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CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of August Weinholz, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Emilie Wienholz, Mary Augusta Aldritt, Lina Rabbe, Martha Malbauer, Albert Wienholz, Moravian Church at Chaska, and all persons interested in the allowance and Probate of Will of said decedent: The petition of Emilie Wienholz, being duly filed in this Court, representing that August Wienholz, then a resident of the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, died on the 22nd day of June, 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 Testamentary be issued thereon to Emilie Wienholz.

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 15th day of August 1916 at 10 o'clock A. 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 15th day of July 1916.

JOHN GLAESER, Judge.
(First pub. July 20, 1916.)

State of Minnesota, ss.
County of Carver,

F. E. DuBois

being duly sworn says that he is and during all that time hereinafter mentioned has been the printer and publisher of a weekly newspaper known as The Weekly Valley Herald, that said newspaper is a collection of reading matter 13 columns and sheet form, consisting of general and local news, comment, and literary items, that during all the time for ten years last past the said newspaper has been and now is published in the English language, weekly, in the City of Chaska, in Carver County, Minnesota, at an established office therein, equipped with the necessary materials and skilled workmen for producing the same, and that the said newspaper has been during all of said time and now is printed in part in said office in said city, where the same is dated, that said newspaper during all of said time has had and now has general circulation in said city and throughout the said Carver County, and during all of said time has consisted of not less than four pages of six columns to each page, each column not less than seventeen and three quarter inches long, that during all of said time said paper more than 240 complete copies of said paper to paying subscribers, that said paper is not substantially a duplicate of any other publication, is not made up wholly of patents and plates and advertisements, that the publisher of said paper did file with the county auditor of Carver County an affidavit setting forth the facts required by Section 2, Chapter 33, of the Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year

1916 and amendments thereto. That the annexed printed notice of *Chaska*

for hearing on Probate of Will hereto attached and made a part hereof, was cut from the columns of said newspaper and was published

in said newspaper for *Three* successive weeks, once in each week; that said

notice was first published in said newspaper on Thursday the *20th* day of

July A. D. 1916, and was thereafter published in said newspaper

on each and every succeeding Thursday until and including Thursday, the *3rd*

day of *August* A. D. 1916, (3 insertions) and that during

all of said period said newspaper was published on Thursday of each week.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this *15th* day of *August*

A. D. 1916.

F. E. DuBois, Pub
John Glaeser, Probate Judge
Carver Co Minn

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

.....August Wienholz,.....
Decedent.

FINAL DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 22nd day of March 19 18., 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 26th day of February 19 18., and that said citation has been published as required by law in.....
The Valley Herald.....

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 her final account herein which has been settled and allowed by the Court.

And it appearing by the Receipts on file, that the legacies of \$500.00 to Albert Wienholz, and of \$1000.00 to Mary A. Aldritt and of \$500.00 to the Moravian Church at Chaska, are all fully paid and satisfied.

THIRD—That said decedent died..... testate on the 22nd day of June 19 16, and at the time of his said death was a resident of Chaska 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 \$...3932.00..... comprising the following items, viz.:...One mortgage signed by Ernst N. C. Meyer, dated July 1st, 1910 and recorded in Book "Z" of mtgs, on page 173, Register of deeds office, Carver County, Minn, on which said mortgage there is due and unpaid the sum of \$900.00
One Mortgage signed by Syver S. Kolden and Sophia Kolden, his wife, dated January 19th, 1915 for \$1000.00, as recorded in Book "74" on page 445 Register of Deeds office, Marshall County, Minn, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, and assigned to August Wienholz, assignment recorded in Book "76" of mtgs, page 74, Register of Deeds office, Marshall County, Minn.
One mortgage of \$1000.00 signed by E.E. Peterson and Emma Peterson his wife, dated July 19th, 1915 as recorded in Book "M" of mtgs, on page 308. Register of Deeds office Koochiching County, Minn, in favor of Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, and assigned to August Wienholz, by assignment recorded in Book "L" of mtgs. on page 418 Register of Deeds office Koochiching County, Minn.

And cash money in the sum of \$1032.00

(B) Real Property described as follows: The homestead of decedent situate in the County ofState of Minnesota, viz.: ...no real estate.....

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~~ are the Residuary legatees.....

(2)

and are the person~~s~~ entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent,.....

by the terms of his last will and testament,..... (3)

to-wit: Emilie Wienholz, the widow of said decedent,.....

Lina Raabe, a sister of said decedent and

Martha Maibauer, a sister of said decedent.

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of..... Emilie Wienholz, 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, ADJUDGE 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 Lina Raabe, the sum of Five hundred Dollars.

To said Martha Maibauer, the sum of five hundred Dollars and

To said Emilie Wienholz, all the hereinbefore described mortgages together with all notes and obligations thereto belonging. also

the remaining \$32.00 cash money.

And it Further appearing to the Court, That said Lina Raabe, and Martha Maibauer, are native citizens and Residence of Germany and for that reason pursuant to Section 7401 of the General Statute of Minnesota for the year 1913 it is specifically ordered that said Executrix forthwith deposit the legacies to which they are entitled with the County Treasurer of the County, taking duplicate Receipts therefore, one of which shall be filed with this Court and the other with the County Auditor.

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 22nd day of
March 1918.

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. 2308

In Probate Court
County of Carver.

In The Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz
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 read the within Final Decree in the matter of said estate, with the original and copies 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____.

Judge of Probate.

Filed this 22nd day of
March 1918 and recorded
in Ord. Book 46
page 19

John Glaeser
Judge of Probate

No. 285.

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, August Wienholz, of Chaska
in the County of Carver and
State Minnesota being of sound mind and memory,
and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and
declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

First, I order and direct that my executrix 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 adopted daughter Mary Augusta Aldritt the sum of One
Thousand (\$1000.00) Dollars.

Third:- I give and bequeath unto my Brother Albert Wienholz, the sum of
Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

Fourth:- I give and bequeath unto my sister Lina Raabe (formerly Wienholz)
now living in Branzhagen in Pommern Germany, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00)
Dollars.

Fifth:- I give and bequeath unto my sister Martha Maibauer (formerly Wienholz)
living in Boertenhagen bei Elmhorst, Vor Pommern, Germany, the sum of Five
Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

Sixth:- I give and bequeath unto the Moravian Church at Chaska, Minn, for
Mission, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

Seventh:- All the rest and ~~residue~~ residue of all my property of which
I die possessed of and of every kind and description, I give and bequeath
unto my beloved wife Emilie Wienholz, to be hers, her heirs and assigns
forever.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint my wife Emilie Wienholz,

to be executrix 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 22nd
day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and Sixteen

August Wienholz, [SEAL]

This Instrument Was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said
testator August Wienholz to be his last Will and Testament in our presence,
who at his request, have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses, in his presence, and in the presence
of each other.

Albert Meyer residing at Chaska, Minn.

John Koehn residing at Chaska, Minn.

LAST WILL & TESTAMENT

OF

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Dated

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF CARVER

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of
August Weinholtz, deceased.

PETITION FOR THE WITHDRAWAL
OF FUNDS DEPOSITED WITH THE
COUNTY TREASURER.

Comes now your petitioner, Carl K. Lifson, as administrator of the estate of Lina Raabe, deceased, and respectfully represents to the court that he is the duly qualified and acting representative of the estate of Lina Raabe, deceased, and that by virtue of the decree of distribution in the matter of the estate of August Weinholtz, deceased, said Lina Raabe was granted the sum of Five Hundred Dollars from said estate, but that the representative of said estate was at the time of closing said estate unable to deliver said sum to her, and that therefore upon his petition and under the order of this court said sum was deposited with the county treasurer of Carver County, Minnesota, on or about the 22nd day of March, 1918, and that said sum still remains on deposit for the benefit of said Lina Raabe. That said Lina Raabe has since passed away and that your petitioner as the representative of her estate is entitled to receive said funds.

Wherefore your petitioner prays for the order of this court directing the county auditor of Carver County, Minnesota, to issue his warrant to the treasurer of said county, for the payment of said sum of Five Hundred Dollars to Carl K. Lifson, as administrator of the estate of Lina Raabe, deceased.

Carl K. Lifson
as administrator of the estate
of Lina Raabe, deceased,
Petitioner.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN) ^{SS}

Carl K. Lifson, being first duly sworn
says that he is the petitioner in the foregoing petition;
that he has read the allegations therein set forth and that
the same is true.

Carl K. Lifson

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 4th day of January, 1936.

Jonas G. Schwartz

Jonas G. Schwartz, Notary Public, Hennepin Co., Minn.
My Commission Expires June 30, 1943.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF CARVER

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the estate of
August Weinholtz, deceased.

ORDER

The above entitled matter came before the court on January 4th 1937, upon the petition of Carl K. Lifson, as administrator of the estate of Lina Raabe, deceased, for an order of this court requiring the court to make its order directing the county auditor to issue his warrant to county treasurer for the payment to said petitioner of the sum of Five Hundred Dollars which was deposited with the county treasurer of Carver county, Minnesota, on or about the 22nd day of March, 1918, by the representative of the estate of August Weinholtz, deceased, for the benefit of said Lina Raabe, and the court being fully advised in the premises and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that said petitioner is entitled to receive said funds,

It is hereby ordered that the county ^{auditor} ~~treasurer~~ of Carver County pay or issue his warrant to the county treasurer of said county, his warrant for the payment of the said sum of Five Hundred Dollars to Carl K. Lifson, as administrator of the estate of Lina Raabe, deceased.

A. W. Anderson
Probate Judge.

Dated January 4th 1937.

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Saved January 4th 1937.

Filed Jan 6-1937

A. W. Chickler

By *[Signature]*
Attorney for Plaintiff

Plaintiff's Exhibit, presented.
In the Matter of the Estate of
COUNTY OF CARROLL
STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN PROBATE COURT

O. J. J. H.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN PROBATE COURT

COUNTY OF CARVER

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Weinholtz, Deceased.

ORDER FOR WITHDRAWAL

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The above entitled matter came on for hearing before the undersigned, on the 5th day of December, 1936, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon, upon the petition of Marta Weinholtz Maybauer, by and through her attorney in fact, Jonas G. Schwartz, for the payment to said Jonas G. Schwartz as attorney in fact for said Marta Weinholtz Maybauer, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), deposited with the County Treasurer of Carver County, Minnesota, by the representative of the above named estate on or about the 22nd day of March, 1918.

Service of notice of said hearing having been duly made upon the County Attorney for the County of Carver, and upon the County Treasurer of the said County, as provided by statute, and it appearing to the Court that said Jonas G. Schwartz is entitled to receive said funds,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, That the County ^{Auditor}~~Attorney~~ of Carver County, Minnesota, issue his warrant to the County Treasurer of said County for the payment of the sum of \$500 to Jonas G. Schwartz, attorney in fact for Marta Weinholtz Maybauer.

Dated:
December
Fifth
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W. Anderson
Judge of Probate

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Order for
Withdrawal

Filed Dec 5-1936
A. W. Anderson

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF CARVER

IN PROBATE COURT

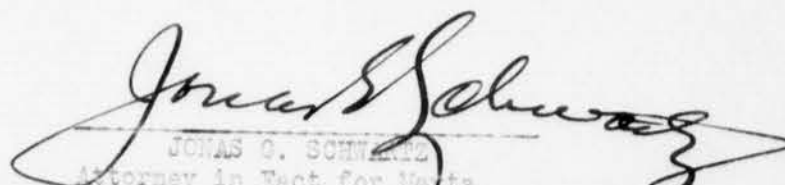
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Weinholz, Deceased.

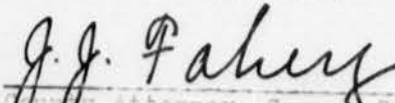
N O T I C E

TO: County Attorney of Carver County, Minnesota; and
County Treasurer of Carver County, Minnesota:

Will you please take notice that at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the fifth day of December, 1936, the undersigned will petition the above-named Court for its Order directing the County Treasurer of said County to pay over to him, as attorney in fact for Marta Weinholz Maybauer, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), which said sum was deposited with the County Treasurer of Carver County, Minnesota, on or about the 22nd day of March, 1918, for the benefit of said Marta Weinholz Maybauer.


JONAS G. SCHWARTZ
Attorney in Fact for Marta
Weinholz Maybauer

Due service of the above Notice is hereby admitted this 5th day of December, 1936.


County Attorney, Carver Co., Minn.


County Treasurer, Carver Co., Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF CARVER

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Weinholtz, Deceased.

