haver,
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hesse Decedent.

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Jas. J. Ponsford
of Watertown
in the county of Carver, state of Minnesota, as principal and Adam Hohmann and
Frank Carlson

of said County and State, as sureties, are held and firmly bound to Jas. J. Ponsford
Judge of Probate of Carver County, Minnesota, in the sum of Three thousand and 00/100 DOLLARS
lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said Judge of Probate or his successors in office; for
which payments will and truly to be made, we bind ourselves; our, and each of ours, heirs, executors
and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation is such that if the above bounden Jas. J. Ponsford
named Augusta Hesse who has been appointed representative of the estate of the above
shall well and faithfully discharge all the duties of his trust as representative of said estate according to law
then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

Witness, our hands and seals this 11th day of August 1916

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

Chas. A. Nelson

W. J. Burke

Jas. J. Ponsford (Seal)
Adam Hohmann (Seal)
Frank Carlson (Seal)
(Seal)
(Seal)
(Seal)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

Be it Known, That on this 11th day of August A. D., 1916
personally appeared before me Jas. J. Ponsford and Adam Hohmann and
Frank Carlson

to me well known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing bond, and they severally acknow-
ledged the same to be their own free act and deed, and that they executed the same for the uses and pur-
poses therein expressed

Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public.
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires Jan 4th 1918

JUSTIFICATION

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

Adam Hohmann and Frank Carlson

being duly sworn, each for himself, on oath says, that he is a resident and freeholder of and in the State of Minnesota, that he justifies upon the foregoing bond as follows:

the said Adam Hohmann in the sum of Fifteen-hundred**----- Dollars

the said Frank Carlson in the sum of Fifteen-hundred**----- Dollars

the said in the sum of ----- Dollars

the said in the sum of ----- Dollars

and the said in the sum of ----- Dollars

and that each respectively is worth double the sum in which he so justifies over and above his debts, and other liabilities and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

11th day of Aug A. D. 1916

Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires Jan 4th 1923

Adam Hohmann
Frank Carlson

APPROVAL

I do hereby approve the within Bond, this 11th day of August A. D. 1916

(Court Seal)

John Klause
Judge of Probate.

OATH

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

I, Jas. J. Pomford

do swear that I will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as representative of the estate of Augusta Kesse Decedent, to the best of my ability. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of August 1916

Jas. J. Pomford
Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public,
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires Jan 4th 1923

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State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Kesse
Decedent.

Bond and Oath of
Representative

Filed this 11th day of

August A. D. 1916

and said bond recorded in Book 3

of Bonds, page 188 of Probate

Records.

John Klause
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse
Decedent.

Order of Hearing on Petition for
Probate of Will.

A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of.....
.....*Augusta Hesse*.....having been presented to this court and the petition
of *Frieda A. B. Miller*.....being duly filed herein, representing, among
other things, that said decedent, then being a resident of the county of...*Carver*.....
State of Minnesota died testate in the county of...*Carver*.....State of
Minnesota.....on the...*2nd*.....day of...*July*.....
191*6*, and that said petitioner is...*a daughter*.....(1)
and that...*Jas. J. Pousford is named Executor*.....(2)
.....*in the will.*.....

and praying that said instrument be allowed and admitted to probate as the last will and testament of
said decedent, and that letters...*Testamentary*.....(3)

be issued to...*Jas. J. Pousford*.....thereon.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the
Court House, in the City of Chaska, County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the...*4th*.....
day of...*August*.....191*6*, at...*10*.....o'clock...*A.M.*, and that the citation of this court
issue to all persons interested in said hearing and said matter, and that such citation be served by the
publication thereof in...*The Carver County News*.....
according to law.

Dated...*July 11th*.....191*6*

By the Court,

John Glaeser
Probate Judge.

Note (1) Insert, "person named in said will to be executor thereof," or state interest of petitioner in
estate:

Note (2) State name of person appointed executor in will, and in case he is dead or refuses to act, or no
one is appointed, so state.

Note (3) Insert "testamentary" or "of administration with the will annexed," as case may be.

No. 2382

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse

Order of Hearing on Petition
for Probate of Will

Filed this *11th* day of

July 191*6*
John Glaser
Clerk-Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hesse,

Decedent.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

TO Jas. J. Ponsford, GREETING:

Whereas, you have been appointed execut... of the last will and testament of the above named decedent, by the order of this court, and have duly qualified as such:

Now Therefore, reposing full faith and trust in your competency, ability, and integrity, these letters testamentary are issued to you by the court, authorizing you to execute and carry into effect the said will of said decedent, according to the true intent thereof; and granting unto you all the powers, duties and responsibilities incident to said trust, in substance as follows, to wit:

First—To take possession of all the estate of said decedent, both real and personal, excepting that which may be set aside by the court for the surviving spouse or children of said decedent; to collect and receive all the rents, issues, increase, and profits, of said estate; to demand, receive, collect, sue for and recover, all the debts, claims, rights, and choses in action, which to said decedent at the time of his death did belong; and, within three months from the date hereof, to make and file in this court a true, verified, inventory of all the estate of said decedent, and cause the same to be appraised according to law.

Second—To manage, care for, and administer, the said estate, to the end that the same may be preserved, kept, and increased, in the most economical and efficient manner; and to keep in good condition of repair all the buildings and improvements on the real estate of decedent.

Third—To cause to be paid, according to the provisions of said will as far as possible, and where not possible, then according to law, out of the personal estate of decedent if the same be sufficient therefor, and if not sufficient, then out of the real estate of decedent to be sold under the license of this court, the following charges, demands, and debts, in the order following, to wit: the expenses of the administration of said estate; the expenses of the funeral of said decedent; the expenses of the last sickness of said decedent; all debts of decedent having preference under the laws of the United States; all taxes that shall be legally levied upon the estate of decedent; all other debts of decedent due to his creditors that shall be duly proved and allowed by the court, if said estate be sufficient therefor, otherwise to pay the same pro rata; all legacies given and provided by said will of decedent, if his said estate be sufficient therefor.

Fourth—To make and file in this court, whenever requested by the court so to do, and at the completion of said trust, full and true accounts, with itemized statements, under oath, of all said estate and the increase thereof, that shall come into your hands, and of all disbursements made by you, and of all the residue that remains in your hands, together with the value and condition thereof; and, at the completion of said trust, to turn over all the residue of said estate in your hands to those declared thereunto entitled by the court.

Witness, The Judge of this Court, and the seal thereof, this 11th day of

August 1916

(COURT SEAL)

John Glaser

Probate Judge.

No. 213021.

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse

Letters Testamentary

(Long Form)

Filed this *11th* day of *Aug.*

A. D. 19 *16* and recorded in Book

2 of Letters, on page *464*

John Klauer

Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse.
Decedent.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE AND APPOINTING
EXECUTOR OR ADMINISTRATOR WITH WILL ANNEXED.

The above entitled matter came on to be heard, on the 5th day of August 1916, upon the petition of Frieda A. B. Miller. for the allowance of an instrument filed therewith purporting to be the last will and testament of the above named decedent and for the appointment of Jas. J. Pousford. as Executor and the court having duly heard the same and all the evidence produced in support thereof, and having duly considered the same, finds as follows:

FIRST—That the citation of this court, dated the 11th day of July 1916, has been duly served and published as required by law.

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 2nd day of July 1916, and at the time of his death was a resident of Watertown in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota and left estate in the County of Carver State of Minnesota.

THIRD—That the subscribing witness to said purported last will and testament of said decedent, to-wit: Chas. A. Nelson and him duly sworn and examined, and his testimony reduced to writing, subscribed by him and filed herein.

FOURTH—That said instrument presented for probate as aforesaid, was duly executed by said decedent as his last will and testament, according to law; and that said decedent, at the time he executed the said instrument, was of sound mind and free from undue influence, of lawful age, and under no restraint.

FIFTH—That Jas. J. Pousford is appointed in and by said will to be the executor thereof.

and that said person is competent to be Executor thereof.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DETERMINED, That said instrument, presented and proved as aforesaid, be, and the same hereby is, established, allowed, and admitted to probate, as the last will and testament of the above named decedent; and that

Jas. J. Pousford be, and he hereby is appointed Executor thereof, and that upon the filing in this court of the oath prescribed by law and bond in the sum of Three thousand Dollars, with sufficient sureties; conditioned according to law, and the approval thereof by the judge of this court, letters Testamentary be to him issued.

Dated August 5th 1916

John H. Leamer
Probate Judge.

No. 2302

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse
Decedent.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE AND
APPOINTING EXECUTOR OR ADMINISTRATOR
WITH WILL ANNEXED.

Filed this 5th day of

Aug. 1916 and record-
ed in Book "6" of Orders, Pg. 13.

John Glusker
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER]

IN PROBATE COURT,

In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament, and of the Estate of

Augusta Hulse
Decedent.

Proof of Will

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER]

ss.

Chas. A. Nelson being duly sworn,
on behalf of the proponent of the will, doth depose and say: that he is one of the subscribing witnesses to the instrument now shown here, bearing date the 18 day of May A. D. 1916, and purporting to be the last will and testament of Augusta Hulse of the County of Carver and State of Minnesota now here presented for probate; that he knew and was well acquainted with the said Decedent, in her lifetime and at the time of her death; that on the day of the date of said instrument, to-wit, the 18 day of May A. D., 1916, the said instrument was signed sealed, executed and then and there acknowledged, published and declared by the said Decedent, to be her last will and testament, in the presence of deponent and of Frank A. Barth the other subscribing witness thereto, and that deponent and the said Frank A. Barth the other subscribing witness did then and there, in the presence of the said Decedent, and at her request severally subscribed said instrument as witness thereto.

Deponent further says that at the time of the execution of said instrument as aforesaid, the said Decedent, was of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, of lawful age and under no restraint to the best of deponent's knowledge, and as he verily believes.

And further deponent saith not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th

day of August A. D. 1916

John H. Glaser
Judge of Probate.

Chas. A. Nelson

No. 2302

STATE OF MINNESOTA, {
COUNTY OF CARVER } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of

Augusta Berse
Decedent

TESTIMONY OF

Chas. W. Nelson
Subscribing Witness to Will.

Taken, sworn, subscribed and filed
this August 5th

, 1916

John H. Klapper
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

PETITION FOR ALLOWANCE AND PROBATE
OF WILL.

Augusta Keise
Decedent.

To the Probate Court in and for said County:

Your petitioner represents and alleges to the court:

FIRST—That your petitioner is a resident of Watertown (1) in the County of Carver State of Minnesota, and is an adult and is interested in the estate of decedent in this, to-wit: as Daughter (2)

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 2nd day of July 1916 aged 72 years and at the time of her death was a resident of Watertown in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota and left estate in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota.

THIRD—That said decedent died leaving a last Will and Testament which will is herewith presented and filed for Probate.

FOURTH—That the estate of decedent at the time of her death consisted of (3) personal property of the estimated value of \$ 2500⁰⁰ divided as follows:

- | | |
|------------------------|--|
| 1. Household goods, \$ | 2. Wearing apparel, \$ |
| 3. Stock, \$ | 4. Notes, bonds, etc., \$ <u>2800⁰⁰</u> |
| 5. Miscellaneous, \$ | |

That said estate ~~also~~ included no (4) real estate of the estimated worth and probable value of \$ situated in said County of Minnesota, to-wit:

- | | |
|-------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. City Property | Lots without buildings, \$ |
| | Lots with buildings, \$ |
| 2. Rural property | Acres unimproved lands, \$ |
| | Acres improved lands, \$ |
| 3. Homestead | \$ |

Note 1st—City, Village, Borough or Township.

" 2nd—Executor, Heir or Devisee.

" 3rd—If no property, insert word "No" and strike out unnecessary words.

" 4th—If no real estate, insert word "No" and strike out remainder.

FIFTH—that the names, ages, relationship to decedent, and residences, of the heirs, legatees and devisees of said decedent, so far as known to your petitioner, are as follows, to-wit:

Names	Age	Places of Residence	Relationship
Frieda A. B. Miller	33	Waternown, Minn.	Daughter
Carolene Drusel	42	Maple Plain "	"

SIXTH—That Jas. J. Sanford whose post office address is Waternown, Minn. is ~~an~~ named in said Will as executor thereof and is a suitable and competent person—to be executor—of said will.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that said last will and testament be allowed and admitted to probate; and that said Jas. J. Sanford be appointed executor thereof; and that, upon due qualification as provided by law, letters testamentary be issued to the said Jas. J. Sanford

Dated July 6th 1916 Frieda A. B. Miller Petitioner.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Carver } ss

being duly sworn, on oath says, that she is the petitioner named in the foregoing petition; that the said petition is true of her own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters she believe it to be true.

Frieda A. B. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

6th day of July 1916

Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public Carver County
County, Minnesota.

