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STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.  
County of Hennepin

IN PROBATE COURT

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In the Matter of the Alleged Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller Age 6 Years

PETITION HENNEPIN COUNTY WELFARE AGENCY

19,545

TO THE PROBATE COURT OF HENNEPIN COUNTY:

Phone WA 7-8920

Your petitioners the undersigned John P. Miller and Donna Miller  
residing at 6213 Chown Avenue South Minneapolis, Minnesota.

respectfully represents to the Court and alleges that one Pamela Ann Miller  
residing at Pettit E.H. Sauk Centre, Minn. - 6213 Chown Ave., Minneapolis, in said County,  
is, as your petitioners averily believe, Mentally Deficient So.

That your petitioners are related to said patient as follows: Parents

That said patient was born on November 13, 1955 at Minneapolis, Minnesota

and has legal settlement in Hennepin County, Minnesota, since Birth

and has lived and had legal settlement previously at -- for -- years.

That the indications of Mental Deficiency manifested by patient are as follows:

Diagnosis: Mental retardation, on two occasions child has not been testable.  
Latest test on 12-26-61 indicated that this child is retarded.

That patient has been hospitalized at -- Hospital since --  
previously at --

That the reasons for making this application are: That Pamela Ann Miller be committed to  
the guardianship of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Welfare as mentally  
deficient and the name may be placed on the waiting list.

That the names and addresses of the nearest relatives of said patient are:

Father: John P. Miller - 6213 Chown Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Mother: Donna Kozitzo Miller - 6213 Chown Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Spouse: --

Children: --

Brothers and sisters: John P. Miller, Jr., Mark S. Miller and Judy Miller

All: 6213 Chown Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota

That the patient has been under the care of Dr. William H. Trow

That the above named patient is the owner of and has an interest in the following real estate and  
personal property:

None

That no criminal proceedings are pending against said patient. That no restraint has been  
employed:

That patient will -- appear voluntarily before the Court for examination.

WHEREFORE, Your petitioners pray that the above named Court will make due inquiry into the  
matter, examine said patient as to alleged Mental Deficiency and if found to be  
Mentally Deficient commit patient in accordance with the statutes in such case made and provided.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.  
County of Hennepin

Petitioner.

Petitioner.

John P. Miller and Donna Miller

being first duly sworn, depose and say that they are the petitioners in the foregoing petition; that  
they know the contents thereof, and that the averments of said petition are true of their own  
knowledge, save as to such as are therein stated on information and belief, and that as to those they  
believe them to be true.

Petitioner.

Petitioner.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1963

JOHN H. GRAF  
Notary Public, Hennepin County, Minn.  
My Commission Expires July 29, 1969.

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No. 19,545

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

PROBATE COURT

*In the Matter*  
*of the Alleged* Mental Deficiency  
*of* Pamela Ann Miller

PETITION

FILED THIS 31st DAY

OF January A.D. 19: 63

*Paula Gustafson*  
CLERK OF PROBATE



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STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns }

(For Hennepin County)

In the Matter of the

~~Myself /~~  
~~Myself /~~  
~~Myself /~~  
Mental Deficiency  
~~Myself /~~

IN PROBATE COURT

ORDER FOR HEARING  
AND  
FOR EXAMINATION

of Pamela Ann Miller

Patient

John P. &amp; Donna Miller

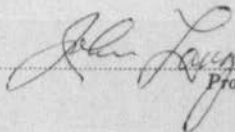
, having filed in this court a petition alleging that the above named  
patient is a mentally deficient <sup>her</sup> person and praying for ~~his~~ commitment;

IT IS ORDERED, That such petition be heard and said patient be examined, in the Probate Court Room in the Court  
House in the City of St. Cloud, Minnesota  
on the 21st day of February, 1963, at 10 o'clock A. M.,  
and that notice hereof be given to said ~~John P. & Donna Miller~~ John P. & Donna Miller, parents of above  
named,

them, by mail  
by the service of a copy of this order upon ~~John P. & Donna Miller~~, prior to said examination.