PETITION FOR THE WITHDRAWAL
OF FUNDS DEPOSITED WITH COUNTY
TREASURER

Comes now your petitioner, Marta Weinholtz Maybauer, by and through her attorney in fact, Jonas G. Schwartz, and respectfully represents to the Court that she is a full sister of said deceased, August Weinholtz, and that by virtue of the decree of distribution in the estate of August Weinholtz, deceased, said Marta Weinholtz Maybauer was granted the sum of \$500.00; but that the representative of said estate was unable to locate the said petitioner, Marta Weinholtz Maybauer at the time of the closing of said estate, and therefore, under direction of the Court the said sum of money in the amount of \$500.00 was deposited with the County Treasurer of Carver County, Minnesota, on or about the 22nd day of March, 1918, and that said sum still remains on deposit to the credit of said Marta Weinholtz Maybauer.

That said Marta Weinholtz Maybauer has duly authorized Jonas G. Schwartz as her attorney in fact, to obtain said funds for her, and makes this petition for the purpose of obtaining the order of this Court directing the County Auditor of Carver County, Minnesota, to issue his warrant to the County Treasurer of said County for the payment to Jonas G. Schwartz, as attorney in fact for Marta Weinholtz Maybauer, the said sum of \$500.00, being deposited, as aforesaid.

MARTA WEINHOLTZ MAYBAUER
By Jonas G. Schwartz
Her attorney in fact.

State of Minnesota)
SS(
County of Hennepin)

Jonas G. Schwartz, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that he is the attorney in fact for Marta Weinholtz Maybauer, of Richtenberg von Pommerh, Germany; that he has read the foregoing petition, and that the statements therein are true.


Jonas G. Schwartz

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
4th day of December, 1936.


Notary Public, Hennepin Co., Minn.

BERNICE NELSON, Notary Public, Hennepin Co., Minn.
My Commission Expires November 20, 1943.



o,50 RM Urkundensteuer in Marken entrichtet.
Franzburg, den 13. November 1936

[Signature]
N o t a r

POWER OF ATTORNEY



KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I, Marta Wienholtz Maybauer,
Richtenberg
residing at ~~Bookhagen bei Elmenhorst~~, Vorpommern, ~~Richtenberg~~, Germany,
and being a sister of August Weinholtz, deceased, who died on or about
the year 1915, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, do hereby
name, constitute, and appoint Jonas S. Schwartz, Esquire, of the City
of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin, Minnesota, my true and lawful at-
torney in fact, for me and in my name and place to obtain for me
such moneys as were decreed by the Probate Court of Carver County in
the matter of the Estate of August Weinholtz, deceased, which decree
is dated March 22, 1918, and which moneys were deposited by the Adminis-
trator of said decedent's estate with the Treasurer of said Carver County,
Minnesota, on or about the 22nd day of March, 1918, and which sum of
money has heretofore been deposited for my benefit with said County
Treasurer of said County; and I do hereby authorize and empower my
said attorney to do any and all things which I might or could legally
do, were I personally present, in connection with obtaining said funds,
and to receive the same, and do all and any things necessary or inci-
dent thereto;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ____
day of October, 1936.

IN THE PRESENCE OF:

[Signature: Marta Wienholtz Maybauer]
Marta Weinholts Maybauer



An diesem 13. November 1936 erschien vor mir einem
öffentlichen Notar in und für die benannte Provinz die
Witwe Marta Maybauer geb. Wienholz (Weinholz) aus Richtenberg
(Vorpommern, Deutschland), früher in Bookhagen, Elmenhorst,
mir von Person bekannt, welche die Ausfertigung der vorstehenden
Vollmacht verlangte und bestätigte mir, dass sie dieselbe aus
freiem Willen und Wissen ausfertige, für die Zwecke, welche
hierin ausgedrückt sind und dass die Unterweisung ehrlich hierin
ausgedrückt ist.

Ich beglaube die Unterschrift hiermit.

Nr. 250 Jahr 1936 des Notariatsregisters

Franzburg (Provinz Pommern), den 13. November 1936

[Signature: Günther Lemke]
gez. Günther Lemke,
N o t a r

Minnesota, or on about the 33rd day of March, 1918, and which sum of money has heretofore been deposited for my benefit with said County Treasurer of said County; and I do hereby authorize and empower my said attorney to do any and all things which I might or could legally do, were I personally present, in connection with obtaining said funds, and to receive the same, and do all and any things necessary or incident thereto;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this _____ day of October, 1936.

~~IN THE PRESENCE OF:~~

Marta Maybauer geb. Wienholz
Marta Weinholts Maybauer



An diesem 13. November 1936 erschien vor mir einem öffentlichen Notar in und für die benannte Provinz die Witwe Marta Maybauer geb. Wienholz (Weinholz) aus Richtenberg (Vorpommern, Deutschland), früher in Bookhagen, Elmenhorst, mir von Person bekannt, welche die Ausfertigung der vorstehenden Vollmacht verlangte und bestätigte mir, dass sie dieselbe aus freiem Willen und Wissen ausfertige, für die Zwecke, welche hierin ausgedrückt sind und dass die Unterweisung ehrlich hierin ausgedrückt ist.

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Günther Lemke
gez. Günther Lemke,
Notar

K o s t e n r e c h n u n g:

Geschäftswert: angegeben auf 250 Dollar

gleich 500 - 600 Reichsmark

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| 1. Gebühr gem. §§ 144, 26, 39 Reichskostenordnung | 2,-- RM |
| 2. Urkundensteuer gem. § 27 Urkundensteuergesetz | 0,50 RM |

zusammen:

2,50 RM

Lemke
gez. Lemke, Notar.

Die vorstehende unter dem Beglaubigungsvermerk vom 13. November 1936 befristete Unterschrift des Notars Günther Lemke in Franzburg

wird beglaubigt. Gleichzeitig wird bescheinigt, daß der Notar für die Beglaubigung des Urkundensteuersatzes befugt war.
Greifswald, den 19. November 1936.

Der Präsident des Landgerichts.



98-1.10 *Wink*

On this ~~=====~~ day of October, 1966, before ~~me a~~ Notary Public, ~~in and for~~ said province came Marta Weinholtz Maybauer, ~~to me known to be the person~~ who executed the foregoing ~~Power of Attorney~~ and she acknowledged to me that she executed the ~~same~~ as her free act and deed, for the purposes therein expressed, ~~and that the information therein contained is true.~~

Notary Public

State of Minnesota)
County of Carver.)

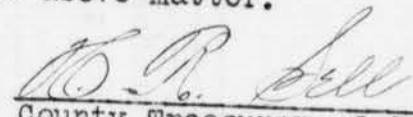
Duplicate Receipts.

In the Matter of the Estate
of
August Wienholz, decedent

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Received from Emelia Wienholz, Executrix in the above
matter the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for the benefit of
Lena Raabe and the further sum of Five Hundred Dollars for
the benefit of Martha Maibauer, pursuant to the Decree of
Distribution made by the Court in the above matter.

Dated March 22nd 1918


County Treasurer of Carver
County, Minnesota.

(continued to sheet
of exhibit)

Witnessed and attested
this 22nd day of March
1919, at Carver County, Minnesota.

Received of
Carver County Treasurer

FILED
PROBATE COURT
MAR 22 1919
CARVER COUNTY
Judge of Probate



STATE OF MINNESOTA, IN PROBATE COURT.
COUNTY OF CARVER.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ~~PETITION OF IMPERIAL GERMAN~~
~~CONSUL TO REPRESENT ABSENT~~
AUGUST WIENHOLZ, DECEDENT. ~~SUBJECTS~~
~~OF THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY:~~
PETITION OF APPEARANCE OF IMPERIAL GERMAN CONSUL AND
LINA RAABE AND MARTHA MALBAUER, GERMAN DEVISEES:--

* * * * *

To the Honorable John Glaeser, Judge of the Probate
Court of Carver County, State of Minnesota:--

The Petition of Johannes Grunow, Imperial German Consul, respectfully shows:
FIRST: Under and by virtue of the Consular Convention concluded between the
United States of America and the Empire of Germany and proclaimed June 1, 1872, and
now in force, Petitioner has been appointed and during all the times herein stated has
been and still is the Consul of the German Empire with his place of residence in the City
of St. Paul, State of Minnesota. A copy of Petitioner's exequatur, marked Exhibit "A"
is hereto attached and made a part hereof. Petitioner's Consulate comprises the States of
Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota. Petitioner at all times herein stated has
been and still is residing in said City of St. Paul, State of Minnesota, and has his Consu-
lar Office located in the New York Life Building, corner Sixth and Minnesota Streets of
said City.

SECOND: In and by said Consular Convention and more particularly by Arti-
cles VIII and X thereof, copies of which are hereto attached, marked Exhibits "C" and
"D", respectively and made a part hereof, it is concluded by and between the High Con-
tracting parties thereto, that Consuls of the Empire of Germany, located in the United
States of America, shall be the legal representatives of any absent subject or subjects of
the German Emperor, not otherwise represented, required and authorized to appear for
them in any legal proceeding, to protect faithfully their rights and interests and to re-
ceive and receipt for any property or moneys to which said subject or subjects may be
lawfully entitled, and to do any and all things which said subject or subjects might or
could do if present in person.

THIRD: Heretofore, to-wit, on the 18th day of July, 1904, an exequatur was duly issued and granted to said consul - petitioner - by the President of the United States of America, which exequatur has never been revoked, and under and by virtue of which exequatur consul - petitioner - is still, and ever since has been, acting. A duly certified copy of consul - petitioner's - exequatur was filed in the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota on December 11th, 1908.

FOURTH: Petitioners aver:

a) Said deceased died testate on the 22nd day of June, 1916, then and there a resident of Chaska City, County of Carver and State of Minnesota, leaving a will, which was admitted to probate. In and by the terms of said last Will and Testament, it is provided therein, among other things, the following:--

"FOURTH: I give and bequeath unto my sister, Lina Raabe (formerly Wienholz) now living in Branzhagen in Pommern, Germany, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

FIFTH: I give and bequeath unto my sister Martha Maibauer (formerly Wienholz) living in Boertenhagen bei Elmhorst, Vor Pommern, Germany, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars."

b) Said Lina Raabe and Martha Maibauer, named in said Will, are two of the devisees of said deceased and are natives, citizens and residents of Germany, absent from the State of Minnesota, and the United States of America, never have been and are not now within the United States.

FIFTH: Said Consul - petitioner - hereby makes appearance in these proceedings, as: 1) such Imperial German Consul; 2) as the legal representative of his absent nationals, said German Devisees.

WHEREFORE, petitioners pray: that notice of any and all proceedings in the above entitled cause be given to said Consul, and that the executor of said estate in due course of administration of said estate pay and turn over to the consul - petitioner - the amount of the inheritance to which said German Devisees are entitled.

Lina Raabe (formerly Wienholz)
Sister - Devisee -

Martha Maibauer (formerly Wienholz)
Sister - Devisee -

By Johannes Simon
Imperial German Consul, as their Legal Representative.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said consul - petitioner - has hereunto signed his name and caused the official seal of the Imperial German Consulate to be hereunto attached this 4th day of January, 1917, at St. Paul, Minnesota.



Johannes Simon
Imperial German Consul for the District
aforesaid - Petitioner.

EXHIBIT "A"

THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
President of the United States of America.

To all to whom it may concern:

Satisfactory evidence having been exhibited to me that Johannes Grunow has been appointed Consul of the German Empire at St. Paul, Minnesota, I do hereby recognize him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers and privileges as are allowed to the CONSULS OF THE MOST FAVORED NATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES.

In testimony whereof, I have caused these letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand in the City of Washington the eighteenth day of July, A. D. 1904 and of the Independence of the United States of America the 129th.

Theodore Roosevelt

{ Seal of the
United States
of America }

By the President:
Francis B. Loomis,
Acting Secretary of State.

No. 26014.

United States of America,
Department of State.

To all whom these presents shall come greeting:

I certify, that the document hereto annexed is a true copy from the records of this department.

In testimony whereof, I, John Hay, Secretary of State of the United States, have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the seal of the Department of State to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this 11th day of January, A. D. 1905, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and twenty-ninth.

JOHN HAY.

{ Seal of the
Department
of State of the
United States
of America. }

**Consular Convention between the German Empire and United
States of America, Proclaimed June 1, 1872.**

ARTICLE III.

"The respective Consuls general, Consuls, Vice-Consuls or Consular-Agents, as well as their chancellors and secretaries, shall enjoy in the two countries all privileges, exemptions and immunities which have been granted, or may in future be granted, to the agents of the same rank of the most favored nation * * * *"

EXHIBIT "C"

ARTICLE VIII.