My commission expires Jan 4th 1923

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State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

Petition for Probate
of Will

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Bessie
Decedent.

Filed this 11th day of

July 1916
John H. Hesser
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Augusta Hesse , Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Frieda A. B. Miller, Carolina Dressel and

all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of March 1918, at 2 o'clock P M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 30th day of January 1918

{ COURT }
{ SEAL }

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John Glaeser
Probate Judge.

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Heave.
Decedent.

Citation for Hearing on
Final Account and
for Distribution.

Filed this *30th* day of

January 1918
John H. Kessler
Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse

Decedent.

Inventory and Appraisement

OATH OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

Chas. A. Nelson

and

Claude C. Teas

do solemnly swear, each for himself, that I will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as appraiser of the estate of Augusta Hesse, decedent, to the best of my ability. So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th day of August 1916.

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires May 7th 1917.

Chas. A. Nelson
Claude C. Teas

INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT.

The undersigned representative... of the estate of the above named decedent, represent **s**... and show **s**... to the court,—

That the following is a true and correct inventory of all the property of the above named estate, both real and personal, which has come into his possession and of which he has knowledge after diligent search and inquiry concerning the same classified as following, to-wit:

CLASS I.

REAL ESTATE

VALUE

(a) The homestead of decedent, being in the County of
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: None \$ None

(b) All other real estate of decedent, being in the County of
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: None None

CLASS V.

Mortgages, bonds, notes and other evidences of debt: (Here list any written obligations of any kind due and owing decedent.)

C. D. #10275, 10394	
Bank Deposits; State Bank of Watertown C.C. #4481.4501..	\$260.00
Promissory Notes; Ed. Seck and wife \$500.00 and \$300.00	\$800.00
Notes: Ed. Herbst, \$50.00, \$80.00, \$85.00.	215.00
Notes; Henry P. Dressel & Edwin H. Dressel \$200., \$300.00	500.00
Note; P. S. Johnson and Hannah C. Johnson, - - - - -	500.00
Notes; Wm. Herbst, \$50.00, \$50.00 - - - - -	100.00
Note; August Broeckert and Anna Broeckert- - - - -	350.00
Note; M. C. Blacketter and Amelia Blacketter- - - - -	50.00
Note; Swan Pearson and Albert Grife- - - - -	100.00
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Total value of mortgages, bonds, notes, etc. - - - - -	\$2,875.00

CLASS VI.

All other personal property: (Here list cash, bank accounts, annuities, farm crops, machinery, etc.)

..... s. None.....

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Total value of all other personal property - - - - - \$ **None**.....

SUMMARY

The total value of all the real estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$. **None**.....

The total value of all the personal property of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is - - - - - \$ 2875.00

The total value of the entire estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$ 2875.00 . . .

Respectfully submitted,

Representative

VERIFICATION

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

Jas. J. Ponsford

being duly sworn, on oath say s . . . that he is . . . the representative . . . of the estate above specified;
that he . . . has . . . read the foregoing inventory subscribed by . . . him . . . and know s . . . the contents
thereof, and that the same is true of his . . . own knowledge, save as to those matters therein stated on
information and belief, and as to those matters . . . he . . . believe s . . . it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th day of August 19.16.

Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires Jan. 4th, 19.23

Jas. J. Ponsford

Representative

CERTIFICATE OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

We, the undersigned appraisers, duly appointed by

the Probate Court of Carver County, Minnesota, to appraise the estate of

Augusta Hesse

Decedent, having first duly taken and sub-

scribed the oath prescribed by law and hereto annexed, hereby certify and return, that we have carefully
examined and considered the inventory of said estate delivered to us by the representative . . . of said
estate and the property therein described and have faithfully and impartially and to the best of our know-
ledge and ability, appraised the said property, and set down opposite each item thereof in figures the
value thereof in money, and have footed up by itself the amount and value of each class of said proper-
ty, and of the whole of said estate.

Dated 15th day of August, A. D. 19.16.

Chas. A. Nelson

Claude C. Tress

Appraisers.

File No. 23021

State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hesse

Decedent.

INVENTORY and APPRAISEMENT

Total Personal \$
Total Real Estate \$
Total Appraisement \$

Filed this 31st day of

August, A. D. 1916

John H. Hesser
Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hease

Decedent.

Final Account and Petition
for Settlement

Your petitioner respectfully represents and shows to the Court:

First—That he is the representative of the estate of the above named decedent.

Second—That as such representative he has fully administered the said estate, has paid and satisfied all claims against said estate allowed by the court, and has in all things complied with the orders of this Court in said matter, and with the law relating thereto.

Third—That he herewith renders his final account of his said administration, which is as follows, to-wit:

RECEIPTS

Personal property described in the inventory	-	-	-	-	-	\$	2	8	7	5	00
Personal estate omitted from the inventory	-	-	-	-	-	\$					
Gain by sales above appraised value	-	-	-	-	-	\$					
Cash from sales of real estate	-	-	-	-	-	\$					
Cash from rent of real estate	-	-	-	-	-	\$					
Cash from interest and profits	-	-	-	-	-	\$			6	9	98
Cash from other sources	-	-	-	-	-	\$					
						\$					
						\$					
						\$					
						\$					
Total receipts from all sources	-	-	-	-	-	\$	2	8	4	4	98

DISBURSEMENTS

I. FAMILY

Personal property selected by and turned over to surviving spouse	Voucher No.	\$									
Maintenance of family of decedent	- - - - -	Voucher No.	\$								

II. EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Loss from sales of personal property at less than appraised valuation	- - - - -	Voucher No.	\$								
Cash paid to appraisers for services	- - - - -	Voucher No. 1	\$								
Cash paid for publications of orders	- - - - -	Voucher No. 2	\$								
Repairs to real estate	- - - - -	Voucher No.	\$								
Cash paid for insurance	- - - - -	Voucher No.	\$								
Expenses of representative	- - - - -	Voucher No. 4	\$								
Compensation of representative	- - - - -	Voucher No. 5	\$								
Fees of Attorney	- - - - -	Voucher No.	\$								
Final decree and recording and letters	Voucher No. 6	\$								
		Voucher No.	\$								
		Voucher No.	\$								
Total expense of administration	- - - - -	- - - - -	\$								

III. EXPENSES OF LAST SICKNESS

[illegible]

\$			2	0	00
\$				5	15
\$					
\$					
\$			2	5	15

IV. FUNERAL EXPENSES

Cash paid for undertaker	- - - - -	Voucher No.	9 . . \$
Cash paid for sexton	- - - - -	Voucher No. \$
Cash paid for livery service	- - - - -	Voucher No.	10 . . \$
Cash paid for burial service	- - - - -	Voucher No. \$
Cash paid for monument	- - - - -	Voucher No.	. . 11 \$
Total funeral expenses	- - - - -		\$

[illegible]

V. TAXES

[illegible]

VI. CLAIMS OF CREDITORS

Cash paid in settlement of claims of creditors as allowed by the Court as follows:

[illegible]

Total amount of claims paid and settled	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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VII. LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

Agnes Arrlequist Noyed as mentioned in the
Will of William Hesse

Total legacies and bequests paid - - - - -

RECAPITULATION

		Receipts				Disbursements			
		\$ 2044.98							
Total receipts from all sources	- - - - -								
Total disbursements and credits as follows:	- - - - -								
1. Family	- - - - -								
2. Expenses of administration	- - - - -								
3. Expenses of last sickness	- - - - -								
4. Funeral Expenses	- - - - -								
5. Taxes	- - - - -								
6. Claims of creditors	- - - - -								
7. Specific Legacies	- - - - -								
8. Residue of personal property for distribution	- - - - -								
Total	- - - - -								

Fourth—That there is also belonging to said estate for distribution certain real estate as follows:

The homestead of said decedent, in the County of None State of Minnesota, described, as follows:

Also those other tracts and parcels of land in the County of None.....
 State of Minnesota, described as follows:.....

Fifth—That said decedent died on the 2nd day of July
1918, testate, and left her surviving.....
Freida A. B. Miller, and Carolina Dressel

who are all the heirs at law.....(1)
of said decedent, and the persons entitled to the residue of said estate.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays the order of this Court, fixing a time and place for the hearing of this petition and an examination of his final account and the settlement and allowance of the same; and that, upon said hearing, the Court issue its final decree, assigning the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

Dated January 26th 1918.....
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

Jas. J. Pensford

being duly sworn, on oath says that he is the person who made the foregoing petition; that he knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on his information and belief, and as those matter he believes it to be true.

..Subscribed and sworn to before me this
26th day of January 1918,
Chas. G. Nelson
Notary Public.
Carver County, Minnesota,
My Commission Expires Jan 4th 1923

Note (1)—Insert "Sole devisees" or All the heirs at law," as the case may be.

No. 2302
State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Dressel

Final Account and Petition for
Hearing and Allowance
Thereof.

Filed this 30th day of
January 1918
John H. Haines
Judge of Probate.

No. 66

I, Augusta Hesse of Watertown Village
in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota
being of sound mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will
and Testament.

First, I order and direct that my Executor hereinafter named, pay all my
just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.


Second, after the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and
bequeath unto my beloved daughter Freda A. B. Miller, all of my household
furniture and personal effects of every name and nature, except money,
notes, deposits or other evidence of credits, which I now have, may die
possessed of, or may be entitled to, her heirs and assigns forever.

THIRD. I give, devise and bequeath unto my daughter, Lena Dressel,
all notes now among my assets and in my possession signed by her hus-
band, Edwin H. Dressel, the total principle of which amounts to Nineteen
hundred fifty-one and 15/100 (\$1,951.15) Dollars, together with suffi-
cient ^{interest} on said notes to bring the total amount to (\$2,000.00.) Two-thousand
Dollars.

FOURTH. After the distributions above stipulated have been made
I further request that the remainder of my estate then intact be di-
vided between my two daughters Lena Dressel and Freda A. B. Miller, to
share and share alike.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint Jas. J. Ponsford
of the County of Carver and State of Minnesota
to be Execut or of this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal the
18th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and sixteen

Augusta Hesse 

THIS INSTRUMENT was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said
Testat Augusta Hesse to be h. er Last Will and Testament
in our presence, who, at h. er request, have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses, in
h. er presence and in the presence of each other.

Chas. A. Nelson residing at Watertown, Minn.

Frank A. Barth residing at Watertown, Minn.

Last Will and Testament

—OF—

Augusta Hesse

Dated May 18th 1916

STATE OF MINNESOTA
County of CarverIN PROBATE COURT
CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hesse
Decedent.

Be It Remembered, That on the day of the date hereof at an Adjourned Term of said Probate Court, pursuant to the notice duly given, the last will and testament of Augusta Hesse Decedent, late of said County of Carver bearing date the 18th day of May 1916, and being the annexed written instrument, was duly proved before the Probate Court in and for the County of Carver aforesaid; and was duly allowed and admitted to Probate by said Court according to law; as and for the last Will and Testament of said Augusta Hesse deceased which said last Will and Testament is recorded and the examination taken thereon filed in this office.

In Testimony Whereof, The Judge of the Probate Court of said County has hereunto set his hand and affixed the seal of said court at the City of Chaska, in said County, this 5th day of August 1916.

John Kleiser
Judge of Probate.

[Court Seal]

Number 2302

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

The Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hesse
Decedent.

Certificate of Probate of Will

Filed this 5th day
of August 1916, and
recorded, together with the will attached
in book 8 of Records of Wills,
Page 188

John H. Hesse
Judge of Probate.

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PRINTER'S AFFIDAVIT.