Dated January 31st, 1963

(Probate Court Seal)

  
Probate Judge

0021 1163



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State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

(for Hennepin County)  
IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
mental deficiency  
of Pamela Ann Miller Patient

ORDER FOR HEARING  
AND  
FOR EXAMINATION

ADMISSION OF SERVICE

I hereby admit due and personal  
service of the within order this  
day of , 19

Attorney for Patient

County Attorney

Filed this 31st

day of January , 19 63

Probate Clerk

No. 3554-P

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

day of , 19 , he served the foregoing order upon the patient therein named at  
in said county and state by handing to and leaving with him personally a true copy thereof.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me

this

day of

, 19

Notary Public

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FRANK D. BESSESEN  
Hennepin County Court Commissioner  
228 Court House  
Minneapolis 15, Minnesota

In the Matter of the Alleged

Mental Deficiency  
of Pamela Miller Patient

Dear Mr. Bessesen:

It is my understanding that a petition for the guardianship of the above named patient has been filed in the Probate Court of Hennepin County. It is my further understanding that a hearing will be held in the near future, and at that time, it will be determined by the Board of Examiners at such hearing whether or not said patient should be committed as a Mentally Deficient patient to the guardianship of the state.

Although I realize that it is very important that all relatives be notified and present at such hearing, I wish to advise you that it will be impossible for me to be present. I wish to state, however, that the diagnosis, recommendation, and disposition made by the Board of Examiners at such hearing will meet with my approval.

Very truly yours,

Donna Miller  
(Name)

6213 Chawendv. So.  
(Address)

Mother  
(Relationship to Patient)

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STEARNS COUNTY WELFARE AGENCY

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

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PROBATE COURT

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*In the Matter of the Alleged*  
mental deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

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CONSENT OF RELATIVE

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*Roslyn Kaufman*  
Clerk of Probate

FRANK D. BESSESEN  
Hennepin County Court Commissioner  
228 Court House  
Minneapolis 15, Minnesota

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STEARNS COUNTY WELFARE AGENCY

In the Matter of the Alleged

Mental Deficient  
of Camela Miller,  
Patient

Dear Mr. Bessesen:

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Although I realize that it is very important that all relatives be notified and present at such hearing, I wish to advise you that it will be impossible for me to be present. I wish to state, however, that the diagnosis, recommendation, and disposition made by the Board of Examiners at such hearing will meet with my approval.

Very truly yours,

John P. Miller  
(Name)

6213 Chas. Ave. S. Mpls. Minn.  
(Address)

FATHER  
(Relationship to Patient)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

PROBATE COURT

*In the Matter of the Alleged*  
mental deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

CONSENT OF RELATIVE

Filed Jan. 31, 1963

*Rodger R. Rasmussen*  
Clerk of Probate



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State of Minnesota, }

County of Stearns  
(for Hennepin County)

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the <sup>(Mental Deficiency)</sup>  
// / / / /

of Pamela Ann Miller

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WELFARE:

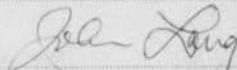
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that a petition has been filed with this Court by John P. &amp; Donna Miller, parents of patient alleging the mental deficiency of Pamela Ann Miller

(Relationship to Patient)

(Mental Deficiency — Epilepsy)

a resident of the City of St. Cloud in said county;  
(City — Village — Town)that on the 21st day of February, 19 63, at 10 o'clock in the fore noon, at the Court House in the City of St. Cloud  
(City — Village — Town)

in said county, a hearing will be had on said petition; that said person is of the age of 6 years;

that her father is John P. Miller and now resides at 6213 Chown Ave. So. Mpls  
that her mother is Donna Miller and resides at " " " "  
(Maiden Name)and, that he is - married and is the spouse of -  
(not)and has - children.  
(Court Seal)

Probate Judge.

(If in the opinion of the Judge the presence of a person skilled in mental diagnosis is necessary or desirable, the following certificate should be signed.)

## REQUEST TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WELFARE

In the opinion of the court a mental examiner should be present at the above mentioned hearing and you are hereby requested to have such a person at said hearing.

Probate Judge.

(Note: Under Section 525.752, Subd. 2; Minnesota Statutes 1953, this notice must be given to the Commissioner of Public Welfare at least ten days before the date set for hearing.)