"Consuls general, Consuls, Vice-Consuls, and Consular-Agents shall have the right to apply to the authorities of the respective countries, whether federal or local, judicial or executive, within the extent of their consular district, for the redress of any infraction of the treaties and conventions existing between the two countries or of international law; to ask information of said authorities and to address said authorities to the end of protecting the rights and interests of their countrymen, especially in cases of the absence of the latter; in which cases such Consuls, etc., shall be presumed to be their legal representatives. If due notice should not be taken of such application, the consular officers aforesaid, in the absence of a diplomatic agent of their country, may apply directly to the Government of the country where they reside."

EXHIBIT "D"

ARTICLE X.

"In case of the death of any citizen of Germany in the United States or of any citizen of the United States in the German Empire without having in the country of his decease any known heirs or testamentary executors by him appointed, the competent local authorities shall at once inform the nearest consular officer of the nation to which the deceased belongs of the circumstance, in order that the necessary information may be immediately forwarded to parties interested.

The said consular officer shall have the right to appear personally or by delegate in all proceedings on behalf of the absent heirs or creditors until they are duly represented * * * *"

State of Minnesota,
SS:
County of Ramsey.

Johannes Grunow, Imperial German Consul,
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is one of the peti-
tioners named in and who subscribed the foregoing petition, for and
on behalf of said German Devises, and as their legal representa-
tive, and in his own behalf; that the same is true to the best of
his knowledge, information and belief.

Johannes Grunow
Imperial German Consul.

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 4th day of
January, 1917.

Kathryn Kelly
Notary Public,
County of Ramsey, State of Minnesota.
My commission expires June 5th, 1919.

In Probate Court

ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the..... 22nd 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.

and no one appeared in opposition

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 26th day of July 1918 in the Valley Herald

RECEIPTS

	RECEIPTS								
Personal estate as described in the inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	5732. ⁰⁰
Personal estate omitted from the inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	
Gain by sales above appraised value	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	
Cash from sales of real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	
Cash from rent of real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	
Cash from interest and profits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	100. ⁰⁰
Cash from other sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	
.....								\$0	
.....								\$0	
Total receipts from all sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$0	6032. ⁰⁰

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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, *March 22nd*, 191*8*

By the Court.

J. H. Glaeser
.....
Judge of Probate.

No. *2308*

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wickenholz
.....

Order Allowing Final Account

Filed this *22nd*, day of

March, A. D., 191*8*

and recorded in Book No. *6*

of Orders at page *15*

J. H. Glaeser
.....
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

..... August Wienholz,

Decedent.

FINAL DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the ... 22nd ... day of ... March ... 19.18., 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 ... 26th ... day of ... February ... 19.18., and that said citation has been published as required by law in.....
..... The Valley Herald

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 her final account herein which has been settled and allowed by the Court.

... And it appearing by the Receipts on file that the legacies of (1)
\$500.00 to Albert Wienholz, and of \$1000.00 to Mary A. Aldritt, and
of \$500.00 to the Moravian Church at Chaska are all fully paid and
satisfied.

THIRD—That said decedent died testate on the ... 22nd ... day of
... June ... 19.16 and at the time of his said death was a resident of ... Chaska
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 \$3932.00..... comprising the following items, viz.: One mortgage signed by Ernst M. C. Meyer, dated July 1st, 1910 and recorded in Book "Z" of mtgs. on page 173, Register of Deeds office, Carver County, Minnesota, on which said mortgage there is due and unpaid the sum of \$900.00.

One mortgage signed by Syver S. Kolden and Sophia Kolden, his wife, dated January 19th, 1915 for \$1000.00 as recorded in Book "74" on page 445 Register of Deeds office, Marshall County, Minn., to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, and assigned to August Wienholz, assignment recorded in Book "76" of mtgs. page 74. Register of Deeds office, Marshall County, Minn. One mortgage of \$1000.00 signed by E. E. Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, dated July 19th, 1914, as recorded in Book "M" of mtgs. on page 308 Register of Deeds office Koochiching County, Minn., in favor of Merchants State Bank, of Red Lake Falls, and assigned to August Wienholz, by assignment recorded in Book "L" of mtgs. on page 418 Register of Deeds office Koochiching County, Minn.

And cash money in the sum of \$1032.00

(B) Real Property described as follows: The homestead of decedent situate in the County of State of Minnesota, viz.: no real estate

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 are. the Residuary legatees.....

..... (2)

and are. the person.s. entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent,.....

..... by the terms of his last will and testament,..... (3)

to-wit: Emilie Wienholz, the widow of said decedent.

Lina Raabe, a sister of said decedent and

Martha Maibauer, a sister of said decedent.

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of..... Emilie Wienholz, 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 Lina Raabe, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

To said Martha Maibauer, the sum of five hundred dollars. and

To said Emilie Wienholz, all the hereinbefore described mortgages

together with all notes and obligations thereto belonging, also

the remaining \$32.00 cash money.

And it further appearing to the Court, That said Lina Raabe and

Martha Maibauer, are native citizens and Residence of Germany and

for that reason pursuant to Section 7401 of the General Statute of

Minnesota for the year 1913, it is specifically ordered that said

Executrix forthwith deposit the legacy to which they are entitled,

with the County Treasurer of the County, taking duplicate Receipts

therefore, one of which shall be filed with this Court and the other

with the County Auditor.

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, thei~~r~~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 HONORABLEJohn Glaeser,.....
Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this....22nd..... day of
.....March..... 19.18

.....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.

(Copy)

No.

In Probate Court
County of Carver.

In The Matter of the Estate of

Decedent.

Final Decree Assigning
Residue of Estate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

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 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 day of 19....., and recorded in page.....

Judge of Probate

No. 295.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wienholz
Decedent

Order of Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of.....
August Wienholz.....having been presented to this court and the petition
of *Emilie Wienholz*.....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 *22nd*.....day of *June*.....
191*6*, and that said petitioner is *Widow*.....(1)
and that *she also is named executrix in the will*.....(2)

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 *Emilie Wienholz*.....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 *15th*.....
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 Valley Herald*.....
according to law.

Dated *July 18th* 191*6*.

By the Court,

John H. Klauer
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. 2308

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wienholz

Order of Hearing on Petition
for Probate of Will

Filed this 18th day of

July 1916

John Glaser

Clerk-Judge of Probate Court.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CARVER, IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of August Wienholz, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Emilie Wienholz, Mary Augusta Aldritt,
Lina Raabe, Martha Maibauer, Albert Wienholz, Moravian Church, at Chaska,

and all persons interested in the allowance and Probate of Will of said decedent: The petition of

Emilie Wienholz, being duly filed in this Court, representing that
August Wienholz, then a resident of the County of Carver

State of Minnesota, died on the 22nd day of June, 1916 leaving a last Will and Testa-
ment 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 Testamentary

be issued thereon to Emilie Wienholz,

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 15th day of August, 1916
at 10 o'clock A.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 18th day of July

COURT SEAL

Judge

John Glaeser
Attorney for Petitioner

State of Minnesota, County of Carver, SS.

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 Probate of Will 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 Kleiser
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minnesota

No 2308

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wickham
Decedent

Citation For Hearing On Petition
For Probate of Will

Filed this 18 day of July
1916

John Kleiser
Judge of Probate Court

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

In the Matter of the Estate of August Wienholz, Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Emilie Wienholz, Mary Augusta Aldritt,
Lina Raabe, Martha Maibauer, Albert Wienholz, 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 her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her 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 22nd 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 26th day of February 1918

{ COURT }
{ SEAL }

XXXXXXXXXXXX

John H. Hauer
Probate Judge.

2308

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz
Decedent

**Citation for Hearing on
Final Account and
for Distribution.**

Filed this *26th* day of

July 191*8*

John H. Klauer
Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota, ss
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

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

August Wienholz
Decedent.

The above entitled matter came on to be heard, on the 15th day of August 1916, upon the petition of Emilie Wienholz 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 Emilie Wienholz as Executrix

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 18th day of July 1916, has been duly served and published as required by law.

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 22nd day of June 1916, and at the time of his death was a resident of Chaska 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: Albert Meyer 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 Emilie Wienholz was appointed in and by said will to be the executrix thereof

and that said person is competent to be Executrix 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 Emilie Wienholz be, and she hereby is appointed Executrix thereof, and that upon the filing in this court of the oath prescribed by law and her bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, with sufficient sureties, conditioned according to law, and the approval thereof by the judge of this court, letters Testamentary be to her issued.

Dated August 15th 1916

John Klauener
Probate Judge.

No. 2308

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wienholz
Decedent.

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

Filed this *15th* day of

August 191*6* and record-
ed in Book "*12*" of Orders, Pg. *12*.

John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wienholz
Decedent.

Inventory and Appraisement

OATH OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

O. L. Lundstromdo 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 *August Wienholz* decedent, to the best of my ability. So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th day of *August* 19*16*.

Albert Meyer
Notary Public, Deeds, Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires *18*

H. R. Sell
O. L. Lundstrom

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 *her* possession and of which.....*she 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*

CLASS V.

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

E. C. Petersen Mortgage dated July 19 th 1915	\$ 1000 ⁰⁰
Sylvia S. Holden " Jan 19. 1915	1000 ⁰⁰
1 Note of Edmund Anhalt " March 1. 1912	350 ⁰⁰ 350.
1 Note of Ernst H. C. Meyer July 1. 1916	1500 ⁰⁰ 1500
Savings Deposit of Germania Bank & date	482. 482

Total value of mortgages, bonds, notes, etc. \$ 4332

CLASS VI.

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

Certificate of Deposit Comer & State Bank	150
" " " "	300
" " " "	150
" " " "	400
" " First State Bank	200
" " " "	200
" " " "	200

Total value of all other personal property \$ 1600

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 \$ 5932⁰⁰

The total value of the entire estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is \$ 5932⁰⁰

Respectfully submitted,

Emilie Mendenhall
Representative

VERIFICATION

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss.

Emilie Wierich

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15 day of August 1916.

Albert Meyer
Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires 18.

Emilie Wierich

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 August Wierich, 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 15 day of August, A. D. 1916.

O. L. Lyndstrom

R. R. [Signature]

Appraisers.

File No.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wierich

Decedent.

INVENTORY and APPRAISEMENT

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

Filed this 15 day of

Aug. A. D. 1916

John Glaser
Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of
August Wienholz
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	- - - - -	\$	5	9	3	2	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	- - - - -	\$			1	0	00
Cash from other sources	- - - - -	\$					
		\$					
		\$					
		\$					
		\$					
Total receipts from all sources	- - - - -	\$	6	0	3	2	00

DISBURSEMENTS

I. FAMILY

Personal property selected by and turned over to surviving spouse	Voucher No.	\$					
Maintenance of family of decedent	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$			1	0	00

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.	\$					
Cash paid for publications of orders	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
Repairs to real estate	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
Cash paid for insurance	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
Expenses of representative	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
Compensation of representative	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
Fees of Attorney	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
	- - - - - Voucher No.	\$					
Total expense of administration	- - - - -	\$					

Expenses all paid by V. Ador.

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

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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	
Albert Weindholz	500 00
Mary A. Aldritt	1000 00
Moravian Church of Alaska for Mission	500 00
Total legacies and bequests paid	

RECAPITULATION

	Receipts	Disbursements
Total receipts from all sources - - - - -	\$ 6032.00	
Total disbursements and credits as follows: - - - - -		
1. Family - - - - -		\$ 100.00
2. Expenses of administration - - - - -		
3. Expenses of last sickness - - - - -		
4. Funeral Expenses - - - - -		
5. Taxes - - - - -		
6. Claims of creditors - - - - -		
7. Specific Legacies - - - - -		\$ 2000.00
8. Residue of personal property for distribution - - - - -		\$ 3932.00
Total - - - - -	\$ 6032.00	\$ 6032.00

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: _____

Also those other tracts and parcels of land in the County of _____ State of Minnesota, described as follows: _____

One Mortgage signed by Ernst N.C. Meyer. Dated July 1st 1910. and recorded in Book "Z" of Mtgs. page 173, Register of Deeds Office, Carver County, Minn. on which there is now due \$900.00

One Mortgage signed by Syner S. Kolden and Sophia Kolden, his wife, Dated January 19th 1915. for \$1000.00 as recorded in Book "74" on page 445 Register of Deeds Office, Marshall County, Minn. to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls. and assigned to August Wienholz, assignment recorded in Book 76 of Mtgs page 74 Register of Deeds Office Marshall County, Minn.

One Mortgage of \$1000.00 signed by E.E. Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, and Dated July 19th 1915 as recorded in Book "M" of Mtgs. on page 308 Register of Deeds Office Roschick County, Minn. and in favor of Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, and assigned to August Wienholz by Assignment recorded in Book "L" of Mtgs on page 418 Register of Deeds Office Roschick County, Minn.