State of Minnesota } ss
COUNTY OF CARVER }

C.C. Pearson

being duly sworn, says that he

is, and during all the time herein mentioned, has been the printer and publisher of a weekly newspaper known as the CARVER COUNTY NEWS; that said paper is a collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, consisting of general and local news, comments and literary items; that during all the time for six years last past newspaper has been and is now published in the English language, in Carver County, Minnesota, at an established office therein, equipped with the necessary material and skilled workmen for printing the same, and that said newspaper has been during all of said time and now is printed in part in an office in said County, where the same is dated; that said newspaper during all of said time has had and now has a general circulation throughout the said Carver County, and during all of said time has consisted, and now consists of not less than four pages of six columns to each page, each column not less than seventeen and three-quarters inches long; that during all of said time there has been and now is published and delivered weekly at each regular issue more than 250 complete copies of said paper to paying subscribers; that said paper is not substantially a duplicate of any other publication and is not made up wholly of patents and plates and advertisements; that the publisher of said paper did file with the County Auditor of said county, on the 22nd day of April, 1893, the affidavit required by Sec. 2 of Chap. 33, of the General Laws of 1893, of the State of Minnesota. That the annexed printed

Order for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land hereto attached and made a part hereof, was cut from the columns of said newspaper and was published in said newspaper for 3 successive weeks, once in each week; that said notice was first published in said newspaper on Thursday, the 20 day of July A. D. 1916 and was thereafter published in said newspaper on each and every Thursday until and including Thursday the 3 day of Aug. A. D. 1916 (3 insertions) and that during all of said period said newspaper was published on Thursday of each week.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August A. D. 1916

John Glaeser
Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.
My Commission Expires July 1, 1917

Order of Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land
State of Minnesota, county of Carver, in Probate court.
In the matter of the estate of Charles (Carl) Kanless (Kanless), Decedent.
On reading and filing the petition of Hugo Kanless praying that this court determine the descent of certain lands described therein as belonging to the above named decedent in his life time, who died more than five years prior to the date hereof;
It is Ordered that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in the estate of the above named decedent be and appear before this court on the 14th day of August, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Probate court rooms in the court house at the city of Chaska in said county, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.
Let notice of said hearing be given by the publication of this order in The Carver County News according to law.
Dated July 12th, 1916 John Glaeser,
(Court room) Judge of Probate
First pub. July 20-16

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State of Minnesota, County of Carver—In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of *Charles (Carl) Hanies, (Hanies)* **Decedent.**

On reading and filing the petition of *Hugo Hanies* praying
that this court determine the descent of certain lands described therein as belonging to the above named decedent in his
life time, who died more than five years prior to the date hereof:

It is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in the estate of the above named
decedent be and appear before this court on the *14th* day of *August* 191*6*,
at *2* o'clock *P.*M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House at the City of *Chaska* in said County, and
then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any there be, why said petition should
not be granted.

Let notice of said hearing be given by the publication of this order in
The Carver County News
according to law.

Dated *July 12th* 191*6*
(Court Seal)

John Glaeser
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, { ss.
County of Carver,

I hereby certify and return, that on the 12 day of July 1916,
at the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver in said state, I served the within Order of Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land upon H. R. Sell, Treasurer of said County, by then and there handing to and leaving with him personally a true copy of said Citation.

Dated this 12 day of July 1916

John Glaser
Probate Judge, Carver County, Minn.

No. 2303

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver,

Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Charles Hansen

Decedent

Order of Hearing on Petition for
Determination of Descent of Land

Filed this 12th day of

July 1916

John Glaser
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Charles (Carl) Kanies, also
Kanless,
Decedent.

Decree of Descent

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 14th day of August, 1916, upon the petition of Hugo W. Kanless, praying for the judicial determination of the descent of the real estate hereinafter described belonging to said decedent at the time of his death. The said petitioner appeared in person and by W.C.&W.F. Odell his Attorneys, and no one appeared in opposition to said petition; and the court having duly considered said petition, the evidence adduced in support thereof, finds the following facts:

FIRST--That due notice of said hearing was given by the publication of the order of hearing of the court in the Carver County News, according to law.

SECOND--That the petitioner is a resident of Watertown Township in the County of Carver State of Minnesota, and has an interest in the said lands of decedent hereinafter described as follows, to-wit: as a son and heir at law of Decedent.

THIRD--That the above named decedent died at Watertown Town in the County of Carver State of Minnesota on the 19th day of July, 1906, without leaving a last will and testament (1) (2)

and that more than five years have elapsed since the death of said decedent, and that no will has been probated nor administration had upon his said estate in the State of Minnesota.

FOURTH--That said decedent, at the time of his death, was the owner, and seized, of those certain tracts of land lying in the County of Carver State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The North Half of the South-west Quarter of the North-west Quarter, of Section 31, Township 117 North, of Range 25 west, containing 20.25 acres of land more or less, The above tract being the Homestead of Decedent.

Also: Commencing at a point on the North line of the South-west Quarter of Section 31, Township 117 North, of Range 25 west, which point bears S 9.40 chains East from the Section Stone on the West line of said Section; thence running East along the North line of said South-west Quarter 23.23 chains to a point on the middle line of the Crow River; thence running Southwesterly along the middle line of said River as follows: viz: S 16° W. (var. 10° East) 1.40 chains; thence South 45° W. 2.20 chains; thence South 80° W. 3.30 chains; thence South 68° W. 2.70 chains; thence South 54° W. 2.75 chains; thence South 30° W. 4.57 chains; thence South 13° W. 2.10 chains; thence South 25° E. 2.60 chains; thence South 4° E. 2. chains; thence South 36° W. 1.80 chains; thence South 50° W. 1.10 chains; thence South 30° W. 1.50 chains; thence South 55° W. 2. chains; thence South 85° W. 1.60 chains; thence North 85° W. 1.50 chains; thence North 60° W. 1.40 chains; thence North 48° W. 1.40 chains; thence North 34° W. 1.50 chains; thence North 44° W. 2.70 chains; thence North 18° E. 2.40 chains to a point

on the middle line of the Helvetia Road; thence North 72° W. along the middle line of said Road 12.53 chains to a point which is 2 chains Easterly from the West line of said Section; thence North 49° E. 11.90 chains to the place of beginning, containing 29.58 acres of land, more or less.

SIXTH--That the following named persons are the Sole heirs at law (4)

of said decedent and the persons entitled to his estate and the lands herein described, to-wit: Augusta Kaniess, surviving spouse, Reinhold Kaniess, a son. Henry Kaniess a son. Emma Schwalbe a daughter, Paul Kaniess a son. Marie Kissinger a daughter. Emil Kaniess a son. Hugo Kaniess a son and Elsie Kaniess a daughter of said decedent.

AS A CONCLUSION FROM THE FOREGOING FACTS, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, That all and singular the above described lands descended to, and is the property of the above named persons as sole heirs at law of said decedent. (5)

and that the same be, and hereby are, vested in and assigned to, the above named persons, in the following proportions, to-wit: To said Augusta Kaniess, all right and title, for the full term of her natural life time only, in and to the hereinbefore described Homestead of decedent. Also

To said Augusta Kaniess an undivided 1/3 interest in and to all the hereinbefore described Real Estate other than the Homestead.

To said Reinhold Kaniess, Henry Kaniess, Emma Schwalbe, Paul Kaniess, Marie Kissinger, Emil Kaniess, Hugo Kaniess and Elsie Kaniess, in fee simple and forever, But subject however to the life estate of Augusta Kaniess therein, all right and title in and to the hereinbefore described Homestead of decedent, an undivided one Eighth interest therein to each. To said Reinhold Kaniess, Henry Kaniess, Emma Schwalbe, Paul Kaniess, Marie Kissinger, Emil Kaniess, Hugo Kaniess and Elsie Kaniess, in fee simple and forever, the undivided Two Thirds interest in and to all the described lands other than the Homestead of decedent, share and share alike, To have and to hold the same, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the above named persons, their heirs and assigns, forever.

Witness the Honorable, John Gleaser

and the seal thereof, this 14th day of August 1916 Judge of said Court.

Dated August 14th 1916

[SEAL]

Judge of Probate.

- Note (1) If will, insert "I"; and if no will, insert "Without."
(2) If no will, strike out; if will, insert "which has been presented for probate" and state its contents.
(3) If no will, strike out; if will, insert "that said will has been duly proved as the last will and testament of said decedent, and is hereby allowed and admitted to probate."
(4) If will, insert "sole devisees under last will and testament"; if no will, insert "sole heirs at law."
(5) If will, insert "as sole devisees under said last will and testament"; if no will, insert "as sole heirs at law of said decedent."

No. 2303,
State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Charles (Carl) Kaniess

(Kaniess) Decedent.

I, JOHN GLAESER, Judge of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within copy of the Decree of Descent of Real Property, made and entered in the above entitled matter, with the original record thereof preserved in said Probate Register, and that the same is a true copy of said original, and the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, at the City of Chaska in said County, this _____ day of _____ A. D. 19____.

Probate Judge of Carver County, Minn.

Filed this 14th day of August 1916 and recorded in Order Book Estates, page 655

John Gleaser
Probate Judge.

Transfer entered this _____ day of _____ 19____

County Auditor.

Office of Register of Deeds,
County of Carver

Filed for record on the _____ day of _____ A. D. 19____ at _____ o'clock _____ M.
and recorded in Book _____ Page _____

Register of Deeds.

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

ss

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Charles (Carl) Kamies, also
Kamies Decedent.

Petition for Determination
of Descent of Land

Your petitioner respectfully represents and shows:

FIRST--That he is a resident of Watertown town in the County of Carver
State of Minnesota

SECOND--That he is a surviving son of decedent (1)
ent, and as such
and that he claims to have, and is entitled to, an interest in the lands hereinafter described as here-
inafter set forth.

THIRD--That the said decedent died at Watertown Town in the
County of Carver State of Minnesota
on the 19th day of July, 1906, without (2)
leaving a last will and testament (3)

and that more than five (5) years have elapsed since the death of said decedent, and that no will has
been probated nor any administration granted in this State upon his said estate.

FOURTH--That at the time of his death the said decedent was the owner of and seized of cer-
tain lands lying and being in the County of Carver State of Minnesota.
described as follows, to-wit:

A. His Homestead comprising 20.25 acres
in the Northwest Quarter of Section 31-Twp. 117-
Range 25.

B. A tract of land containing 29.58 acres in
the Southwest Quarter of said Section 31.

FIFTH--That the interest of said petitioner in said lands is as follows: As a sur-
viving son and heir-at-law of decedent.

SIXTH--That the names, ages, residences and relationship to said decedent, of all his heirs
and devisees; according to the best information of your petitioner, are as follows, to-wit:

NAMES	AGES Years	RESIDENCE	RELATIONSHIP
Augusta Kariess	72	(Since deceased)	Surviving spouse
Roschold Kariess	49	Hutchinson, Minn.	Son
Harry Kariess	44	Hollywood Town	"
Emma Schwalbe	42	Waconia Village	Daughter
Paul Kariess	40	Lester Prairie	Son
Marie Kariess	37	Hollywood Town	Daughter
Emil Kariess	34	Watertown "	Son
Hugo Kariess	28	" "	"
Elise Kariess	26	Hollywood "	Daughter

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that the descent of said lands be determined by the court; and that the court make and enter its decree assigning the said lands to the persons thereunto entitled.

Hugo W. Kariess
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

{ ss

Hugo Kariess

appeared before me personally and, being duly sworn, on oath says; that he is the person who made and signed the foregoing petition; that he has read the said petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters he believed it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

Hugo W. Kariess
July, 1916

John Klauer
County Probate Judge, Carver
County, Minnesota

My Commission expires 19

Note (1) Insert relationship to decedent.

Note (2) If there is no will, insert "without"

Note (3) If there is a will, insert here "which is herewith presented for probate," and state briefly its contents.

Number 2303

State of Minnesota
County of Carver
Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of
Charles (Carl) Kariess,
Also Kariess
Decedent.

Petition for Determination
of Descent of Land

Filed this 12th day of

July, 1916

John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Augusta Kaniess, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Reinhold Kaniess, Henry Kaniess, Emma Schwalbe, Paul Kaniess, Marie Kissinger, Emil Kaniess, Hugo Kaniess, Elsie Kaniess and all persons interested in the granting of Administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Hugo Kaniess, having been filed in this court, representing that Augusta Kaniess, then a resident of the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of May, 1916, and praying that letters of Administration of her estate be granted to Henry Kaniess; and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of Aug., 1916, at 3 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and seal of said Court, this 12th day of July, 1916.

John Glaeser,
(seal) Probate Judge
W. C. & W. F. Odell
Atty's for Petitioner
First pub. July 20-16.

PRINTER'S AFFIDAVIT.

State of Minnesota } ss
COUNTY OF CARVER

O. C. Keas being duly sworn, says that he

is, and during all the time herein mentioned, has been the printer and publisher of a weekly newspaper known as the CARVER COUNTY NEWS; that said paper is a collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, consisting of general and local news, comments and literary items; that during all the time for six years last past newspaper has been and is now published in the English language, in Carver County, Minnesota, at an established office therein, equipped with the necessary material and skilled workmen for printing the same, and that said newspaper has been during all of said time and now is printed in part in an office in said County, where the same is dated: that said newspaper during all of said time has had and now has a general circulation throughout the said Carver County, and during all of said time has consisted, and now consists of not less than four pages of six columns to each page, each column not less than seventeen and three-quarters inches long; that during all of said time there has been and now is published and delivered weekly at each regular issue more than 250 complete copies of said paper to paying subscribers; that said paper is not substantially a duplicate of any other publication and is not made up wholly of patents and plates and advertisements; that the publisher of said paper did file with the County Auditor of said county, on the 22nd day of April, 1893, the affidavit required by Sec. 2 of Chap. 33, of the General Laws of 1893, of the State of Minnesota. That the annexed printed

at the Carver County News, hereto attached and made a part hereof, was cut from the columns of said newspaper and was published in said newspaper for 3 successive weeks, once in each week; that said notice was first published in said newspaper on Thursday, the 29 day of July A. D. 1916 and was thereafter published in said newspaper on each and every Thursday until and including Thursday the 3 day of Aug. A. D. 1916 (3 insertions) and that during all of said period said newspaper was published on Thursday of each week.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August A. D. 1916

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 1, 1917

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Kariess
Decedent.

Inventory and Appraisement

OATH OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

Henry Hill

A. W. Guetzkow and

do solemnly swear, each for himself, that I will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as appraiser of the estate of *Augusta Kariess*, decedent, to the best of my ability. So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14th day of *August*, 19*16*.

John P. Kariess
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires *1st* day of *August*, 19*17*.

A. W. Guetzkow
Henry Hill

INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT.

The undersigned representative.... of the estate of the above named decedent, represent, A..... and show A... to the court,—

That the following is a true and correct inventory of all the property of the above named estate, both real and personal, which has come into *his* possession and of which *he* has knowledge after diligent search and inquiry concerning the same classified as following, to-wit:

CLASS I.

REAL ESTATE

VALUE

(a) The homestead of decedent, being in the County of
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:..... \$.....

None

(b) All other real estate of decedent, being in the County of *Carver*,
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:.....

An undivided one-third interest
in a tract of land containing *887.40*
29.58 acres in the Southwest
Quarter of Sec. 31, Twp. 117, Range
25.

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Total value of real estate - - - - - \$.....

CLASS II.

Furniture and household goods described as follows:

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Total value of furniture and household goods - - - - - \$.....

CLASS III.

Wearing apparel and ornaments, described as follows, to-wit:

..... \$.....

Total value of wearing apparel and ornaments - - - - - \$.....

CLASS IV.

Stock in banks and other corporations

Total value of stock - - - - - \$.....

CLASS V.

Mortgages, bonds, notes and other evidences of debt: (Here list any written obligations of any kind due and owing decedent.)

.....	\$.....
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Total value of mortgages, bonds, notes, etc. - - - - - \$.....

CLASS VI.

All other personal property: (Here list cash, bank accounts, annuities, farm crops, machinery, etc.)

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Total value of all other personal property - - - - - \$.....

SUMMARY

The total value of all the real estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$.....887.40

The total value of all the personal property of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is - - - - - \$.....

The total value of the entire estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$.....887.40

Respectfully submitted,

Harry K. Kassis.....

Representative.....

VERIFICATION

State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

Henry Kamies

being duly sworn, on oath say *he is* the representative of the estate above specified; that *he* has read the foregoing inventory subscribed by *him* and know *the* contents thereof, and that the same is true of *his* own knowledge, save as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters *he* believe *it* to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14th day of *August*, 19*16*.

John H. Leeper
Notary Public, *Carver* County, Minn.

My commission expires *18*

Henry Kamies

Representative

CERTIFICATE OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

We, the undersigned appraisers, duly appointed by

the Probate Court of *Carver* County, Minnesota, to appraise the estate of

Augusta Kamies, Decedent, having first duly taken and sub-

scribed the oath prescribed by law and hereto annexed, hereby certify and return, that we have carefully

examined and considered the inventory of said estate delivered to us by the representative of said

estate and the property therein described and have faithfully and impartially and to the best of our know-

ledge and ability, appraised the said property, and set down opposite each item thereof in figures the

value thereof in money, and have footed up by itself the amount and value of each class of said proper-

ty, and of the whole of said estate.

Dated *14th* day of *August*, A. D. 19*16*.

A. W. Guetzkow

Henry Hill
Appraisers.

File No. *2304*

State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Kamies

Decedent.

INVENTORY and APPRAISEMENT

Total Personal	\$	<i>887.40</i>
Total Real Estate	\$	<i>887.40</i>
Total Appraisement	\$	<i>887.40</i>

Filed this *14th* day of

August, A. D. 19*16*

John H. Leeper
Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota

In Probate Court

County of Carver

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Kamess

Decedent.

Petition for Administration

TO THE PROBATE COURT ABOVE NAMED:

Your Petitioner

Hugo Kamess

respectfully represents and states to the court:

First—That your petitioner is a resident of *Watertown Town* (1)
in the County of *Carver*, State of Minnesota, and is an adult who has an

interest in whatever estate the decedent above named may have left at the time of ^{her} ~~his~~ death, to-wit:

As a surviving son and heir-at-law (2)
of decedent.

Second—That said decedent died on the *11th* day of *May*, 191*6*.
aged *72* years, and was at the time of ^{her} ~~his~~ death a resident of *Hollywood Town*,
Carver County, State of *Minnesota*, and was the owner of estate in the County of
Carver, State of Minnesota, at the time of ^{her} ~~his~~ said death.

Third—That said decedent died as aforesaid without leaving a last will and testament.

Fourth—That said estate of decedent, at the time of his death, included *700* (3)
personal property of the probable value of \$ _____, divided as follows:

- | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Household goods \$ | 2. Wearing apparel \$ |
| 3. Stock . . . \$ | 4. Notes, bonds, etc. \$ |
| 5. Miscellaneous \$ | 6. \$ |

That said estate included _____ (3) real estate of the estimated and probable
value of \$ *1000.00* consisting principally of lands in the County of *Carver*

State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

1. Homestead in _____ County, State of Minnesota,
\$ _____
2. City property _____ (3) lots without buildings \$ _____
City property _____ lots with buildings \$ _____
3. Rural or farm property *and 1/3 of 29.58* acres, ~~unimproved~~ land \$ *1000.00*
Rural or farm property _____ (3) acres, improved land \$ _____

Fifth—That the names, ages, residence and relationship to decedent of the heirs at law of said decedent are as follows, to-wit:

NAMES	AGES Years	RESIDENCE	RELATIONSHIP
Reinhold Kaniess	49	Hutchinson, Minn.	Son
Henry Kaniess	44	Hollywood Town	"
Emma Schwalbe	42	Waconia Village	Daughter
Paul Kaniess	40	Lester Prairie	Son
Maria Ksinger	37	Hollywood Town	Daughter
Eril Kaniess	34	Watertown "	Son
Hugo Kaniess	28	" "	"
Elvis Kaniess	26	Hollywood "	Daughter

Sixth—That Henry Kaniess whose postoffice address is Mayer, Minn. is a suitable and competent person to administer the said estate, and is lawfully entitled thereto as next of kin.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that administration of the estate of said decedent be granted by the court, and that, upon due qualification, letters of administration be issued to the said

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Carver }

Hugo W. Kaniess
Petitioner.
Hugo Kaniess

being duly sworn, on oath says that he is the person who makes the foregoing petition in the above entitled matter; that he has read said petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

12th day of July, 1916.
John Klauer Probate Judge
Notary Public, Carver County, Minnesota.

Hugo W. Kaniess

My commission expires 19

Note 1—Insert name of town, village, city, as case may be.
Note 2—Insert relationship or interest, as heir, creditor, etc.
Note 3—If no property, insert the word "No" and strike out unnecessary words.

No. 2304
State of Minnesota
County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of
Augusta Kaniess
Decedent.

Petition for Administration

Filed this 12th day of July, 1916
John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hansen
Decedent.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

Henry Hansen

having filed in this Court his bond and oath to act as administrator of said estate, as by law provided;

Now, Therefore, The said *Henry Hansen*

is hereby appointed administrator of the estate of *Augusta Hansen*
decedent, with full powers and duties as follows:

First. To take possession of all the real and personal estate of the decedent which shall not be set aside for the surviving spouse or children of decedent and to collect all debts and claims due to said decedent.

Second. To receive the rents and profits of the real estate until the estate is settled or until delivered over by an order of the Probate Court to the heirs or persons thereunto entitled.

Third. To keep in tenantable repair all houses, buildings and fixtures of said real estate which may be under his control, and to pay all taxes legally levied on said real estate.

Fourth. To maintain any necessary action for the possession of said real estate or quieting title to the same.

Fifth. Within three months hereafter to make and return a verified inventory and appraisement of all real and personal estate of decedent which shall have come to his possession or knowledge.

Sixth. To pay the funeral expenses, and expenses of the last sickness and all just debts of said decedent that shall be proved and allowed herein, to settle and compound the same, and to make defense against any claims that are not just and proper to be allowed.

Seventh. To obey all orders of the Court herein and settle for and account for the property of the decedent within the time prescribed by the Court.

Dated *August 14th* 19*16* By the Court,

COURT
SEAL

John Hansen
Judge of Probate.

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IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Hancock.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

Filed this 14th day of
August 19 16, and
recorded in Book 3 of Letters
on page 472

John H. Plummer
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Kariess
Deceased.

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents, That we

Henry Kariess
of *Hollywood Town*

in the county of Carver, state of Minnesota, as principal and

A. W. Guetzkow and Henry Hill

of said County and State, as sureties, are held and firmly bound to

Hon. John Glaeser

Judge of Probate of Carver County, Minnesota, in the sum of

One Hundred

DOLLARS

lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said Judge of Probate or his successors in office; for which payments will and truly to be made, we bind ourselves; our, and each of ours, heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation is such that if the above bounden *Henry Kariess* who has been appointed representative of the estate of the above named *Augusta Kariess* shall well and faithfully discharge all the duties of his trust as representative of said estate according to law then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

Witness, our hands and seals this *14th* day of *August*, 191*6*.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

W. H. Dece

John Glaeser

Henry Kariess (Seal)

A. W. Guetzkow (Seal)

Henry Hill (Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

Be it Known, That on this *14th* day of *August*, A. D., 191*6* personally appeared before me *Henry Kariess, A. W. Guetzkow and Henry Hill* to me well known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing bond, and they severally acknowledged the same to be their own free act and deed, and that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein expressed

John Glaeser
Notary Public,
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires *191*

JUSTIFICATION

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

and Henry Hill

A. W. Guetzkow

being duly sworn, each for himself, on oath says, that he is a resident and freeholder of and in the State of Minnesota, that he justifies upon the foregoing bond as follows:

the said A. W. Guetzkow in the sum of One hundred Dollars

the said Henry Hill in the sum of One hundred Dollars

the said in the sum of Dollars

the said in the sum of Dollars

and the said in the sum of Dollars

and that each respectively is worth double the sum in which he so justifies over and above his debts, and other liabilities and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

14th day of August, A. D. 1916

John Gleason
Judge of Probate
Notary Public
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires 191

A. W. Guetzkow
Henry Hill

APPROVAL

I do hereby approve the within Bond, this

(Court Seal)

14th day of August, A. D. 1916

John Gleason
Judge of Probate.

OATH

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

I, Henry Kaniers

do swear that I will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as representative of the estate of Augusta Kaniers Decedent, to the best of my ability. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14th day of August, 1916

John Gleason
Judge of Probate
Notary Public
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires 191

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Kaniers
Decedent.

Bond and Oath of
Representative

Filed this 14th day of

August, A. D. 1916

and said bond recorded in Book 3

of Bonds, page 190 of Probate

Records.

John Gleason
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

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State of Minnesota, County of Carver, In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Augusta Kaniess, Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Reinhold Kaniess, Henry Kaniess, Emma
Schwalbe, Paul Kaniess, Marie Kissinger, Emil Kaniess, Hugo Kaniess,
Elsie Kaniess, and

all persons interested in the granting of Administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition
of Hugo Kaniess, having been filed in this court, representing
that Augusta Kaniess, then a resident of the County of Carver
State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of May 1916
and praying that letters of Administration of her estate be granted to
Henry Kaniess,; and the Court,
having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any
you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, in
the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of August 1916
at 3 o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and Seal of said Court, this 12th day
of July 1916.
(Court Seal)

W.C.&W.F. Odell

Attorney S for Petitioner

(First pub. July 20.16)


Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss.

I hereby certify and return, that on the 12 day of July 1916
at the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver in said state, I served the within Citation for
Hearing on Petition for Administration upon H. R. Sell, Treasurer of said county, by then and
there handing to and leaving with him personally a true copy of said Citation.

Dated this 12 day of July 1916.

John H. Klawner
Probate Judge, Carver County, Minn.

No. 2304

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hansen

Citation for Hearing on Pe-
tition for Administration.

Filed this 12th day of

July 1916
John H. Klawner
Clerk Judge of Probate Court.