Fifth—That said decedent died on the 22^d day of June 1916, testate, and left him surviving Emilie Wienholz his widow Lena Raabe and Martha Maibauer his sisters Mary A. Aldrich, Albert Wienholz and the Moravian Church for Missions, their legacies having been fully paid, who are devisees and legatees (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 February 26th 1918. Emilie Wienholz Petitioner.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Carver

Emilie Wienholz

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 February 1918.
Albert H. Meyer Notary Public.
Register of Deeds
Carver County, Minnesota,
My Commission Expires.....

Emilie Wienholz

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

No. 2308
State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wienholz

Final Account and Petition for
Hearing and Allowance
Thereof.

Filed this 26th day of February 1918.
John Delaport
Judge of Probate.

No. 66

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

ss

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz Decedent

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents, That we

Emilie Wienholz
of Alaska City

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

Peter Pierson and Albert C. Wienholz

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

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

Five Thousand (\$5000.00)

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

Emilie Wienholz

named August Wienholz dec. 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

15

day of August

1916

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

Albert Meyer

John Heuser

Emilie Wienholz. (Seal)

Peter Pierson. (Seal)

Albert C. Wienholz (Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

ss

Be it Known, That on this

15

day of

August

A. D., 1916

personally appeared before me Emilie Wienholz, Peter Pierson and Albert C. Wienholz

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

Albert Meyer

Notary Public,
Register of Deeds, Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires

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JUSTIFICATION

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

Peter Pierson and Albert C. Wienholz

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 *Peter Pierson* in the sum of *Five Thousand* Dollars

the said *Albert C. Wienholz* in the sum of *Five Thousand* 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

15th day of *August* A. D. 191*6*

Albert Meyer
Register of Deeds, Notary Public
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires *191*

Peter Pierson
Albert C. Wienholz

APPROVAL

I do hereby approve the within Bond, this *15th* day of *August* A. D. 191*6*

(Court Seal)

John H. Kasser
Judge of Probate.

OATH

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

I, *Emilie Wienholz*

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 *August Wienholz* Decedent,

to the best of my ability. So help me God. *Emilie Wienholz*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *August* 191*6*

Albert Meyer
Register of Deeds, Notary Public
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires *191*

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz
Decedent.

Bond and Oath of Representative

Filed this *15th* day of

August A. D. 191

and said bond recorded in Book *3*

of Bonds, page *141* of Probate

Records.

John H. Kasser
Clerk, Judge of Probate.

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss

In Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

August Wienholz

DECEASED

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

Emilie Wienholz

as

Executrix

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

Executrix

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND DECREED, That said

Executrix

of said estate and the sureties on *her* 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

22nd

day of

*March*A. D. 191*8**John H. Hansen*
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minn.

(SEAL)

No. 2308

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of Carver

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz
Deceased.

**Order Discharging Executor or
Administrator**

Filed this 22nd day of
March 1918.

Recorded in Book 6 of Orders

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John Glauber
Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz
Decedent.

**PETITION FOR ALLOWANCE
AND PROBATE OF WILL**

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 *Chaska City* (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: *being the surviving spouse of said decedent* (2)

SECOND—That said decedent died on the *22nd* day of *June* 191*6* aged *73* years and at the time of his death was a resident of *Chaska City* 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 his death consisted of (3) *5000⁰⁰* personal property of the estimated value of \$ *5000⁰⁰* divided as follows:

- | | |
|------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Household goods, \$ <i>None</i> | 2. Wearing apparel, \$ <i>None</i> |
| 3. Stock, \$ <i>None</i> | 4. Notes, bonds, etc., \$ <i>5000⁰⁰</i> |
| 5. Miscellaneous, \$ <i>None</i> | |

That said estate also included *No* (4) real estate of the estimated worth and probable value of \$ *None* situated in said County of *Carver* State of Minnesota, to-wit:

- | | |
|-------------------|--|
| 1. City Property | Lots without buildings, \$ <i>None</i> |
| | Lots with buildings, \$ <i>None</i> |
| 2. Rural property | Acres unimproved lands, \$ <i>None</i> |
| | Acres improved lands, \$ <i>None</i> |
| 3. Homestead | \$ <i>None</i> |

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
Emilie Wienholz	62	Chaska Minn	surviving spouse
Mary Augusta Aldritt	45	Chanhassen Town	adopted daughter
Lina Raabe		Brayhagen Germany	Sister
Martha Maibauer		Brayhagen Germany	Sister
Albert Wienholz	60	Excelsior Minn	Brother
Moravian Church Chaska		Chaska	

SIXTH—That Your petitioner whose postoffice address is Chaska Minn is ~~are~~ named in said Will as executor thereof and is ~~are~~ suitable and competent person... to be executor of said will.

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

Dated July 13 1916

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

ss.

Emilie Wienholz Petitioner.

being duly sworn, on oath says, that he... 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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13 day of July 1916

Albert Meyer

Notary Public Register of Deeds

Carver County, Minnesota.

My commission expires 19

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

Petition for Probate
of Will

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wienholz
Decedent.

Filed this 18 day of

July 1916

J. H. Klosser
Judge of Probate.

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In the Name of God, Amen.

I, August Wienholz of Chaska
in the County of Carver and
State of Minnesota being of sound mind and memory,
and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and
declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

First, I order and direct that my executor X 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

- into my adopted daughter Mary Auguste Aldritt the sum
of One Thousand (\$1000⁰⁰) Dollars.
- Third: I give and bequeath unto my brother Albert Wienholz
the sum of Five Hundred (\$500⁰⁰) Dollars.
- Fourth: I give and bequeath unto my sister Lina Raabe
(formerly Wienholz) now living in Bramhagen in Pommern
Germany, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500⁰⁰) Dollars.
- Fifth: I give and bequeath unto my sister Martha Maibauer
(formerly Wienholz) living in Boertenhagen bei Elmhorst
Vor Pommern Germany, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500⁰⁰) Dollars.
- Sixth: I give and bequeath unto the Moravian Church at
Chaska Min for Mission, the sum of Five Hundred
(\$500⁰⁰) Dollars.
- Seventh: All the rest and residue of all my property
of which I die possessed of and of every kind and
description, I give and bequeath unto my beloved
wife Emilie Wienholz, to be hers her heirs and
assigns Forever.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint my wife Emilie Wienholz

to be executrix 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 22
day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and Sixteen
August Wienholz [SEAL]

This Instrument Was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said
testator August Wienholz to be his last Will and Testament in our presence,
who at his request, have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses, in his presence, and in the presence
of each other.

Albert Meyer residing at Chaska Minn
John Boehnen residing at Chaska Minn

LAST WILL & TESTAMENT

OF

August Wienholz

Dated May 22 1916

STATE OF MINNESOTA
County of CarverIN PROBATE COURT
CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wientholz

Decedent.

Be It Remembered, That on the day of the date hereof at a Special Term of said Probate Court, pursuant to the notice duly given, the last will and testament of August Wientholz Decedent, late of said County of Carver bearing date the 22nd 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 August Wientholz 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 15th day of August 1916.

John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

[Court Seal]

Number 2308

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

The Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

August Wientholz
Decedent.

Certificate of Probate of Will

Filed this 15th day
of August 1916, and
recorded, together with the will attached
in book 8 of Records of Wills,
Page 109
John H. Kline
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF CARVER

ss.

Affidavit of Publication in the *Cologne Reporter*
Waconia Patriot.

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EST

Chas. A. Reil being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he knows of his own knowledge, that the printed *Vitalis Ahlen Estate Notice* hereto attached, was cut from the columns of the weekly newspaper, known as The Waconia Patriot; that said notice was printed and published in said newspaper once in each week for three successive weeks; that said notice was first printed and published in said newspaper on Friday the *11th* day of *September* A. D. 191*6*, and was thereafter printed and published in said newspaper on each and every succeeding Friday until and including Friday the *13th* day of *September* A. D. 191*6*. That during the time aforesaid, said newspaper was regularly printed and published on Friday of each week at Waconia, Minnesota. Affiant further says that he now is, and during all the time of publication of said notice has been the publisher and printer of said newspaper. Affiant further says that he knows of his own knowledge that all of the following conditions have existed for at least one year immediately prior to the first publication of said notice, and during the full period of said publication, to-wit: First, said newspaper has been printed in the place from which it purports to be issued, to-wit, the Village of Waconia in said County and State, in the English language and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least four pages with five columns to the page, each seventeen and three-fourths inches long; Second, that it has been issued at least once each week from a known office established in said place of publication and equipped with skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same (excepting newspaper press); Third, that it has contained and now contains general and local news, comment and miscellany, not wholly nor substantially duplicating any other publication and not entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements or any or either of them; Fourth, that it has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of not less than 240 complete copies thereof regularly delivered to paying subscribers; that prior to the date of the first publication of said notice the publisher filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county of Carver, state of Minnesota, the affidavit required by Section 5516, Revised Laws 1905.

Chas. A. Reil

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this *11th* day of *October* A. D. 191*6*

Paul A. Sadde
NOTARY PUBLIC, Carver County, Minn.

My Commission expires *April 11, 1917*
Notary Public, Carver County, Minnesota.

(SEAL)

My commission expires _____ 191*6*

Order for Hearing on Claims

State of Minnesota,

ss.

County of Carver.

In Probate Court, special term, August 16th, 1916.

In the matter of the estate of *Vitalis Ahlen*, Decedent.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, late of the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, being granted to Wilhelmina Ahlen.

It Is Ordered, that 3 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 November, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. 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 *Cologne Reporter*, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Waconia in said County.

Dated at Chaska, Minnesota, this 16th day of August, A. D., 1916.

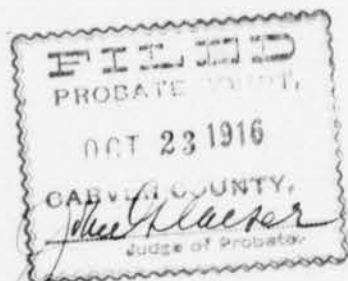
By the Court,

JOHN GLAESER,
Judge of Probate

(SEAL)

Francis Muckel,
Attorney for Estate.

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlen,
Decedent.

FINAL DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 18th day of September 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 ~~xxxxxx~~ by Francis Muekel, her Attorney 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 7th day of August 1918, and that said citation has been published as required by law in The Valley Herald.

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 testate on the 12th day of April 1916, and at the time of his said death was a resident of Hancock Township 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 417.56 comprising the following items, viz.: ... this being money inherited, ~~from~~ and received from ... the Estate of John and Hanna Ahlen and from another Estate in Sweden.

(B) Real Property described as follows: The homestead of decedent situate in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota, viz.: The Northerly 20.16 acres of the Westerly Three fourths of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 115 North, of Range 25 west; Also the East Half of the Northeast Quarter, Section 2, Township 114 North, of Range 25 west, except the 20 acres on the westerly side thereof, containing 58.84 acres; Also one acre in square form in the North west corner of the Northwest Quarter, of the Northwest Quarter, of Section One (1), Township 114 North, of Range 25 west, aggregating in the total of eighty (80) acres of land more or less.

FIFTH—That the following named person^s are the Residuary devisees and legatees,

..... (2)
and are the person^s entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent,.....
..... by the terms of his last Will and Testament,..... (3)

to-wit:Wilhelmine Ahlen, the widow of said decedent and.....
Axel Carl Mauritz^{Ahlen}, a son and only living child of decedent.

Vitalis Ahlen decedent, in his last Will and Testament attempted to devise a tract of land 90 feet by 130 feet, with all buildings thereon, in Section 2. Township 115, Range 25, to his son A. C. Mauritz Ahlen, which said tract of land is so indefinitely described that it is impossible to make out from said description where said tract of land is situated, Therefore the said Clause in the last Will and Testament of said Vitalis Ahlen decedent, attempting to so devise a tract of land 90 feet by 130 feet, in Section 2. Township 115. Range 25, is Void for uncertainty.

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of... Wilhelmine Ahlen, 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, ADJUDGE 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 Wilhelmine Ahlen, the widow of said decedent, in fee simple and forever, all right and title in and to all the hereinbefore described Real Estate.

To said Wilhelmine Ahlen the sum of \$208.78

To said Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen, the sum of \$208.78

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 18th day of
September 1918.

.....
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. 2309

In Probate Court
County of Carver.

In The Matter of the Estate of

John A. Olsen
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 decedent, with the original Final Decree, on file and of record in the Probate Court of said County, and that the same is a true and correct 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 18th day of
September 1918, and recorded
in Book No. 6
page 18.

Judge of Probate

No. 235.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen Decedent.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Wilhelmine Ahlen, Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen,
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 her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her 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 6th day of September 1918 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 7th day of August 1918

{ COURT }
{ SEAL }

Francis Muekel
Attorney for Petitioner.

John Klauer
Probate Judge.

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State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlberg
Decedent.

Citation for Hearing on
Final Account and
for Distribution.

Filed this *7th* day of

August 191*8*

John H. Glaser
Judge of Probate Court.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER]

IN PROBATE COURT,

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

Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

Proof of Will

Decedent.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER]

ss.

L. G. 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 him, bearing date the 24 day of March

A. D. 1916, and purporting to be the last will and testament of Vitalis Ahlen,

of the County of Carver and State of

Minn. now here presented for probate; that

he knew and was well acquainted with the said Decedent, in his lifetime and at the time of his death; that on the day of the date of said instrument, to-wit, the

24th day of March A. D., 1916, the said instrument was signed sealed, executed and then and there acknowledged, published and declared by the said Decedent, to be

his last will and testament, in the presence of deponent and of

Mike Spandl, the other subscribing witness thereto, and that deponent and the said

Mike Spandl,

the other subscribing witness did then and there, in the presence of the said Decedent, and at his request severally subscribed said instrument as witness thereto.

Dependent 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 16th

day of August A. D. 1916

John H. Clauser
Judge of Probate.

L. G. Nelson

No. 2309

STATE OF MINNESOTA, (ss.
COUNTY OF CARVER)

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of

Vitatus Ahlman
Decedent

TESTIMONY OF

L. G. Nelson
Subscribing Witness to Will.

Taken, sworn, subscribed and filed
this August 16th
_____, 1916

John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

ss

In Probate Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

DECEASED

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

Wilhelmine Ahlen
as *Executrix* 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 *Executrix*

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED AND DECREED, That said *Executrix* of said estate and the sureties on *her* 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 *1st* day of *October* A. D. 191*8*

(SEAL)

Myklester
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minn.

No. *2307*

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of Carver

In the Matter of the Estate of

Victor Allen
Deceased.

**Order Discharging Executor or
Administrator**

Filed this *1st* day of
October 191*8*

Recorded in Book *6* of Orders

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John H. Lawrence
Judge of Probate

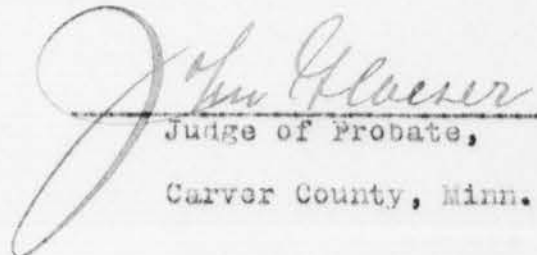
STATE OF MINNESOTA
ss.
COUNTY OF CARVER

IN PROBATE COURT


In The Matter)
Of The Estate Of) NOTICE OF MAKING AND FILING
Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.) DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION

To A. C. Mauritz Ahlen (minor) and to O. A. Johnson, guardian
of the person and property of A. C. Mauritz Ahlen, (minor):

You are hereby notified that on the 18th
day of September, A. D., 1918, the Final Account and Peti-
tion for Settlement came on for hearing to be heard in the above
entitled estate and that the same was approved and settled
and the Final Decree of Distribution in said Estate was made
decreeing and distribution the residue of the Estate of said
Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, to the persons thereto entitled.
Dated this 21st day of Sept., 1918.


Judge of Probate,
Carver County, Minn.

Service of the foregoing NOTICE OF MAKING AND
ENTERING FINAL DECREE, Accepted and copy thereof received this 21st
day of September 1918.


Guardian of the person and property
A.C. Mauritz Ahlen, Minor.

OFFICE OF THE PROBATE JUDGE

RETURNING FINAL DECREE
RELATES OF THE PROBATE JUDGE ON RETURNING THE

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Notice of Making
of entering Final Decree
filed Sep. 21. at 1918.
J. H. Klosser
Judge of Probate

COUNTY OF SHERBURN

COUNTY OF SHERBURN

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

ss In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlem

Decedent

ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 13th day of September 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 and by Francis Muehl here
attorney 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 said hearing of said petition has been given as required by law by the publication of the citation of this Court said hearing, dated the 2nd day of August 1918, in the Valley Herald

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

Personal estate as described in the inventory	\$ 100.00
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	\$
Cash from other sources	\$
<u>from an estate in Sweden</u>	\$ 730.81
<u>of John W. Hamosh Ahlem</u>	\$ 150.00
Total receipts from all sources	\$ 980.81

DISBURSEMENTS AND CREDITS

Estate selected for surviving spouse	\$ 100.00
Maintenance of family of decedent	\$
Expense of administration	\$ 463.25
Expenses of last sickness	\$
Funeral expenses	\$
Taxes	\$
Claims of creditors of decedent	\$
Legacies	\$
Residue on hand for distribution	\$ 417.56
Total credits	\$ 980.81

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 September 18th

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By the Court.

J. H. Klanner.

Judge of Probate.

No. 2309

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Wilbur A. Allen

Order Allowing Final
Account

Filed this 18th day of
Sept. A. D. 1918
and recorded in book No. 7
of Orders at page 10

J. H. Klanner
Clerk, Judge of Probate



WILL.

WALTER B. BOOTH & SON, TOWNSHIP AND LAW BLANK PUBLISHERS, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.



IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, Vidalis Allen of Gotta
in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota
being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory
life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament.

First, I order and direct that my Executress 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 wife, Wilhelmina Allen,
the old Allen homestead consisting
of eighty acres (80) more or less,
the description of which is as follows, &
sixty acres more or less, situated on the
northeast corner of section two (2) in the
township one hundred and fourteen (114)
range twenty-five, Carver County, Minnesota;
twenty (20) acres, more or less, situated in
the southeast corner of section thirty-five (35)
township one hundred and fifteen (115)
range 25, Carver County, Minnesota.

Unto my son A. C. Mauritz Allen, a
parcel of land the size of which is as
follows: 90 feet X 130 feet and all
buildings thereon situated on section
two (2) township 114, range 25.

Unto my wife and son, to be divided
equally, all moneys or property that I
may inherit from any person or persons
not now known. And the event of the
death of my wife, all such moneys or
properties that I may inherit from persons
or persons not now known, are to go to
my son.

Unto my wife one acre situated in
northwest corner of section one (1) ~~township~~
one hundred and fourteen (114) ~~range~~
(25) Carver County, Minnesota.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint Wilhelmina Allen

to be Execut~~ress~~^{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
24th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and sixteen.

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

Wipe Spence residing at Cologne, Minn.

L. S. Nelson residing at St. Paul, Minn.

Last Will and Testament

— OF —

Vitalis Allen

Dated March 24 1906

11-01-1000

STATE OF MINNESOTA
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT
CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of
Vitalis Ahlen
Decedent.

Be It Remembered, That on the day of the date hereof at a *Special* Term of said Probate Court, pursuant to the notice duly given, the last will and testament of *Vitalis Ahlen* Decedent, late of said County of *Carver* bearing date the *24th* day of *March* 19*16*, 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 *Vitalis Ahlen* 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 *16th* day of *August* 19*16*.

John Kleiser
Judge of Probate.

[Court Seal]

Number 2309

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

The Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Walter Nelson

Decedent.

Certificate of Probate of Will

Filed this 16th day
of August 1916, and
recorded, together with the will attached

in book E of Records of Wills,

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John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

CARVE
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

PETITION.

The petition of Wilhelmine Ahlen,
respectfully states and shows to this Court that said deceased left him surviving
Wilhelmine Ahlen, his surviving Spouse,
and A. C. Mauritz Ahlen, aged 13 years, his only child,

h ~~minor children~~ that your petitioner is the Surviving Spouse
of said Vitalis Ahlin, Deceased.

That the following is a description of the personal property which your petitioner.....is desirous of selecting under and pursuant to the provisions of Section 3653, Revised Laws, 1905, and the value thereof according to the appraisal filed in this Court in said matter, viz:

DESCRIPTION	VALUE	DESCRIPTION	VALUE
I Range,	\$15		\$
2 Heating Stoves	15		
1 Organ,	5		.
Ordinary household furniture, kitchen utensils and bedding.	65		
		Total Value,	\$100 -

Your petitioner therefore prays said Court for an order for the allowance of the aforesaid personal property to herself, as surviving spouse of said decedent.

~~of said deceased~~, in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

x Wilhelmina. Allen

Dated September 29th 1916.

State of Minnesota, }
COUNTY OF ^{ST.} HENNEPIN } ss.
Carver

being duly sworn, says that the foregoing petition by her subscribed, is true of her own knowledge, except those matters therein stated upon information and belief, and that as to those matters she believes them to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of June 1950

day of September

Notary Public, Hennepin County, Minn.
Carver

My commission expires

X Wilhelmina. Akten

No. 2309.

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlin

Deceased.

Petition for Setting Apart
Personal Property

Order recorded in Docket

on page

Filed

October 2nd

John H. Gausman
Clerk of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlen
Decedent.

ORDER SETTING APART HOMESTEAD
AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

On reading and filing the petition of

Wilhelmine Ahlen, widow

of the above named decedent, praying that the homestead of said decedent be set apart to

Wilhelmine Ahlen widow of said decedent, and for the allowance of the

personal property of said decedent therein described and selected to

Wilhelmine Ahlen widow of said decedent, and upon due consideration of the same:

It is Ordered, That the homestead of the said decedent which the court hereby finds consists of the tract—

or parcel—of land in the County of

Carver

State of Minnesota, described

as follows, to-wit:

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, be, and the same hereby is set apart to the
said *widow* of said decedent, to-wit: *Wilhelmine Ahlen*.

and that the personal property selected by said

Wilhelmine Ahlen, widow

of said decedent, and hereinafter described, be, and

the same hereby is, set apart and allowed to the said

widow

of said decedent, to-wit:

Wilhelmine Ahlen

FIRST—Household Furniture of said decedent of the description and appraised value following, to-wit:

1 Range
2 Heating Stoves
1 Organel
bedding

\$15.00

15.00

5-

65.00

\$100.00

SECOND—All the wearing apparel of said decedent.

THIRD—Other personal property of said decedent of the description and appraised value following, to-wit:

Dated *October 2nd* 191*6*

John Klecker
Probate Judge.

No. 2309

IN PROBATE COURT,
County of Carver.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vilho A. Ahlen
Decedent.

Order Setting Apart Homestead
and Personal Property.

Filed the 2nd day of
Oct. A. D. 1916

Recorded in Book _____ of Orders

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John H. Haines
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT

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In The Matter

Of The Estate Of

Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

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Comes now Wilhelmina Ahlen and represents to the court that she is the duly appointed, qualified and acting executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

II.

That said Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, as an heir at law of his father, John Ahlen, deceased, and his mother, Hannah Ahlen, deceased, and his estate is entitled to a distributive share of said estate;

III.

That John Ahlen, deceased, died eight or nine years ago and that his estate was used by his widow, the said Hannah Ahlen, deceased, without administration having been granted thereon, and that after the demise of the said Hannah Ahlen, the estate of John Ahlen and the estate of Hannah Ahlen were administered on.

IV.

That your petitioner has engaged Francis Muekel to investigate the condition of the estates of said John Ahlen and Hannah Ahlen and that according to the figures contained in the Final Account of the administrator of said estates there is about \$108.00 due the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, as and for his interest in said estates of John Ahlen and Hannah Ahlen, as an heir at law.

V.

That for the purpose of dispensing with the hearing of objections to the Final Accounts which your petitioner, Wilhelmina Ahlen saw fit to urge in said estate, the administrator of the estates of John Ahlen and Hannah Ahlen, has agreed and consented to pay as the share of Vitalis Ahlen, as heir at law of John Ahlen and Hannah Ahlen, the sum of \$150.00.

VI.

That the sum of \$150.00 is the best settlement your petitioner can obtain in satisfaction of the claim of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, and to which his said estate is entitled and that your petitioner requests that she be ordered and authorized to sign a voucher receipting in full of all claims of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, and his said estate, in and to the estates of Hannah Ahlen, deceased, and John Ahlen, deceased, and that she be authorized to transfer and set over to Arthur A. Peterson for his use and benefit absolutely forever, all right, title, and interest, that the estate of Vitalis Ahlen or your administrator as executor thereof, has in the estate of John Ahlen, deceased, and the estate of Hannah Ahlen, deceased.

X Wilhelmina Ahlen
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota,
ss.
County of Carver,

I, Wilhelmina Ahlen, being first duly sworn on oath, depose and say, that I am the petitioner in the foregoing petition, that I have read the same and that the statements and allegations therein contained are true of my own knowledge except as to matters stated on information and belief and as to those matters I believe them to be true.

X Wilhelmina Ahlen

Sworn to before me this
6th day of March, 1918.