III. EXPENSES OF LAST SICKNESS

Cash paid for medical attendance	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No.....\$
Cash paid for medicines	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No.....\$
Cash paid for nursing	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No.....\$
Total expenses of last sickness	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$

IV. FUNERAL EXPENSES

Cash paid for undertaker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No....\$
Cash paid for sexton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No....\$
Cash paid for livery service	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No....\$
Cash paid for burial service	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No....\$
Cash paid for monument	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Voucher No....\$
Total funeral expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$

V. TAXES

[illegible]

VI. CLAIMS OF CREDITORS

Cash paid in settlement of claims of creditors as allowed by the Court as follows:

[illegible]

Total amount of claims paid and settled	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$
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VII. LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
Total legacies and bequests paid	- - - - -

RECAPITULATION

	Receipts	Disbursements
Total receipts from all sources - - - - -	\$	
Total disbursements and credits as follows: - - - - -	\$	
1. Family - - - - -	\$	
2. Expenses of administration - - - - -	\$	
3. Expenses of last sickness - - - - -	\$	
4. Funeral Expenses - - - - -	\$	
5. Taxes - - - - -	\$	
6. Claims of creditors - - - - -	\$	
7. Specific Legacies - - - - -	\$	
8. Residue of personal property for distribution - - -	\$	None
Total - - - - -	\$	

Fourth—That there is also belonging to said estate for distribution certain real estate as follows:

The homestead of said decedent, in the County of _____ State of Minnesota, described, as follows:.....

None

Also those other tracts and parcels of land in the County of Carver

State of Minnesota, described as follows:.....

An undivided one-third of the following described land, viz: Commencing at a point on the north line of the Southwest Quarter of Sec. 31, Township 117, Range 25, which point is 9.40 chains east from the 14 section stone on the west line of said section; thence running east along the north line of said Southwest Quarter 23.23 chains to a point on the middle line of the Crow River; thence running southwesterly along the middle line of said River as follows, viz: S. 16° W. (Var. 10° E.) 1.40 chains; thence S. 45° W. 2.20 chains; thence S. 80° W. 3.30 chains; thence S. 68° W. 2.70 chains; thence S. 54° W. 2.75 chains; thence S. 30° W. 4.57 chains; thence S. 13° W. 2.10 chains; thence S. 25° E. 2.60 chains; thence S. 4° E. 2 chains; thence S. 36° W. 1.80 chains; thence S. 55° W. 2 chains; thence S. 85° W. 1.60 chains; thence N. 85° W. 1.50 chains; thence N. 60° W. 1.40 chains; thence N. 48° W. 1.40 chains; thence N. 34° W. 1.50 chains; thence N. 44° W. 2.70 chains; thence North 18° E. 2.40 chains to a point on the middle line of the Helvetia Road; thence N. 72° W. along the middle line of said Road 12.53 chains to a point which is 2 chains easterly from the west line of said Section; thence N. 49° E. 11.90 chains to the place of beginning, containing 29.58 acres of land, more or less.

Fifth—That said decedent died on the 11th day of May,
1916, intestate, and left her surviving Reinhold Kanies, Henry
Kanies, Emma Schwalbe, Paul Kanies, Marie Kissinger,
Emil Kanies, Hugo Kanies, Elsie Kanies,
her sole surviving children

who are the sole surviving heirs (1)
of said decedent, and the persons entitled to the residue of said estate.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays the order of this Court, fixing a time and place for the hear-
ing of this petition and an examination of his final account and the settlement and allowance of
the same; and that, upon said hearing, the Court issue its final decree, assigning the residue of said
estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

Dated Nov. 15, 1916. Henry S. Kanies
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver ss.

Henry Kanies

being duly sworn, on oath says that he is the person who made the foregoing petition; that he knows
the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein
stated on his information and belief, and as those matter he believes it to be true.

Henry S. Kanies

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
14th day of Nov., 1916.
W. H. Edell
Notary Public.

Carver County, Minnesota,
My Commission Expires Dec. 9, 1921.

Note (1)—Insert "Sole devisees" or "All the heirs at law," as the
case may be.

No. 2304
State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Kanies

Final Account and Petition for
Hearing and Allowance
Thereof.

Filed this 14th day of
November 1916
Wm. H. Edell
Judge of Probate.

No. 66

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

The Waconia Patriot Print

State of Minnesota, County of Carver In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Augusta Kaniess, Decedent

The State of Minnesota to Reinhold Kaniess, Henry Kaniess, Emma Schwalbe,
Paul Kaniess, Marie Kissinger, Emil Kaniess, Hugo Kaniess, Elsie Kaniess,

and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled:

Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of November 19 16 at 10 o'clock A M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court and the seal of said Court, this 14th day of November 19 16

W.C.&W.F. Odell,
Attorney for Petitioner

(Court Seal)

John Glaeser
Probate Judge

No. 2304

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Hansen
Decedent

**Citation for Hearing on Fi-
nal Account and for
Distribution**

Filed this 14th day of

November 1916

John H. Lauer
Judge of Probate Court

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

In Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Augusta Kaness
Decedent.

Order Granting Administration

The petition of *Hugo Kaness* praying that
letters of administration upon said estate be granted to *Henry Kaness*
came duly on for hearing at a *Special* Term of this Court, held on
the *14th* day of *August*, 191*6*. Said petitioner appeared ~~in person~~
and by his attorneys W. B. x W. B. x
and no one appeared in opposition.

The court having duly considered said petition and the evidence adduced in support thereof, finds as follows:

First: That notice of said hearing has been given and served by the publication of the citation for said
hearing issued herein in the *Carver County News*
as by law and the order of this Court provided.

Second: That the said decedent died intestate on the *11th* day of
May, 191*6*.

Third: That said decedent was a resident of *Hollywood Town*
at the time of his death and left estate within the County of *Carver*
and the State of Minnesota, to be administered upon.

Fourth: That *Henry Kaness* is by law entitled, a suitable and
competent person, to administer upon said estate.

THEREFORE, It is ordered that said petition be granted and *Henry Kaness*
be and hereby is appointed *administrator* of the estate of said decedent, and
that letters of administration issue to *him* upon *his* filing the
oath by law required and a bond in this Court in the penal sum of
One Hundred Dollars, with sureties to be approved by the
Judge of this Court conditioned according to law.

By the Court

Dated *August 14*, 191*6*.

(Court Seal)

J. H. Pfeiffer
Judge of Probate

No. 2307

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Augusta Kanicas
Decedent

Order Granting Administration

Filed the *14th* day of
August 191*6*

Recorded in Book *6* of orders

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J. H. Klause
Judge of Probate

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In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Warner
Decedent

ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 15th day of December 1916, upon the petition of the representative of the above named estate praying for the allowance of his final account and for the distribution of the residue of said estate.

The said representative appeared ~~in person~~ *By W. C. & W. F. Odell his attorneys.*
and ~~has~~ *has* appeared in *Opposition*.

The Court after due consideration of said petition, the evidence adduced in support thereof, and the files and records in said matter, finds the following facts:

First—That due notice of the said hearing of said petition has been given as required by law by the publication of the citation of this Court for said hearing, dated the 14th day of November, 1916, in the Carver County News

Second—That the final account set forth in said petition has been examined, adjusted and settled by the Court, and so adjusted and settled, is hereby found correct; a summary statement of which account is as follows, to-wit:

Personal estate as described in the inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Personal estate omitted from the inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gain by sales above appraised value	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash from sales of real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash from rent of real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash from interest and profits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash from other sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....					-	-	-
.....					-	-	-
Total receipts from all sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Estate selected for surviving spouse	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
Maintenance of family of decedent	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
Expense of administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6 65.00
Expenses of last sickness	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
Funeral expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
Claims of creditors of decedent	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
Legacies	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
							\$6
							\$6
Residue on hand for distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6 none
Total credits	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6

Third—As a conclusion from the foregoing facts, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that said account, as adjusted by the court, be, and the same hereby is, settled and allowed as and for the final account of said representative of said estate.

Dated December 13th 1916
By the Court.

John H. Gleason
Judge of Probate

DEBITORS AND CREDITORS

RECEIPTS

No. 2304

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta J. Davies

Order Allowing Final Account

Filed this 13th day of

December A. D., 1916

and recorded in Book No. 6

of Orders at page 3-23

John H. Gleason
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss

In Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Augusta Koniess DECEASED

WHEREAS, It has been made to appear to the satisfaction of this court that

Henry F. Koniess
as Administrator of the above named estate has fully complied with all the terms and conditions of the final decree of distribution of said estate duly made and filed in this court, and has paid over to the distributees named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded by said final decree, and has fully complied with all other orders and decrees of this Court relating to said estate, and has in all things well, faithfully and fully administered said estate as such Administrator

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND DECREED, That said Administrator of said estate and the sureties on his bond, be, and they hereby are, forever discharged and released from all further duties and liabilities in the matter of said estate and of said trust.

Dated this 15th day of December, A. D. 1916.

(SEAL)

John H. Blaine
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minn.

No. 2307

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of Carver

In the Matter of the Estate of

Augusta Navies
Deceased.

**Order Discharging Executor or
Administrator**

Filed this 15th day of

December 1916

Recorded in Book 6 of Orders

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Wm. G. Pearson
Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

.... Augusta Kaniess.....

Decedent.

FINAL DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the ..15th... day of December.....1916., upon the petition of the representative of said estate for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

The representative of said estate appeared ~~in person~~ by W.C. & W.F. Odell.....
... No one appeared in opposition.....

Upon said hearing, and due consideration of said petition and said final account and the evidence produced at said hearing, the arguments of counsel and all persons interested therein, and the files and records in said matter, the court finds the following facts:

FIRST—That notice of said hearing has been duly given and served as required by law and the citation of this court for said hearing made and filed on the14th..... day of November.... 1916, and that said citation has been published as required by law in the Carver County News

SECOND—That the said estate has been in all respects fully administered, the expenses of the administration thereof, of the last sickness and burial of said decedent, and all debts of said decedent and claims against his estate, have been fully paid and satisfied, and that said representative has filed his final account herein which has been settled and allowed by the Court.

(1)

THIRD—That said decedent died.....in testate on the...11th..... day of May.....1916, and at the time of his said death was a resident of Watertown Town..... in the County of Carver..... State of Minnesota.....

FOURTH—That the residue of the estate of said decedent for distribution consists of the following property, to-wit:

(A) Personal property of the value of \$.....none..... comprising the following items, viz.:...none.....

(B) Real Property described as follows: The homestead of decedent situate in the County ofnone.....State of Minnesota, viz.:.....

Those other tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of...Caryer.....
of
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to wit:..An undivided One-Third of the following..
described land, viz; Commencing at a point on the North Line of the South West Quarter, of Section 31, Township 117, North, Range 25 West, which point is 9.40 chains east from the Quarter Section stone on the West Line of said Section; thence running East along the north line of said South West Quarter 23.23 chains to a point on the middle line of the Crow River; thence running South Westerly along the middle line of said river as follows, viz ; S.16° W, (Var.10° E) 1.40 chains; thence S.45° W. 2.20 chains; thence S.80° W. 3.30 chains; thence S.68° W. 2.70 chains; thence S.54° W. 2.75 chains; thence S. 30° W. 4.57 chains; thence S. 13° W. 2.10 chains; thence S.25° E. 2.60 chains; thence S. 4° E. 2 chains; thence ~~S.36° W. 1.80 chains~~ ^{thence S.30° W. 1.80 chains}; thence S.55° W. 2 chains; thence S.85° W. 1.60 chains; thence N.85° W. 1.50 chains; thence N.60° W. 1.40 chains; thence N. 48° W. 1.40 chains; thence N.34° W. 1.50 chains; thence N.44° W. 2.70 chains; thence N.18° E. 2.40 chains to a point on the middle line of the Helvetia Road; thence N.72° W. along the middle line of said road 12.53 chains to a point which is 2 chains easterly from the West line of said Section; thence N. 49° E. 11.90 chains to the place of beginning containing 29.58 acres of land more or less

FIFTH—That the following named persons are the sole heirs at law.....
..... (2)
and are all of the persons entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent, by law.....
..... (3)
to-wit: Reinhold Kaniess, a son of said Decedent.....

Henry Kaniess, a son of said Decedent
Emma Schwalbe, a daughter of said Decedent
Paul Kaniess, a son of said Decedent
Marie Kissinger, a daughter of said Decedent
Emil Kaniess, a son of said Decedent
Hugo Kaniess, a son of said Decedent and
Elsie Kaniess, a daughter of said Decedent

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of..... Henry F. Kaniess,.....
.....
representative of said estate, and by virtue of the power and authority vested in this court by law, IT
IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, and the said court does hereby ORDER, AD-
JUDGE AND DECREE, that all and singular the above described property, together with all other
estate of said decedent in the State of Minnesota, be, and the same hereby is, assigned to and vested
in the above named persons, in the following proportions and estates, to wit:.....
to said Reinhold Kaniess, Henry Kaniess, Emma Schwalbe, Paul Kaniess,
Mary Kissinger, Emil Kaniess, Hugo Kaniess, and Elsie Kaniess in fee
simple and forever all right and title in and to the hereinbefore de-
scribed real estate, an undivided One-Eighth interest therein to each.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the said above named persons, their heirs and assigns; without prejudice, however, to any lawful conveyance of said property or any part thereof by said persons, or any of them, made.



WITNESS, THE HONORABLE *John H. Haines*
Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this *15th* day of
December 19*16*
John H. Haines
Judge of Probate.

- Note (1) Insert "payment of legacies," if any there be.
Note (2) Insert "residuary legatees and devisees," or "sole heirs at law," as the case may be.
Note (3) Insert "by the terms of his last will and testament" or "by law," as the case may be.

No. *2304*

**In Probate Court,
County of Carver.**

In The Matter of The Estate of

Augusta Davies
Decedent.

**Final Decree Assigning Residue of
Estate.**

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

I, Judge of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within Final Decree with the matter of said Probate, with the original Final Decree on file and record in the Probate Office of the County aforesaid, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original Final Decree and Record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, and signed my name, this
..... day of
..... 19

Judge of Probate.

Filed this *15th* day of
December 19*16*, and recorded
in Book *6* of Estates
page *523*

John H. Haines
Judge of Probate.

No. 295.

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State of Minnesota } ss
COUNTY OF CARVER }

O. C. Keane

being duly sworn, ss, s that he

Order of Hearing on Petition for Determination
of Descent of Land.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, in Pro-
bate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Swan West

Decedent.

On reading and filing the petition of William
West, praying that this court determine the
descent of certain lands described therein as
belonging to the above named decedent in his life
time, who died more than five years prior to date
hereof:

It is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and
that all persons interested in the estate of the
above named decedent be and appear before this
court on the 11th day of August 1916, at 10 o'clock
a. m., at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court
House at the city of Claska in said county, and
then and there, or as soon thereafter as said
matter can be heard, show cause, if any there be,
why said petition should not be granted.

Let notice of said hearing be given by the
publication of this order in Carver County News
published at Watertown, Minn., according to law.

Date: July 18th, 1916. John Glaeser,
(court seal) Judge of Probate.

(First pub. in law on order)

is, and during all the time herein mentioned, has been the printer and pub-
lisher of a weekly newspaper known as the CARVER COUNTY NEWS; that
said paper is a collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, con-
sisting of general and local news, comments and literary items; that dur-
ing all the time for six years last past newspaper has been and is now
published in the English language, in Carver County, Minnesota, at an es-
tablished office therein, equipped with the necessary material and skilled
workmen for printing the same, and that said newspaper has been during
all of said time and now is printed in part in an office in said County, where
the same is dated; that said newspaper during all of said time has had and
now has a general circulation throughout the said Carver County, and dur-
ing all of said time has consisted, and now consists of not less than four
pages of six columns to each page, each column not less than seventeen
and three-quarters inches long; that during all of said time there has been
and now is published and delivered weekly at each regular issue more
than 250 complete copies of said paper to paying subscribers; that said pa-
per is not substantially a duplicate of any other publication and is not
made up wholly of patents and plates and advertisements; that the pub-
lisher of said paper did file with the County Auditor of said county, on the
22nd day of April, 1893, the affidavit required by Sec. 2 of Chap. 33, of the
General Laws of 1893, of the State of Minnesota. That the annexed printed

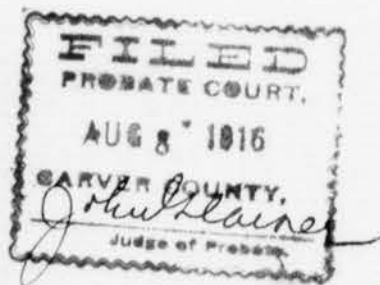
Order for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land
hereto attached
and made a part hereof, was cut from the columns of said newspaper and
was published in said newspaper for 3 successive weeks, once in each
week; that said notice was first published in said newspaper on Thursday,
the 20 day of July A. D. 1916 and was thereafter
published in said newspaper on each and every Thursday until and includ-
ing Thursday the 3 day of Aug A. D. 1916
(3 insertions) and that during all of said period said newspaper was
published on Thursday of each week.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of

August A. D. 1916
John Glaeser

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 7, 1917

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Decree of Descent

Swan West,

Decedent.

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 11th day of August 1916, upon the petition of William West, praying for the judicial determination of the descent of the real estate hereinafter described belonging to said decedent at the time of his death. The said petitioner appeared in person and no one appeared in opposition to said petition; and the court having duly considered said petition, the evidence adduced in support thereof, finds the following facts:

FIRST--That due notice of said hearing was given by the publication of the order of hearing of the court in the Carver County News, according to law.

SECOND--That the petitioner is a resident of Watertown in the County of Carver State of Minnesota, and has an interest in the said lands of decedent hereinafter described as follows, to-wit:
a son and heir at law of decedent,

THIRD--That the above named decedent died at Watertown Township in the County of Carver State of Minnesota on the 22nd day of November, 1883. xx without leaving a last will and testament.

and that more than five years have elapsed since the death of said decedent, and that no will has been probated nor administration had upon his said estate in the State of Minnesota.

FOURTH--That said decedent, at the time of his death, was the owner, and seized, of those certain tracts of land lying in the County of Carver State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Three (3) and the North-west Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North-west Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) and the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$) of the North-west Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$), all in Section 26, Township 117 North, of Range 25 west, containing 166.65 acres, more or less, according to Government Survey thereof.

And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Anna G. West, the widow of said decedent heretofore on the 17th day February 1911, died, and her life estate in said lands of decedent thereby lawfully terminated.

FIFTH--

(3)

SIXTH--That the following named persons are the Sole heirs at law

(4)

of said decedent and the persons entitled to his estate and the lands herein described, to-wit: Adolph West a son, Alma Soderquist a daughter, Chas. West a son, William West a son, Albin West a son, Tilly Krause a daughter, Emil West a son, August West a son and Edwin West a son, of said decedent.

AS A CONCLUSION FROM THE FOREGOING FACTS, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, That all and singular the above described lands descended to, and is the property of the above named persons as sole heirs at law of said decedent,

(5)

and that the same be, and hereby are, vested in and assigned to, the above named persons, in the following proportions, to-wit: To said Adolph West, Alma Soderquist, Chas West, William West, Albin West, Tilly Krause, Emil West, August West and Edwin West, in fee simple and for-ever all right and title in and to all the hereinbefore described Real Estate, an undivided one ninth (1/9) interest therein to each.

To Have and to Hold the Same, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the above named persons, their heirs and assigns, forever.

Witness the Honorable,

John Glaeser,

Judge of said Court,

and the seal thereof, this 11th day of August,

1916

Dated August 11th, 1916

[SEAL]

Judge of Probate.

Note (1) If will, insert "I"; and if no will, insert "Without."

(2) If no will, strike out; if will, insert "which has been presented for probate" and state its contents.

(3) If no will, strike out; if will, insert "that said will has been duly proved as the last will and testament of said decedent, and is hereby allowed and admitted to probate."

(4) If will, insert "sole devisees under last will and testament"; if no will, insert "sole heirs at law."

(5) If will, insert "as sole devisees under said last will and testament"; if no will, insert "as sole heirs at law of said decedent."

No. 2300

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Edwin West.

Decedent.

I, JOHN GLAESER, Judge of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within copy of the Decree of Descent of Real Property, made and entered in the above entitled matter, with the original record thereof preserved in said Probate Register, and that the same is a true copy of said original, and the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, of the City of Alaska in said County, this 11th day of August, 1916.

John Glaeser,
Probate Judge of Carver County, Minn.

Filed this 11th day of August 1916 and recorded in Order Book Estates, page 153

John Glaeser,
Probate Judge.

Transfer entered this 11th day of August 1916

County Auditor.

Office of Register of Deeds,
County of Carver

Filed for record on the 11th day of August 1916 at 10 o'clock A. M. and recorded in Book Page

Register of Deeds.

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

ss

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Suan West

Decedent.

Petition for Determination
of Descent of Land

Your petitioner respectfully represents and shows:

FIRST--That he is a resident of *Watertown* in the County of *Carver*
State of *Minnesota*

SECOND--That he is *a son of said decedent* (1)

and that he claims to have, and is entitled to, an interest in the lands hereinafter described as hereinafter set forth.

THIRD--That the said decedent died at *Watertown Twp* in the
County of *Carver* State of *Minnesota*
on the *22nd* day of *November* *1883* *Without* (2)
leaving a last will and testament (3)

and that more than five (5) years have elapsed since the death of said decedent, and that no will has been probated nor any administration granted in this State upon his said estate.

FOURTH--That at the time of his death the said decedent was the owner of and seized of certain lands lying and being in the County of *Carver* State of *Minnesota* described as follows, to-wit: *Lot number Three (3) and the North-west Quarter (N.W.1/4) of the North-west Quarter (N.W.1/4) and the South Half (S.1/2) of the North-west Quarter (N.W.1/4) all in Section Twenty-six (26) Township One-hundred-seventeen (117) North, Range Twenty-five (25) West. containing 166.65 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.*

FIFTH--That the interest of said petitioner in said lands is as follows:

SIXTH--That the names, ages, residences and relationship to said decedent, of all his heirs and devisees, according to the best information of your petitioner, are as follows, to-wit:

NAMES	AGES Years	RESIDENCE	RELATIONSHIP
Adolph West	50	Watertown, Minn	Son
Alma Rodergust	48	Columbus, N. Dak	Daughter
Chas West	46	Watertown, Minn	Son
William West	43	" "	"
Albin West	41	" "	"
Tilly Krause	38	" "	Daughter
Ernst West	36	" "	Son
Ernst West	34	" "	"
Edwin West	32	" "	"

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that the descent of said lands be determined by the court; and that the court make and enter its decree assigning the said lands to the persons thereunto entitled.

x William West

Petitioner.

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

{ ss

William West

appeared before me personally and, being duly sworn, on oath says; that he is the person who made and signed the foregoing petition; that he has read the said petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters he believed it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th

day of

June

1916

Notary Public

County, Minnesota

My Commission expires

Jan 4th

1923

Note (1) Insert relationship to decedent.

Note (2) If there is no will, insert "without"

Note (3) If there is a will, insert here "which is herewith presented for probate," and state briefly its contents.

Number 2306

State of Minnesota
County of Carver
Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Swan West
Decedent.

**Petition for Determination
of Descent of Land**

Filed this 18th day of

1916

James H. Haines
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver—In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of **Swan West** **Decedent.**

On reading and filing the petition of **William West** praying
that this court determine the descent of certain lands described therein as belonging to the above named decedent in his
life time, who died more than five years prior to the date hereof:

It is Ordered, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in the estate of the above named
decedent be and appear before this court on the **11th** day of **August** **1916** ,
at **10** o'clock **A M.**, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House at the City of Chaska in said County, and
then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any there be, why said petition should
not be granted.

Let notice of said hearing be given by the publication of this order in
 Carver County News,
according to law.

Dated **July 18th** **1916**
(Court Seal)

John H. Houser
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, { ss.
County of Carver,

I hereby certify and return, that on the 18 day of July 1916,
at the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver in said state, I served the within Order of Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land upon H. R. Sell, Treasurer of said County, by then and there handing to and leaving with him personally a true copy of said Citation.

Dated this 18 day of

July 1916
John Glaeser
Probate Judge, Carver County, Minn.

No. 2306

State of Minnesota,

County of Carver.

Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Sevan West
Decedent

Order of Hearing on Petition for
Determination of Descent of Land

Filed this 18th day of

July 1916
John Glaeser
Judge of Probate.

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PRINTER'S AFFIDAVIT.

State of Minnesota } ss
COUNTY OF CARVER }

C. J. [Signature]

being duly sworn, says that he

is, and during all the time herein mentioned, has been the printer and publisher of a weekly newspaper known as the CARVER COUNTY NEWS; that said paper is a collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, consisting of general and local news, comments and literary items; that during all the time for six years last past newspaper has been and is now published in the English language, in Carver County, Minnesota, at an established office therein, equipped with the necessary material and skilled workmen for printing the same, and that said newspaper has been during all of said time and now is printed in part in an office in said County, where the same is dated: that said newspaper during all of said time has had and now has a general circulation throughout the said Carver County, and during all of said time has consisted, and now consists of not less than four pages of six columns to each page, each column not less than seventeen and three-quarters inches long; that during all of said time there has been and now is published and delivered weekly at each regular issue more than 250 complete copies of said paper to paying subscribers; that said paper is not substantially a duplicate of any other publication and is not made up wholly of patents and plates and advertisements; that the publisher of said paper did file with the County Auditor of said county, on the 22nd day of April, 1893, the affidavit required by Sec. 2 of Chap. 33, of the General Laws of 1893, of the State of Minnesota. That the annexed printed

Order for Hearing on Claims hereto attached and made a part hereof, was cut from the columns of said newspaper and was published in said newspaper for .3. successive weeks, once in each week; that said notice was first published in said newspaper on Thursday, the 24. day of Aug. A. D. 1916 and was thereafter published in said newspaper on each and every Thursday until and including Thursday the 7. day of Sept. A. D. 1916 (.3. insertions) and that during all of said period said newspaper was published on Thursday of each week.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9. day of

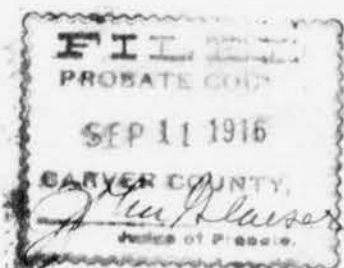
September A. D. 1916

Charles Nelson

Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.
My commission expires Jan. 4, 1923.