X James M. Munkel
Notary Public, Carver Co., Minn.

My commission expires 1-16-1924.

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In Re Estate of
Vitalis Chen Decd.

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PROBATE COURT,
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SARAH A. CLAY
John H. Claver
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver, SS.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate
of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

O R D E R

Upon reading the petition of Wilhelmine Ahlen, surviving spouse of Vitalis Ahlen Deceased, for an allowance to said Wilhelmine Ahlen, and A. G. Mauritz Ahlen, as the family of said Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, for their maintainence during the settlement of the above entitled deceased estate; and the examination of the records and files in the above entitled estate and the certified copies of records in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Bankrupt and testimony offered, the Court finds;

First: That the decedent Vitalis Ahlen, was duly adjudged bankrupt on December 31st 1915, in the District Court of the United States, Fourth Division of the District of Minnesota.

Second: That said Vitalis Ahlen, died testate in Carver County, Minn., on April 12th 1916, leaving surviving him, Wilhelmine Ahlen, as his surviving Spouse and one child, a son A. G. Mauritz Ahlen, aged thirteen years.

Third: That the last Will of said decedent was duly admitted to probate in Carver County, on the 16th day of August 1916, at which time said Wilhelmine Ahlen was appointed and qualified as Executrix of the last Will of said decedent and that She now is the duly appointed, qualified and acting executrix of the last Will of said decedent.

Fourth: That by Order of this Court, the time limited in which to settle said estate, is twelve months from the time of admitting said last Will to probate.

Fifth: That said Wilhelmine Ahlen and said A. G. Mauritz Ahlen, constitute the family of said decedent.

Sixth: That the Real Estate of which the said decedent died seized is the homestead in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota.

Seventh: That household furniture, family bedding, kitchen utensiles appraised in the aggregate, in the sum of \$100.00 is all the personal property the said decedent died possessed of excepting such interest as he may have had at the time of his death in the personal property in the hands of the Trustee of his Estate in Bankruptcy.

Eighth: That said deceased estate is insolvent and there is no personal property belonging to said deceased estate under the control of this Court, out of which to make an allowance to the family of said decedent.

Ninth: That said Wilhelmine Ahlen is 58 years of age, and said A. C. Mauritz Ahlen, in delicate health and that the sum of Forty Dollars per month, or the sum ^{total} of Four Hundred Eighty Dollars is a necessary and reasonable allowance for the maintenance of the family of said Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, during the settlement of said deceased estate.

That these findings are made for the purpose of designating what is a reasonable and necessary allowance to the family of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, for their maintenance during the settlement of said deceased estate, as provided for in the Statutes of Minnesota, to-wit: Sub-division 3, Section 7243 Gen. Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, that the interest the said decedent may have had at the time of his death, in and to the personal property in the hands of the Trustee in Bankruptcy, in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Bankrupt. if subject to such allowance for maintenance of decedent's family, may be applied thereto and that the Referee in Bankruptcy or other authority in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Bankrupt may make such allowance on such terms and limitations just and equitable under the premises.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1916

(Seal)

John Glaeser.
Judge of Probate, Carver County
Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CARVER, IN PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Decedent.The State of Minnesota to Wilhelmine Ahlen, Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen,and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of will of said decedent: The petition of Wilhelmine Ahlen,being duly filed in this court, representing that Vitalis Ahlen,then a resident of the County of CarverState of Minnesota, died on the 12th day of April 1916 leaving a last will and tes-

tament 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 Testamentarybe issued thereon to said Wilhelmine Ahlen,

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 16th day ofAugust 1916 at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.WITNESS THE HONORABLE John Glaeser Judge of said courtand Seal of said Court this 19th day of July 1916COURT
SEALFrancis Muekel,

Attorney for Petitioner

John Glaeser
Judge

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

I hereby certify and return, that on the 19 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 Probate of will 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 19 day of July 1916

John H. Selzer
Judge of Probate, Carver County, Minnesota.

No. 2309

State of Minnesota
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Estates of
decedent

Citation for Hearing on Petition
for Probate of Will

Filed this 19 day of July 1916

John H. Selzer
Judge of Probate Court

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF CARVER

IN PROBATE COURT.

ORDER

In The Estate Of
Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

Now, on the 6th day of March, 1918, upon reading the application of Wilhelmina Ahlen, executrix of the Last Will and Testament and the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, reciting that the said estate is entitled to a portion of the estate of John Ahlen, deceased, late of Ramsey County, Minnesota, and entitled to a portion of the estate of Hannah Ahlen, deceased, late of Ramsey County, Minnesota, and for the purpose of dispensing with a contest on the proposed objections to the Final Accounts in the estates of John Ahlen and Hannah, deceased, aforesaid, and requesting for authority to compromise the claim of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, late of Carver County, Minn. in and to the estates of Hannah Ahlen, deceased, and John Ahlen, deceased, aforesaid, and for authority to assign all the right, title, and interest of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, thereto and the right, title, and interest of Wilhelmina Ahlen, as executrix of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, in and to said estates in consideration of the payment of the sum of \$150.00, the payment of which is to be in full of all claims of the said estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, in and to all interest in both of said estates, to-wit, the estates of John Ahlen, deceased, and Hannah Ahlen, deceased, aforesaid, and for authority to transfer and set over to Arthur A. Peterson, for his use and benefit, absolutely forever, all right, title and interest that the estate of said Vitalis Ahlen or Wilhelmina Ahlen, executrix thereof as has in the estate of John Ahlen, deceased, and the estate of Hannah Ahlen, deceased, aforesaid, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that it is for the best interests of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, to transfer and set over to Arthur A. Peterson, for his use and benefit, absolutely

forever, all right, title and interest that the estate of Vitalis Ahlen has in the estates of John Ahlen, deceased, and the estate of Hannah Ahlen, deceased.

NOW THEREFORE, Wilhelmina Ahlen, in her capacity as executrix of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, is hereby ordered, authorized, and empowered in consideration in the payment to her of the sum of \$150.00 cash, to transfer and set over to Arthur A. Peterson, for his use and benefit absolutely forever, all right, title and interest, that the estate of Vitalis Ahlen and Wilhelmina Ahlen, as executrix thereof has in and to the estates of John Ahlen, deceased, late of Ramsey County, Minnesota, and the estate of Hannah Ahlen, deceased, late of Ramsey County, Minnesota.

Witness the hand and seal of the Probate Court of Carver County this Sixth day of March, 1916.


Judge of Probate, Carver Co., Minn.

(SEAL)

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State of Minnesota
County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlen,

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Wilhelmina Ahlen,
of Gotha
in the county of Carver, state of Minnesota, as principal and L. G. Nelson, and Carl A. Johnson,

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
Two 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
Wilhelmina Ahlen, who has been appointed representative of the estate of the above
named Vitalis Ahlen, 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 16th day of August 19 16

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

Fonsis Muekel

John Glaeser

Wilhelmina Ahlen (Seal)
L. G. Nelson (Seal)
Carl A. Johnson (Seal)
(Seal)
(Seal)
(Seal)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

Be it Known, That on this 16th day of August A. D., 1916
personally appeared before me Wilhelmine Ahlen, L. G. Nelson and
Carl A. Johnson,

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
Judge of Probate Notary Public
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires 191

JUSTIFICATION

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

L. G. Nelson and Carl

A. Johnson,

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 L. G. Nelson, in the sum of Two Hundred - - - - - Dollars

the said Carl A. Johnson, in the sum of Two 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

16th day of AUG. A. D. 1916

Judge of Probate

Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires 191

APPROVAL

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

(Court Seal)

Judge of Probate.

OATH

State of Minnesota }
County of Carver } ss

I, Wilhelmina Ahlen,

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 Vitalis Ahlen, Decedent, to the best of my ability. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16th day of AUG. 1916

Notary Public.
Carver County, Minn.

My commission expires 191

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlen

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 186 of Probate

Records.

Clerk, Judge of Probate.

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State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlin,

Decedent.

Inventory and Appraisement

OATH OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota,

County of Carver

Carl Johnson, and

L. G. Nelson, 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 Vitalis Ahlin, decedent, to the best of my ability. So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22 day of September 1916.

Geo. J. Bell

Notary Public, County, Minn.

My commission expires 1918.

Carl Johnson
L. G. Nelson

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 her possession and of which she 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 Carver.

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

(b) All other real estate of decedent, being in the County of Carver.

State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The West Thirty

Acres of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter

of Section Thirty-five (35) Township 115, Range 25, and

the East Three-fourths (E 3/4) of the Northeast Quarter

of Section Two (2) Township 114, Range 25, and One Acre in

square form, in the Northwest Corner of the Northwest

Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section One (1)

Township 114, Range 25, being all the real estate

Decedent died seized of. Remark:-- Ten acres

having been taken by the Trustee in Bankruptcy,

from the tract first above described.

\$8000.00

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CLASS II.

Furniture and household goods described as follows:

One Kitchen Range,	\$15.00	\$.....
Two Heating Stoves, \$7.50 apiece,	15.00	
One Organ, \$5.00, Misc. Books, \$100.00	105.00	
Ordinary Kitchen Utensils and bedding,	65.00	
Total value of furniture and household goods	- - - - -	\$..200.00....

CLASS III.

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

None \$

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

CLASS IV.

Stock in banks and other corporations

Decedent was adjudged bankrupt on Oct. 31st 1915 \$.....
 and all property except his household furniture
 and utensils ^{to} and the Homestead, described in
 decedent's last Will, was turned over to the Trustee
 in Bankruptcy. The said Bankrupt was not dis-
 charged and the assets are not sufficient to pay
 the debts provable against his estate.
 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 \$.....

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 \$.....

Respectfully submitted,

Wilhelmina C. Shlin
Representative...

VERIFICATION

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

Wilhelmine Ahlin,

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22nd day of September 1916

Jesse Pleaser
Notary Public, Carver County, Minn.
My commission expires 19...

Wilhelmine Ahlin
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 Vitalis Ahlin 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 22nd day of September, A. D. 1916.

Carl Johnson
L. E. Nelson
Appraisers.

File No. 2309

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlin

Decedent.

INVENTORY and APPRAISEMENT

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

Filed this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1916
Jesse Pleaser
Judge-Clerk of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlen,
Decedent.

**PETITION FOR ALLOWANCE
AND PROBATE OF WILL**

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 Hancock Town, Minn (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: is Surviving Spouse, (2)

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 12th day of April 1916 aged 56 years and at the time of his death was a resident of Hancock Town, in the County of Carver and State of Minn., 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 his death consisted of (3) personal property of the estimated value of \$ 300.00 divided as follows:

- | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Household goods, \$ <u>50.00</u> | 2. Wearing apparel, \$ |
| 3. Stock, \$ | 4. Notes, bonds, etc., \$ |
| 5. Miscellaneous, \$ <u>250.00</u> | |

That said estate also included (4) real estate of the estimated worth and probable value of \$ 8000.00 situated in said County of Carver State of Minnesota, to-wit:

- | | |
|---|----------------------------|
| 1. City Property | Lots without buildings, \$ |
| | Lots with buildings, \$ |
| 2. Rural property | Acres unimproved lands, \$ |
| | Acres improved lands, \$ |
| 3. Homestead <u>About Eighty Acres,</u> | \$ <u>8000.00</u> |

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
Wilhelmine Ahlen,	57	Hancock Town, Minn.,	Widow.
Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen,	12	Hancock Town, Minn.,	Son

SIXTH—That Wilhelmine Ahlen, whose postoffice address is Cologne, Minn., is are named in said Will as executor... thereof and is are suitable and competent person... to be executor... of said will.

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

Dated May 24th 1916

Wilhelmine Ahlen
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota

County of Carver

ss.

Wilhelmine Ahlen,

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

Wilhelmine Ahlen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

31st day of May 1916

John Heuser
Notary Public

County, Minnesota.

My commission expires.....19.....

2309
State of Minnesota

County of Carver

In Probate Court

Petition for Probate
of Will

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlen

Decedent.

Filed this 19th day of

July 1916

John Heuser
Judge of Probate.

Alcogene Reporter

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT.

COMPLAINT

In The Matter Of
The Estate of
Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

Comes now Wilhelmina Ahlen and represents to the court that she is the duly qualified and acting executrix of the Last Will and Testament and the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, late of Carver County, Minn.

That your applicant, Wilhelmina Ahlen, is informed and believes that Axel Ahlen, a brother of Vitalis Ahlen, obtained from the Estate of Andrew Nelson, pending in Sweden, the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) or more which was bequeathed to said Vitalis Ahlen.

Your applicant further represents that she is informed and believes that the said Axel Ahlen obtained said sum of money directly or indirectly and has possession or control of or has disposed of same and wholly refuses to pay over the same to your applicant as executrix of the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, and wholly fails to account for the same although frequent demands therefor have been made.