Order For Hearing On Claims
STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss
County of Carver }
In Probate court special term August 16th, 1916
In matter of the estate of Anna G. West,
Decedent.
Letters of Administration on the estate of Anna G. West deceased, late of the county of Carver state of Minnesota, being granted to Jas. J. Ponsford.
It is Ordered, that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate court of said county for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.
It is Further Ordered, That the 17th day of Nov., 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., at a special term of said Probate court to be held at the Probate office in the Court house, in the city of Chaska, in said county be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.
And It is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Carver County News a weekly newspaper printed and published at Watertown in said county.
Dated at Chaska, Minnesota, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1916.
(seal) By the court,
John Glaeser,
Judge of Probate
(1st pub. Aug. 24-16)

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SS

In the Matter of the Estate of

Decedent

ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT

The said representative appeared in person, and no one appeared in

First—That due notice of the said hearing of said petition has been given as required by law by the publication of the citation of this Court for said hearing, dated the 25-11 day of January 1917 in the

RECEIPTS

	RECEIPTS							
<i>Personal estate as described in the inventory</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$61572.12
<i>Personal estate omitted from the inventory</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6497.88
<i>Gain by sales above appraised value</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
<i>Cash from sales of real estate</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
<i>Cash from rent of real estate</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
<i>Cash from interest and profits</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
<i>Cash from other sources</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$6
.....							\$6
.....							\$6
<i>Total receipts from all sources</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$62070.00

DISBURSEMENTS AND CREDITS

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Third—As a conclusion from the foregoing facts, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that said account, as adjusted by the court, be, and the same hereby is, settled and allowed as and for the final account of said representative of said estate.

Dated May 14th

1917
By the Court.

John Gleason
Judge of Probate.

No. 2307

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West

Order Allowing Final Account

Filed this 14th day of

May A. D., 1917

and recorded in Book No. 5

of Orders at page 518

John Gleason
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West,

Decedent.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

Jas. J. Ponsford,

having filed in this Court his bond and oath to act as administrator of said estate, as by law provided;

Now, Therefore, The said Jas. J. Ponsford,

is hereby appointed administrator of the estate of Anna G. West,

decedent, with full powers and duties as follows:

First. To take possession of all the real and personal estate of the decedent which shall not be set aside for the surviving spouse or children of decedent and to collect all debts and claims due to said decedent.

Second. To receive the rents and profits of the real estate until the estate is settled or until delivered over by an order of the Probate Court to the heirs or persons thereunto entitled.

Third. To keep in tenantable repair all houses, buildings and fixtures of said real estate which may be under his control, and to pay all taxes legally levied on said real estate.

Fourth. To maintain any necessary action for the possession of said real estate or quieting title to the same.

Fifth. Within three months hereafter to make and return a verified inventory and appraisement of all real and personal estate of decedent which shall have come to his possession or knowledge.

Sixth. To pay the funeral expenses, and expenses of the last sickness and all just debts of said decedent that shall be proved and allowed herein, to settle and compound the same, and to make defense against any claims that are not just and proper to be allowed.

Seventh. To obey all orders of the Court herein and settle for and account for the property of the decedent within the time prescribed by the Court.

Dated August 16th 1916 By the Court,

{ COURT {
{ SEAL }

John H. Kasper
Judge of Probate.

2307

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

Filed this *16th* day of
August 19 *16*, and
recorded in Book *3* of Letters

on page

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John Glaeser
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna G. West, Decedent.THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Adolph West, Alma Soderquist, Chas West,
William West, Alvin West, Tilly Krause, Emil West, August West, Edwin
West,

all persons interested in the granting of Administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of William West having been filed in this court, representing that Anna G. West, then a resident of the County of Carver State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 17th day of February 1911; and praying that letters of Administration of her estate be granted to Williamx Jas. J. Ponsford,; and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of August 1911 at 11 o'clock A M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and Seal of said Court, this Eighteenth day of July 1911 6
(Court Seal)

John W. Wauer
Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Carver }

I hereby certify and return, that on the 18 day of July 1916
at the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver in said state, I served the within Citation for
Hearing on Petition for Administration upon H. R. Sell, Treasurer of said county, by then and
there handing to and leaving with him personally a true copy of said Citation.

Dated this 18 day of July 1916.

John H. Klesner
Probate Judge, Carver County, Minn.

No. 2307

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West

Citation for Hearing on Pe-
tition for Administration.

Filed this 18th day of

July 1916.
John H. Klesner
Probate Judge of Probate Court.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

The Waconia Patriot Print

State of Minnesota, County of Carver In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna G. West, Decedent

The State of Minnesota to Adolph West, Alma Soderquist, Chas West,
William West, Albin West, Tilly Krause, Emil West, Edwin West, August West,

and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled:

Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of February 19 17 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of January 19 17

~~Attorney for Petitioner~~

(Court Seal)

John Gleason
Probate Judge

No. 2307

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West
Decedent

**Citation for Hearing on Fi-
nal Account and for
Distribution**

Filed this 25th day of

January 1917
John H. Emerson
Judge of Probate Court

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Order for Hearing on Petition

Anna G. West

for Administration.

Decedent.

The Petition of

William West

having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that

Anna G. West

, then being a resident of the County of *Carver*

State of *Minnesota*

, died intestate, in the County of *Carver*

State of *Minnesota*

, on the *17th* day of *February* 1911

leaving estate in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, and that said petitioner is the

Son

of said decedent, and praying that letters of

administration of the estate of said decedent be granted to

Jas J. Forsford

It is Ordered, That said petition be heard before this Court, at the Probate Court rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Chaska, County of Carver, State of Minnesota, on the *11th* day of

Aug

1916, at *11* o'clock *A.*M., and that the citation of this Court

issue to all persons interested in said hearing and said matter, and that such citation be served by the publication thereof in *The Carver County News* according to law.

Dated *July 18th* 1916

By the Court,

John Kleiser

Judge of Probate.

No. 2307

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West

Decedent.

Order of Hearing on Petition
for Administration.

Filed this 18 day of July
A. D. 1916

John Glaeser
Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of
Anna G. West

Decedent

Final Account and Petition
for Settlement

Your petitioner respectfully represents and shows to the Court:

First---That he is the representative of the estate of the above named decedent.

Second---That as such representative he has fully administered the said estate, has paid and satisfied all claims against said estate allowed by the court, and has in all things complied with the orders of this Court in said matter, and with the law relating thereto.

Third---That he herewith renders his final account of his said administration, which is as follows, to-wit:

RECEIPTS

Personal property described in the inventory - - - - -	\$	1	5	7	2	18
Personal estate omitted from the inventory - - - - -	\$		4	9	7	88
Gain by sales above appraised value - - - - -	\$					
Cash from sales of real estate - - - - -	\$					
Cash from rent of real estate - - - - -	\$					
Cash from interest and profits - - - - -	\$					
Cash from other sources - - - - -	\$					
.....	\$					
.....	\$					
.....	\$					
.....	\$					
Total receipts from all sources - - - - -	\$	2	0	7	0	00

DISBURSEMENTS

I. FAMILY

Personal property selected by and turned over to surviving spouse	Voucher No.	\$				
Maintenance of family of decedent - - - - -	Voucher No.	\$				

II. EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Loss from sales of personal property at less than appraised valuation - - - - -	Voucher No.	\$	9	1	0	22
Cash paid to appraisers for services - - - - -	Voucher No. 1-2	\$			6	00
Cash paid for publications of orders - - - - -	Voucher No. 3	\$			1	5 00
Repairs to real estate - - - - -	Voucher No.	\$				
Cash paid for insurance Expense of Auction - - - - -	Voucher No. 4-5-6-7-8	\$			2	1 00
Expenses of representative - - - - -	Voucher No. 9	\$			2	3 00
Compensation of representative - - - - -	Voucher No. 10	\$			3	5 00
Fees of Attorney - - - - -	Voucher No.	\$				
Final Decree and recording same	Voucher No. 11	\$			3	00
.....	Voucher No.	\$				
.....	Voucher No.	\$				
Total expense of administration - - - - -		\$	1	0	1	3 22

III. EXPENSES OF LAST SICKNESS

Cash paid for medical attendance - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Cash paid for medicines - - - - - NONE - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Cash paid for nursing - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Total expenses of last sickness - - - - -	\$								

IV. FUNERAL EXPENSES.

Cash paid for undertaker - - - - - NONE - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Cash paid for sexton - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Cash paid for livery service - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Cash paid for burial service - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Cash paid for monument - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Total funeral expenses - - - - -	\$								

V. TAXES

Personal property tax - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Real property tax - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Insurance..... - - - - -	Voucher No.....\$								
Total taxes paid and insurance - - - - -	\$								

(Insurance & Tax paid by Adolph and Ernest West)

VI. CLAIMS OF CREDITORS

Cash paid in settlement of claims of creditors as allowed by the Court as follows:

Claim No.	Voucher No.	NAME OF CLAIMANT	AMOUNT
			\$
		NONE	\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$

Total amount of claims paid and settled - - - - - \$

VII. LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

..... NONE	\$								
.....	\$								
.....	\$								
.....	\$								
.....	\$								
Total legacies and bequests paid - - - - -	\$								

Sundry repairs- - - - - \$ 20.64
(Paid by Adolph and Emil West)

RECAPITULATION

	Receipts	Disbursements
Total receipts from all sources - - - - -	\$ 2070.00	
Total disbursements and credits as follows: - - - - -		
1. Family - - - - -		
2. Expenses of administration - - - - -		1 0 1 3 22
3. Expenses of last sickness - - - - -		
4. Funeral Expenses - - - - -		
5. Taxes and insurance - - - - -		3 0 2 58
6. Claims of creditors Sundry repairs - - - - -		2 0 64
7. Specific Legacies - - - - -		
8. Residue of personal property for distribution - - -		8 3 3 56
Total - - - - -	2 0 7 0 00	2 0 7 0 00

Fourth--That there is also belonging to said estate for distribution certain real estate as follows:

The homestead of said decedent, in the County of State of Minnesota, described, as follows:..... NONE

Also those other tracts and parcels of land in the County of State of Minnesota, described as follows:..... NONE

Fifth--That said decedent died on the...17th...day of...February...
1917, in testate, and left her surviving Adolph West, a son; Alma Soderquist, a daughter; Chas. West, a son; William West, a son; Albin West, a son; Tilly Krause, a daughter; Emil West, a son; Edwin West, a son; August West, a son,

who are...all the heirs at law... (1)
of said decedent, and the persons entitled to the residue of said estate.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays the order of this Court, fixing a time and place for the hearing of this petition and an examination of his final account, and the settlement and allowance of the same; and that, upon said hearing, the Court issue its final decree, assigning the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

Dated...January 19th...1917...
Jas. J. Ponsford
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Carver,

Jas. J. Ponsford

being duly sworn, on oath says that he is the person who made the foregoing petition; that he knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on his information and belief, and as those matters he believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
19th day of January 1917.
Charles Nelson
Notary Public,
Carver County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires Jan. 4th 1923.

Note (1)—Insert "Sole devisees" or "All the heirs at law," as the case may be.

No. 2307
State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. Corot.

Final Account and Petition for
Hearing and Allowance
Thereof.

Filed this 25th day of
January 1917
Jas. J. Ponsford
Judge of Probate.

No. 66

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

In Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West

Decedent.

Order Granting Administration

The petition of *William West* praying that letters of administration upon said estate be granted to *Jas. J. Pousford* came duly on for hearing at a *Special* Term of this Court, held on the *11th* day of *August* 191*6*. Said petitioner appeared in person and no one appeared in opposition.

The court having duly considered said petition and the evidence adduced in support thereof, finds as follows:

First: That notice of said hearing has been given and served by the publication of the citation for said hearing issued herein in the *Carver County News* as by law and the order of this Court provided.

Second: That the said decedent died intestate on the *12th* day of *February* 191*6*.

Third: That said decedent was a resident of *Watertown Town Carver Co.* at the time of his death and left estate within the County of *Carver* and the State of Minnesota, to be administered upon.

Fourth: That *Jas. J. Pousford* is by law entitled, a suitable and competent person, to administer upon said estate.