That under the terms and provisions of the Last Will of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, your applicant Wilhelmina Ahlen and a minor son are entitled as legacies to all assets belonging to the estate of Vitalis Ahlen after the lawful ^{debts} and claims against said Estate are paid, WHEREFORE your applicant Wilhelmina Ahlen, prays the court upon the reading of this complaint to ^{Cite} ~~cite~~ Axel Ahlen, to be and appear before the above named court at a time designated to answer such interrogatories as may be propounded to him touching his knowledge of, possession, control, and disposal of any and all assets belonging to the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, and by him obtained directly or indirectly from the Estate of Andrew Nelson or Sweden, and that the court prescribe ^{mode} the mode of service of said citation so to be issued as warranted by the circumstances.

Thomas Muekel
Attorney for Wilhelmina Ahlen

State of Minnesota,
ss.
County of Carver,

I, Francis Muekel, depose and say that I am the attorney in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, deceased, and am the legal representative of Wilhelmina Ahlen and A. J. Mauritz Ahlen, through his lawfully and and acting guardian. That I have information and belief that said Axel Ahlen has obtained directly or indirectly and has in his control or ~~in~~ has disposed of a sum of money amounting to Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) or more which he obtained from the Estate of Andrew Nelson, pending in Sweden, and which was bequeathed to Vitalis Ahlen, deceased. That said Axel Ahlen obtained said funds directly or indirectly through a pretended transfer dated August 1, 1916, as I am informed and believe.

Francis Muekel

Sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1917.

John Gleason
Judge of Probate, Carver County,
Minnesota.

State of Minnesota,
ss.
County of Carver,

In Probate Court.

Upon reading the foregoing Complaint, it is Ordered that a hearing be had thereon and the time for hearing be and is hereby set for the 22nd day of August 1917, at Ten oclock in the forenoon. Further that a Citation issue directing and requiring Axel Ahlen, then and there to be to answer such interrogatories as may be propounded. Personal service of such Citation to be had eight days before hearing.

Dated this 14th of August 1917.

John Gleason
Judge of Probate, Carver
County, Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Hennepin. }

I HEREBY CERTIFY AND RETURN, That at the City of

Minneapolis, County and State aforesaid, on the 14th day of August A. D. 1917

I served the citation hereto attached
upon the within named Apel Ahlen

personally by then and there handing to, and leaving with his
a true and correct copy thereof

Dated this 14th day of August 1917.

Sheriff's Fee—Service, \$ 1.00

Travel, - - - \$ 33

Total, - - - \$ 1.33

OTTO S. LANGUM,
Sheriff of Hennepin County, Minn.

By Patrick Kierce Deputy Sheriff.

(original)

NO. 293.—CITATION.

PIONEER PRESS CO., PRINTERS, STATIONERS AND LEGAL BLANKS, ST. PAUL, MINN.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Carver } ss. IN PROBATE COURT.

In Re.....

In the Matter of the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen,

Deceased.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA AND THE SAID PROBATE COURT,

To Axel Ahlen.

Greeting:

You Axel Ahlen, are hereby
cited and required to be and appear before the Probate Court of the County of
Carver in said State, at the office of the Probate Judge of said
County, at the Court House in the City of Chaska
in said County, on the 22nd. day of August 1917, A. D. ~~189~~, at
Ten o'clock in the Fore noon of that day, then and there to
answer interrogatories touching your possession, control and dis-
position of personal property, cash money, etc., belonging to the
Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, especially the receipt by you
directly or indirectly and disposal of certain moneys belonging to
said deceased estate and claimed to have been received by you di-
rectly or indirectly from the estate of Andrew Nelson of Sweden, by
virtue of a pretended transfer, dated Aug. 1st, 1916, which money is
claimed to belong to the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

Let service hereof be personal, 8 days before hearing.

Dated August 14th A. D. 1917
PROBATE COURT,
L. S.
Carver County, Minn.

John Klauer
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

ss.

County of.....

being duly sworn, says that at..... on the

day of..... 189..., he personally served the within citation upon

by then and there delivering to and leaving with.....

true cop..... of the same; and that he knows the person so served to be the same person

named and mentioned in said citation.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this.....

day of..... 189.....

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PROBATE COURT,

County of.....

In the Matter of the Estate

of Vitalis Ahlen

Citation to

Alex Ahlen

726 Washington St.

Minneapolis

Filed Aug 17 1897

John Klueser
Judge of Probate.

Forer Michael
Charles Munn

State of Minnesota, ss.
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate
of Vitalis Ahlén, Deceased.

O R D E R .

Upon reading the Petition of Wilhelmine Ahlén, surviving Spouse of Vitalis Ahlén, Deceased, for an allowance to said Wilhelmine Ahlén, and A. C. Mauritz Ahlén, as the family of said Vitalis Ahlén, Deceased, for their maintenance during the settlement of the above entitled deceased estate; and the examination of the records and files in the above entitled estate and the certified copies of records in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlén, Bankrupt and testimony offered, the Court finds:

First: That the decedent Vitalis Ahlén, was duly adjudged bankrupt on December 31st 1915, in the District Court of the United States, Fourth Division of the District of Minnesota.

Second: That said Vitalis Ahlén died testate in Carver County, Minn., on April 12th 1916, leaving surviving him, Wilhelmine Ahlén, as his surviving Spouse and one child, a son, A. C. Mauritz Ahlén, aged thirteen years.

Third: That the last Will of said decedent was duly admitted to probate in Carver County, on the 16 day of August 1916, at which time said Wilhelmine Ahlén was appointed and qualified as executrix of the last Will of said decedent and that she now is the duly appointed, qualified and acting executrix of the last Will of said decedent.

Fourth: That by Order of this Court, the time limited in which to settle said estate, is twelve months from the time of ~~examining~~ admitting said last Will to probate.

Fifth: That said Wilhelmine Ahlén and said A. C. Mauritz Ahlén constitute the family of said decedent.

Sixth: That the real estate of which the said decedent

died seized, is a homestead in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota.

Seventh: That household furniture, family bedding, kitchen utensils appraised in the aggregate, in the sum of \$100.00 is all the personal property the said decedent died possessed of excepting such interest as he may have had at the time of his death in the personal property in the hands of the Trustee of his Estate in Bankruptcy.

Eighth: That said deceased estate is insolvent and there is no personal property belonging to said deceased estate under the control of this Court, out of which to make an allowance to the family of said decedent.

Ninth: That said Wilhelmine Ahlen is 58 years of age, and said A. C. Mauritz Ahlen is of delicate health and that the sum of ~~Forty~~ Dollars per month, or the sum total of *Four Hundred Eighty* Dollars is a necessary and reasonable allowance for the maintenance of the family of said Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, during the settlement of said deceased estate.

That these findings are made for the purpose of designating what is a reasonable and necessary allowance to the family of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased, for their maintenance during the settlement of said deceased estate, as provided for in the Statutes of Minnesota, to-wit Sub-division 3, Section 7243, Gen., Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, that the interest the said decedent may have had at the time of his death, in and to the personal property in the hands of the Trustee in Bankruptcy, in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Bankrupt, if subject to such allowance for maintenance of decedent's family, may be applied thereto and that the Referee in Bankruptcy or other authority in the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Bankrupt ~~xxxx~~ may make such allowance on such terms and limitations just and equitable under the premises.

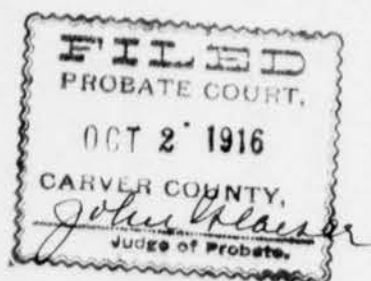
Dated this 2nd day of October, 1916

(Seal)

John Klauer
Judge of Probate, Carver
County, Minn.,

Estate of
Vitalis Ohlen

Order for Maintenance



State of Minnesota
County of Carver,

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased.

Comes now ^{Ahlen}Wilhelmine, Surviving Spouse of Vitalis Ahlen, Deceased and respectfully represents to the Court:

First: That Vitalis Ahlen departed this life on April 12th, leaving surviving him your Petitioner as his surviving Spouse and one child, a son named A. C. Mauritz Ahlen, aged 13 years.

Second: That said Vitalis Ahlen was on December 31st, 1915, adjudged bankrupt in the District Court of the United States, Fourth Division of the District of Minnesota, and surrendered all his property and rights of property, excepting his homestead, situate in Carver, County, Minn., Wearing apparel and household furniture \$150.00, books and pictures, \$50.00 2 horses, \$100.00, 1 Mower, 1 rake, 1 Wagon and 1 Carriage \$55.00. all of which property of said Vitalis Ahlen, so surrendered, was taken possession of by Hon. John P. Galbraith, Trustee of the estate of Vitalis Ahlen, bankrupt, and that there now is in the hands of said Trustee of said bankrupt estate, as your Petitioner is informed and believes, the sum of about \$3500.00, no part of which is held by said Trustee for prior or preferred claims or debts or secured claims or debts against said bankrupt.

Third. That said Vitalis Ahlen died possessed of the household furniture, ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~, above referred appraised at and of the value of the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, which your Petitioner selected and has set aside to her, but there is no personal property of said deceased estate ~~with which~~ ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ out of which the allowance of Five Hundred Dollars to the Surviving Spouse, in addition to the household furniture of decedent in the sum of \$500.00 can be

had, nor the allowance, reasonable and necessary, which your Petitioner and said minor son, constituting the family of said decedent is entitled to under Subdivision 3 of Section 7243 of the General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, for their maintenance during the settlement of the above entitled deceased estate, unless recourse be had to the said funds in the hands of said Trustee of said bankrupt estate, which the Petitioner contends to be subject to such allowances to herself as surviving Spouse and to herself and said minor son as the family of said decedent.

Fourth: That the above entitled deceased estate and said bankrupt estate are both insolvent and there will be no distributive share of the surviving Spouse in the personal property either in said deceased estate or said bankrupt estate assigned to your Petitioner.

Fifth: That at the time the said Vitalis Ahlin was so declared and adjudged bankrupt, he had no money or property except such items (exempt) as hereinbefore catalogued and that the personal property other than the household furniture, to-wit: the 2 horses, wagon, carriage etc., etc., was pledged and hypothecated for funds necessary for ~~xxxxxx~~ said Vitalis Ahlin's comfort and necessities, he being an invalid from such time until his demise. That all of the personal property except the household furniture of said Vitalis Ahlin, was used and consumed for his support before his demise, and that all the personal property of which he died possessed and the owner of, was the household furniture above referred to and of the value of not exceeding the sum of Two Hundred Dollars.

Sixth: That your Petitioner is of the age of 58 years, and that the said A. C. Mauritz Ahlin, only child of said decedent is of the age of thirteen years, and in delicate health, that the sum of Fifty Dollars per month, or the sum of Six Hundred Dollars for the year, in which to settle and close up the estate of said Vitalis Ahlin, Deceased, is reasonable and necessary as an allowance to your Petitioner and said minor child, as the family of Vitalis Ahlin, Deceased, for their maintenance during the settlement of said deceased estate.

Seventh: That said Vitalis Ahlin, departed this life testate and that his last Will was duly admitted to probate in Carver County, Minn., and that ~~your~~ the period of time in which to settle and close said deceased estate was limited to one year.

Wherefore the Petitioner prays that an Order be made, allowing to her and said minor child, constituting the family of said decedent, the sum of Six Hundred Dollars for their maintenance during the settlement and closing up of said deceased estate, as a necessary and reasonable allowance thereof and that said Order be made as a guidance to the authorities in the estate of Vitalis Ahlin, bankrupt, in making such allowance to the family of said bankrupt out of the assets in the hands of the Trustee ~~in Bank~~ of the estate of Vitalis Ahlin, bankrupt.

Francis Muekel
Attorney for the Petitioner

State of Minnesota,
ss.
County of Carver,

I, Wilhelmine Ahlin, on oath depose and say that I am the surviving spouse of Vitalis Ahlin, deceased, who departed this ~~life~~ life, leaving surviving him, myself and one child, A.C. Mauritz Ahlin, that I have read the foregoing Petition and that the statements and allegations therein contained are true of my own knowledge, except as to matters stated on information and belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true.

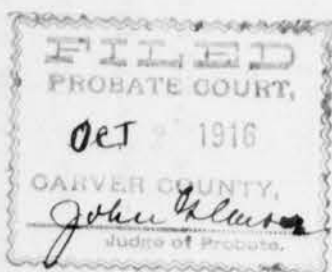
Wilhelmine Ahlin

Sworn to before me this 7 day of September, 1916.

C. E. Blanch
Notary Public in and for
Carver County, Minn.,

Estate of
Vitalis Ahlen

Petition for
Maintenance



State of Minnesota)
County of Carver.)
ss

In Probate Court

In the matter of the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen, Decedent.
This matter came on for hearing on the 22nd, day of August,
A. D. 1917. at 10 o'clock A. M. upon the petition of Francis
Muekel, Attorney for Wilhelmine Ahlen,.

Petitioner appeared and Axel Ahlen Appeared in per-
son and by W. F. Odell, and objected to the jurisdiction of
the Court on the ground that the ^{Complaint} ~~petition~~ was not made by any
of the persons mentioned in Sec. 7315. laws of 1913.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND DETERMINED, That the Com-
plaint of Francis Muekel, atty. for Wilhelmine Ahlen, filed
herein, August 14th. 1917. be and the same is hereby Dismissed.

Dated this 22nd, day of August, 1917

John G. Glaser
Judge of Probate.

Order Dismissing
Complaint.

Filed August
22nd 1917.

John Klauser

State of Illinois

County of Cook

In Probate Court

IN RE ESTATE OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM ALLEN, deceased.
A. E. 1917. at 10 o'clock A. M. upon the petition of Francis
Allen, executor of the estate of the said, and of August,
petitioner, appearing and Axel Allen appearing in person,
petitioner, appearing for William Allen, wife.
The Court on the ground that the petition was not made by and
for the estate of the said, and objected to the introduction of
the same, and the Court ordered the same to be dismissed.
The Court on the ground that the petition was not made by and
for the estate of the said, and objected to the introduction of
the same, and the Court ordered the same to be dismissed.
The Court on the ground that the petition was not made by and
for the estate of the said, and objected to the introduction of
the same, and the Court ordered the same to be dismissed.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this

John Klauser

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF CARVER

ss.

Affidavit of Publication in the Waconia Patriot.

Chas. A. Reil being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he knows of his own knowledge, that the printed Citation for probate of will hereto attached, was cut from the columns of the weekly newspaper, known as The ~~Waconia Patriot~~ Waconia Patriot that said notice was printed and published in said newspaper once in each week for three successive weeks; that said notice was first printed and published in said newspaper on Friday the 21 day of July A. D. 1916, and was thereafter printed and published in said newspaper on each and every succeeding Friday until and including Friday the 4th day of August A. D. 1916. That during the time aforesaid, said newspaper was regularly printed and published on Friday of each week at Waconia, Minnesota. Affiant further says that he now is, and during all the time of publication of said notice has been the publisher and printer of said newspaper. Affiant further says that he knows of his own knowledge that all of the following conditions have existed for at least one year immediately prior to the first publication of said notice, and during the full period of said publication, to-wit: First, said newspaper has been printed in the place from which it purports to be issued, to-wit, the Village of Waconia in said County and State, in the English language and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least four pages with five columns to the page, each seventeen and three-fourths inches long; Second, that it has been issued at least once each week from a known office established in said place of publication and equipped with skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same (excepting newspaper press); Third, that it has contained and now contains general and local news, comment and miscellany, not wholly nor substantially duplicating any other publication and not entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements or any or either of them; Fourth, that it has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of not less than 240 complete copies thereof regularly delivered to paying subscribers; that prior to the date of the first publication of said notice the publisher filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county of Carver, state of Minnesota, the affidavit required by Section 5516, Revised Laws 1905.

Chas. A. Reil

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of August A. D. 1916

(SEAL)

My commission expires

F. J. Schenker
Notary Public, Carver County, Minnesota.

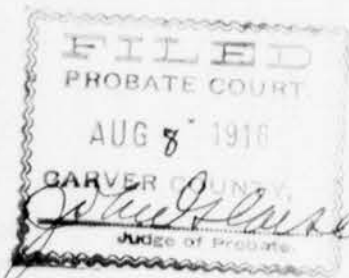
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1917

Cologne Reporter

State of Minnesota, County of Carver,
in Probate Court.
In the matter of the estate of Vitalis
Ahlen, decedent.
The state of Minnesota to Wilhel-
mine Ahlen, Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen,
and all persons interested in the allow-
ance and probate of will of decedent:
The petition of Wilhelmine Ahlen, be-
ing duly filed in this court, represent-
ing Vitalis Ahlen, then a resident of
the county of Carver state of Minne-
sota, died on the 12th day of April,
1916 leaving a last will and testament
which is presented to this court with
said petition, praying that said in-
strument be allowed as the last will
and testament of said decedent, and
that letters Testamentary be issued
thereon to said Wilhelmine Ahlen.
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 Min-
nesota, on the 16th day of August 191
10:00 o'clock a. m., why the prayer
of said petition should not be grant-
ed.
Witness the honorable John Glaese
Judge of said court and seal of said
court this 17th day of July, 1917.
John Glaese, Judge,
(Court Seal) Francis Meukel
Attorney for Petitioner.
(first publication July 21, 1916)

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1 Estate of Vitalis Ahlu, Decedent.

2 Hearing on Complaint alleging the conceal-
3 ing of property belonging to the Estate of
4 said Vitalis Ahlu, said hearing was held in
5 the Probate office, in the Cassin House
6 in the City of Chaska, Minnesota, August
7 22nd, at 10 o'clock, A.M. beginning.

8 The Witness Axel Ahlu appears & presents
9 in response to the citation issued out of
10 this Court on the 14 day of August 1917
11 and objects to further proceedings
12 under the citation on the ground
13 that it does not appear from the Complaint
14 on file that this Court has jurisdiction
15 to take the examination prayed for
16 and on the further ground that this
17 Court has no jurisdiction in the subject
18 matter set forth in said Complaint
19 Order and Citation and upon the
20 further ground that said Probate
21 Court has no jurisdiction over
22 the person of this objector and the
23 further objects and he further appears
24 specially and objects to further proceedings
25 herein on the ground that the Court
26 never acquired jurisdiction in the
27 subject matter of the proceeding
28 or of the person of the objector for
29 the reason that the Complaint on
30 which said Court pretends to proceed
31 in making its Order and Citation herein
32 was not made by any Executor, Admin-
33 istrator, heir, legatee, creditor or
34 other person interested, in

1 the estate of said Velatus Eklin
2 and that said Complainant has no
3 charge that this officer has concealed
4 embassies, carried away or disposed
5 of any money, goods or chattels
6 of said Decedent. All attention
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Statement of Mr Axel Ahlen. that he has
the following Property.

Axel Ahlen has in his possession
belonging to the Estate of Vitalis Ahlen.
The sum of \$75-5-81. less \$25-00 paid
for assignment. Dated Aug. 22nd
1917.

J. H. Glaser,

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlen,

Decedent.

Order of Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of.....
.....Vitalis Ahlen,.....having been presented to this court and the petition
of ...Wilhelmine Ahlen,.....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.....12th.....day of.....April.....
1916, and that said petitioner is.....the Surviving Spouse and named therein.....(1)
to be executor thereof,
~~and that~~.....(2)

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.....Wilhelmine Ahlen.....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.....16th.....
day of...August.....1916 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.....Cologne Reporter,
according to law.

Dated.....July 19th,.....1916

By the Court,

John Leiser
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. 2307

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver.

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlen

Order of Hearing on Petition
for Probate of Will

Filed this 19th day of

July

1916

John Klester
Clerk-Judge of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota, ss
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlen,

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 16th day of August 1916, upon the petition of Wilhelmina Ahlen,
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 Wilhelmina Ahlen,
as Executrix

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 19th day of July 1916, has been duly served and published as required by law.

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 12th day of April 1916, and at the time of his death was a resident of Gotha
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: _____
and _____ duly sworn and examined, and
testimony reduced to writing, subscribed by _____ 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 Wilhelmina Ahlen
was appointed in and by said will to be the executrix thereof _____

and that said person is competent to be Executrix
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 Wilhelmina Ahlen be, and she hereby is appointed Executrix thereof, and that upon the filing in this court of the oath prescribed by law and _____ bond in the sum of Two Hundred and no/100 ————— Dollars, with sufficient sureties; conditioned according to law, and the approval thereof by the judge of this court, letters Testamentary be to her issued.

Dated August 16th 1916

John H. Kline
Probate Judge.

No. 2309

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitatus Olsen
Decedent.

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

Filed this 16th day of

August 1916 and record-

ed in Book "16" of Orders, Pg. 4.

John Gleason
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Vitalis Ahlen,

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	- m - - - \$	10 0.00
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	- - - - - \$	
Cash from other sources	- - - - - \$	
From an estate in Sweden,	\$	7 3 0.81
From estate of John and Hannah Ahlen,	\$	1 5 0.60
	\$	
	\$	
Total receipts from all sources	- - - - - \$	9 8 0.81

DISBURSEMENTS

I. FAMILY

Personal property selected by and turned over to surviving spouse	Voucher No. \$	1 0 0.00
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. \$	
Cash paid for publications of orders	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	1 4.00
Repairs to real estate	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	
Cash paid for insurance	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	
Expenses of representative	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	
Compensation of representative	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	
Fees of Attorney	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	4 4 0.00
cost of Certified Copies, Decree and Will etc.	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	9.25
The item of atty. fees include costs and expenses. There was a great deal of time devoted to the collection of the amounts from the said estates and numerous trips to St. Paul and Minneapolis. The Executor agreeing to such per centage fee before the legal services were rendered.	- - - - - Voucher No. \$	
	- - - - - \$	4 6 3.25

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
ALL EXPENSES PAID BY EXECUTOR WHO IS SURVIVING SPOUSE.

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 - - - - - \$

ALL EXPENSES PAID BY EXECUTRIX WHO IS SURVIVING SPOUSE.

V. TAXES

Personal property tax - - - - - Voucher No.....\$
 Real property tax - - - - - Voucher No.....\$
 Voucher No.....\$

Total taxes paid - - - - - \$

ALL TAXES PAID OUT OF PERSON FUNDS OF EXECUTRIX.

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
		Mohrbacher Bros. (Cologne Minn.)	\$ 1 2 70
		Dr. Knotz (Cologne, Minn.)	\$ 3 2 50
			\$
The decedent was duly adjudged bankrupt on Dec. 31st,			\$
1915, and the above claims were for merchandise, etc.,			\$
and medical services furnished and rendered before Dec.			\$
31st, 1915, and said claims were discharged in bankruptcy.			\$
			\$
			\$
			\$

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

VII. LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

No specific Legacies.

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

RECAPITULATION

		Receipts	Disbursements			
Total receipts from all sources		\$ 980.81				
Total disbursements and credits as follows:						
1. Family	Selection of personal property				1 0 0.00	
2. Expenses of administration					4 6 3.25	
3. Expenses of last sickness	Paid by Spouse					
4. Funeral Expenses	Paid by Spouse					
5. Taxes	Paid by Spouse					
6. Claims of creditors	None					
7. Specific Legacies	None				4 1 7.56	
8. Residue of personal property for distribution						
Total		9 8 0.81			9 8 0.81	

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 Carver State of Minnesota, described, as follows: The Northerly 20.16 acres of the Westerly three-fourths of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 115, Range 25, West, also the East Half of the Northeast Quarter Section 2, Township 114, Range 25, except the 20 acres on the Westerly side thereof, containing 58.84 acres, also One acre in square form in the Northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter, Section 1, Township 114, Range 25, West, aggregating in the total of Eighty Acres.

Also those other tracts and parcels of land in the County of _____ State of Minnesota, described as follows: _____ That decedent was the owner of other real estate but that the same was prior to his death turned over to John Galbraith, trustee of the bankrupt estate of said decedent and that the debts provable against said bankrupt estate were in excess of the assets.

Fifth—That said decedent died on the.....12th.....day ofApril.....
1916., testate, and left him surviving....Wilhelmine Ahlen, as his surviving
spouse and Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen, aged twelve, as his only child, (the
executrix of the Last Will of said decedent as his surviving spouse and
the duly appointed, qualified and acting guardian of the person and property
of their only child, the said Axel Carl Mauritz Ahlen)

who are ..all of the heirs at law and legatees under the Will,.....(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.....July 25th,.....1918

Wilhelmine Ahlen.
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Carver } ss.

Wilhelmine Ahlen,

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.

Wilhelmine Ahlen.

..Subscribed and sworn to before me this

...25th.....day of.....July.....1918.

Francis Mueckel
Notary Public.

.....Carver.....County, Minnesota,

My Commission Expires....1-16-1924.....

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

No. 2509
State of Minnesota,
County of Carver

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Vitalis Ahlen

Final Account and Petition for
Hearing and Allowance
Thereof.

Filed this 17th day of August 1918
Judge of Probate.
No. 86