THEREFORE, It is ordered that said petition be granted and *Jas. J. Pousford* be and hereby is appointed *Administrator* of the estate of said decedent, and that letters of administration issue to *him* upon *him* filing the oath by law required and a bond in this Court in the penal sum of *Fifteen Hundred* Dollars, with sureties to be approved by the Judge of this Court conditioned according to law.

By the Court

Dated *August 11th* 191*6*.

(Court Seal)

John Klaiser
Judge of Probate

No. 2307

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Anna G. West
Decedent

Order Granting Administration

Filed the *11th* day of

Aug. 191*6*

Recorded in Book *6* of orders

page *513*

John Kloener
Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West, Decedent.

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Jas. J. Ponsford

of Watertown

in the county of Carver, state of Minnesota, as principal and

Claude C. Teas and Frank A. Barth

of said County and State, as sureties, are held and firmly bound to J. H. Clauser
Judge of Probate of Carver County, Minnesota, in the sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1500.00) DOLLARS
lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said Judge of Probate or his successors in office; for
which payments will and truly to be made, we bind ourselves; our, and each of ours, heirs, executors
and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation is such that if the above bounden Jas. J. Ponsford

who has been appointed representative of the estate of the above
named Anna G. West shall
well and faithfully discharge all the duties of his trust as representative of said estate according to law
then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

Witness, our hands and seals this 12th day of August 1916

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

Chas. A. Nelson

W. J. Brink

Jas. J. Ponsford (Seal)
Claude C. Teas (Seal)
Frank A. Barth (Seal)
(Seal)
(Seal)
(Seal)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

Be it Known, That on this 12th day of August A. D., 1916
personally appeared before me Jas. J. Ponsford and Claude C. Teas
and Frank A. Barth

to me well known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing bond, and they severally acknow-
ledged the same to be their own free act and deed, and that they executed the same for the uses and pur-
poses therein expressed

Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public.
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires Jan. 4th, 1923

JUSTIFICATION

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

Claude C. Teas and Frank A. Barth

being duly sworn, each for himself, on oath says, that he is a resident and freeholder of and in the State of Minnesota, that he justifies upon the foregoing bond as follows:

the said Claude C. Teas in the sum of Seven-hundred-fifty----- Dollars

the said Frank A. Barth in the sum of Seven-hundred-fifty----- Dollars

the said in the sum of ----- Dollars

the said in the sum of ----- Dollars

and the said in the sum of ----- Dollars

and that each respectively is worth double the sum in which he so justifies over and above his debts, and other liabilities and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

12th day of August A. D. 1916

Charles Nelson

Notary Public
Carver County, Minn

My commission expires Jan. 4th, 1923

Claude C. Teas
Frank A. Barth

APPROVAL

I do hereby approve the within Bond, this 16th day of August A. D. 1916

(Court Seal)

John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

OATH

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

I, Jas. J. Ponsford

do swear that I will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now as-

sume as representative of the estate of Anna G. West Decedent,

to the best of my ability. So help me God.

Jas. J. Ponsford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August 1916

Charles Nelson

Notary Public.
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires Jan. 4th 1923

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West,

Decedent.

Bond and Oath of
Representative

Filed this 16th day of

August A. D. 1916

and said bond recorded in Book 3

of Bonds, page 185 of Probate

Records.

John Klauer
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota

In Probate Court

County of Carver

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West

Decedent.

Petition for Administration

TO THE PROBATE COURT ABOVE NAMED:

Your Petitioner

William West

respectfully represents and states to the court:

First—That your petitioner is a resident of

Watertown

(1)

in the County of

Carver

State of Minnesota, and is an adult who has an

interest in whatever estate the decedent above named may have left at the time of his death, to-wit:

as Son of Decedent.

(2)

Second—That said decedent died on the

17th

day of

February

191

aged

68

years, and was at the time of his death a resident of

Carver

County, State of

Minnesota

, and was the owner of estate in the County of

Carver

State of Minnesota, at the time of his said death

Third—That said decedent died as aforesaid without leaving a last will and testament.

Fourth—That said estate of decedent, at the time of his death, included

(3)

personal property of the probable value of \$1300.00, divided as follows:

1. Household goods \$

2. Wearing apparel \$

3. Stock

\$800.00

4. Notes, bonds, etc. \$

5. Miscellaneous \$

6.

Rents due

\$500.00

That said estate included

no

(3) real estate of the estimated and probable

value of \$ consisting principally of lands in the County of

State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

1. Homestead in

County, State of Minnesota,

\$

2. City property

(3) lots without buildings \$

City property

lots with buildings \$

3. Rural or farm property

acres, unimproved land \$

Rural or farm property

(3) acres, improved land \$

Fifth—That the names, ages, residence and relationship to decedent of the heirs at law of said decedent are as follows, to-wit:

NAMES	AGES Years	RESIDENCE	RELATIONSHIP
Adolph West	50	Watertown, Minn.	Son
Alma Loderquist	48	Columbus, N. Dak.	Daughter
Chas. West	46	Watertown, Minn.	Son
William West	43	Watertown, Minn.	"
Albin West	41	Watertown, Minn.	"
Tilly Krause	38	Watertown, Minn.	Daughter
Emil West	36	Watertown, Minn.	"
August West	34	Watertown, Minn.	"
Edwin West	32	Watertown, Minn.	"

Sixth—That James J. Gusef whose postoffice address is Watertown, Minnesota is a suitable and competent person to administer the said estate, and is lawfully entitled thereto

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that administration of the estate of said decedent be granted by the court, and that, upon due qualification, letters of administration be issued to the said

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss.

William West
Petitioner.

being duly sworn, on oath says that he is the person who makes the foregoing petition in the above entitled matter; that he has read said petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21st day of June 1916

William West

Chas. A. Nelson

Notary Public, Carver County, Minnesota.

My commission expires Jan. 4th 1923

Note 1—Insert name of town, village, city, as case may be.
Note 2—Insert relationship or interest, as heir, creditor, etc.
Note 3—If no property, insert the word "No" and strike out unnecessary words.

No. 2307

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Anna G. West
Decedent.

Petition for Administration

Filed this 18th day of

July 1916

John H. Glasser
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West,

Decedent.

FINAL DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 14th day of Nov. 1917, upon the petition of the representative of said estate for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

The representative of said estate appeared in person

and no one appeared in opposition.

Upon said hearing, and due consideration of said petition and said final account and the evidence produced at said hearing, the arguments of counsel and all persons interested therein, and the files and records in said matter, the court finds the following facts:

FIRST—That notice of said hearing has been duly given and served as required by law and the citation of this court for said hearing made and filed on the 25th day of January, 1917, and that said citation has been published as required by law in The Carver County News.

SECOND—That the said estate has been in all respects fully administered, the expenses of the administration thereof, of the last sickness and burial of said decedent, and all debts of said decedent and claims against her estate, have been fully paid and satisfied, and that said representative has filed her final account herein which has been settled and allowed by the Court.

(1)

THIRD—That said decedent died in testate on the 17th day of February, 1911, and at the time of her said death was a resident of in the County of CARVER State of Minnesota.

(A) Personal property of the value of \$..33,56..... comprising
the following items, viz.:.....

(B) Real Property described as follows: The homestead of decedent situate in the County of _____ State of Minnesota, viz.: _____ not any _____

Those other tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of.....
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to wit:.....
none

FIFTH—That the following named person, S., the Sole heirs at law.....

(2)

and QTA the person A. entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent, by law.....

(3)

to-wit: Adolph West, a son of said decedent......

Alma Soderquist, a daughter of said decedent......

Chas. West, a son of said decedent......

William West, a son of said decedent......

Albin West, a son of said decedent......

Tilly Krause, a daughter of said decedent......

Emil West, a son of said decedent......

Edwin West, a son of said decedent, and.....

August West, a son of said decedent......

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of Jas. J. Ponsford, as.....

representative of said estate, and by virtue of the power and authority vested in this court by law, IT

IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, and the said court does hereby ORDER, AD-

JUDGE AND DECREE, that all and singular the above described property, together with all other

estate of said decedent in the State of Minnesota, be, and the same hereby is, assigned to and vested

in the above named person S., in the following proportions and estates, to-wit:.....

To said Adolph West, Alma Soderquist, Chas West, William West,

Albin West, Tilly Krause, Emil West, Edwin West and August West,

the sum of \$833.56, Share and Share alike.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, to the said above named person. & heirs and assigns; without prejudice, however, to any lawful conveyance of said property or any part thereof by said person. & . . . , or any of them, made.



WITNESS, THE HONORABLE John Glaeser
Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 14th day of
May 1917.

John Glaeser
Judge of Probate.

- Note (1) Insert "payment of legacies," if any there be.
Note (2) Insert "residuary legatees and devisees," or "sole heirs at law," as the case may be.
Note (3) Insert "by the terms of his last will and testament" or "by law," as the case may be.

No. 2307

In Probate Court
County of Carver.

In The Matter of the Estate of

Amos G. West
Decedent.

Final Decree Assigning
Residue of Estate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

Judge of the Probate Court of said County do hereby certify that I have compared the within Final Decree with the original of said estate, with the original Final Decree on file and of record in the Probate Office of the County aforesaid, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original Final Decree and Record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, and signed my name, this day of 19

Place of Probate.

Filed this *14th* day of *May*, 1917, and recorded in *Book 6* page *515*

John Glaeser
Judge of Probate

No. 295.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West

Decedent.

Inventory and Appraisement

OATH OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

Chas. A. Nelson

and

A. G. W. Anderson do solemnly swear, each for himself, that I will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as appraiser of the estate of Anna G. West, decedent, to the best of my ability. So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
15th day of September 1916.
Notary Public, Carver County Minn.
My commission expires May 7th, 1917.

Chas. A. Nelson
A. G. W. Anderson

INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT.

The undersigned representative of the estate of the above named decedent, represent \$... and show \$... to the court,...

That the following is a true and correct inventory of all the property of the above named estate, both real and personal, which has come into his possession and of which he has knowledge after diligent search and inquiry concerning the same classified as following, to-wit:

CLASS I.
REAL ESTATE

VALUE

(a) The homestead of decedent, being in the County of ...
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: \$ None

(b) All other real estate of decedent, being in the County of ...
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: None

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Total value of real estate - - - - - \$ None

CLASS II.

Furniture and household goods described as follows:

_____ \$ None

Total value of furniture and household goods - - - - - \$None.....

CLASS III.

Wearing apparel and ornaments, described as follows, to-wit:

	\$ None

Total value of wearing apparel and ornaments - - - - - \$ None.....

CLASS IV.

Stock in banks and other corporation:

	\$ None

Total value of stock - - - - - \$ None

CLASS V.

Mortgages, bonds, notes and other evidences of debt: (Here list any written obligations of any kind due and owing decedent.)

Bank Deposit	\$ 252.12
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Due from rent of Real Estate as per Farm Lease	600.00
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Total value of mortgages, bonds, notes, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	\$852,12.....
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CLASS VI.

All other personal property: (Here list cash, book accounts, annuities, farm crops, machinery, etc.)

150 bushels of wheat, 50 bushels of oats, 25 bushels \$

of corn, as per Farm Lease	\$220.00
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12 cows, 2 bulls, 2 heifers, 2 calves, as per Farm Lease \$500.00

Total value of all other personal property	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$720.00
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SUMMARY.

The total value of all the real estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$ None

The total value of all the personal property of decedent, as valued by the appraisers here-

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The total value of the entire estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$1572.12...

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph P. Ryan
Representative.....

Representative.....

VERIFICATION.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

Jas. J. Ponsford

being duly sworn, on oath say s, that. he is the representative of the estate above specified; that he has read the foregoing inventory subscribed by him and know s the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, save as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters he believe s it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
15th day of September 1916
Charles Nelson
Notary Public, Carver County Minn.
My commission expires Jan. 4th, 1923.

Jas. J. Ponsford
Representative

CERTIFICATE OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

We, the undersigned appraisers, duly appointed by the Probate Court of Carver County, Minnesota, to appraise the estate of Anna G. West, Decedent, having first duly taken and subscribed the oath prescribed by law and hereto annexed, hereby certify and return, that we have carefully examined and considered the inventory of said estate delivered to us by the representative of said estate and the property therein described, and have faithfully and impartially and to the best of our knowledge and ability, appraised the said property, and set down opposite each item thereof in figures the value thereof in money, and have footed up by itself the amount and value of each class of said property, and of the whole of said estate.

Dated this 15th day of September A. D. 1916.

Charles Nelson
A. W. Anderson
Appraisers.

File No. 2307

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Anna G. West

Decedent.

INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT

Total personal \$
Total Real Estate \$
Total Appraisement \$

Filed this 19th day of

September, A. D. 1916

John Nelson
Judge-Clerk of Probate Court.