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No. 19,545

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ALLEGED  
mental deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

Notice to The Commissioner  
of Public Welfare —  
Mental Deficiency — ~~Exhibit~~  
Form No. 226-A

Due service of the within notice is  
hereby admitted at St. Paul  
Minn. this 4th day of  
February, 1963.

By Dances M. Coakley

Filed in my office this 5th  
day of February, 1963

Boulton Lyndhouse  
Clerk of Probate

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns } ss.  
(for Hennepin County)  
In the Matter of the Mental Deficiency  
of Pamela Ann Miller  
Patient }

## IN PROBATE COURT

ORDER APPOINTING  
GUARDIAN AD LITEM

A petition having been filed in this Court alleging that the above named patient is a mentally deficient person and praying for commitment; and it appearing that a guardian ad litem should be appointed to protect the interests of said person in said matter,

IT IS ORDERED, That

of \_\_\_\_\_, Minnesota, be and he hereby is appointed guardian ad litem of said patient to act in all the proceedings herein.

Dated February 21st, 1963

(PROBATE COURT SEAL)

*John Long*  
Probate Judge.

## CONSENT

I do hereby consent to act as guardian ad litem of the patient named in the foregoing order for the purposes stated therein.

Dated February 21st, 1963

*John H. Hughes*

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No. 19,545

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ALLEGED

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller  
Patient.

ORDER APPOINTING  
GUARDIAN AD LITEM

Filed this 21st day of

February, 1963

*Rueben Kuehn*  
Probate Judge - Clerk.

No. 3912\*

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Illness~~  
~~Senility~~  
~~Inebriety~~  
Mental Deficiency  
~~Epilepsy~~

of Pamela Ann Miller

To the Hon. R. J. Nierengarten, County Attorney of said County:

SIR: Please take notice that a petition has been filed with the above court alleging the

Mental Deficiency

of the above named patient.

~~Mental Illness—Senility—Inebriety—Mental Deficiency—Epilepsy~~

You are hereby notified and required to appear at the examination of said patient to be held at my office on

the 21st day of February, 1963 at 10 o'clock A. M., to represent

the petitioner in said matter and to take part in the said examination as provided by law.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1963.

(Court Seal)

*John Lang*  
Judge of Probate.

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No. 19,545

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

Notice to County Attorney  
Mental Illness, Senility, Inebriety,  
Mental Deficiency, Epilepsy

In the Matter of

~~Mental Illness~~  
~~Senility~~  
~~Inebriety~~  
Mental Deficiency  
~~Epilepsy~~

of

Pamela Ann Miller

Due service of the within notice is  
hereby admitted at

Minn., this 21st day of

February, 1963

County Attorney.

By

Filed in my office this 21st day of  
February 1963.

Clerk—Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

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## IN PROBATE COURT

Mental Deficiency

In the Matter of the { Insanity  
Annoyance  
Feeble-mindedness  
Epilepsy

of Pamela Ann Miller

(1) Since the above named patient is not represented by counsel, It Is Ordered; That

John H. Shaughnessy of St. Cloud, Minnesota  
be appointed Attorney for the said patient.

(2) It appearing to the Court that the above named patient is financially unable to pay for such counsel, It Is Ordered, That the compensation of said Attorney, which is hereby fixed at \$ 10.00.....per day, be paid by the County.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1963

(Court Seal)

*John Long*  
Probate Judge

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**State of Minnesota,**

County of Stearns

**IN PROBATE COURT**

**APPOINTMENT of ATTORNEY  
and FIXING COMPENSATION**

Mental Deficiency

In the Matter of the

~~Incompetency~~  
~~Incompetency~~  
~~Probate Administration~~  
~~Probate~~

of

Pamela Ann Miller

Filed this 21st day of  
February  
1963

*Rosemary A. Kunkin*  
Clerk/Judge of Probate.

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Illness~~  
~~Schizophrenia~~  
~~Insanity~~  
~~Mental Deficiency~~  
~~Epilepsy~~

## APPOINTMENT OF EXAMINERS

of Pamela Ann Miller

Patient.

Upon all of the files, records and proceedings herein,

IT IS ORDERED, That Dr. P. E. Stangl and Dr. J. P. McDowell

are appointed to assist in the examination of said patient.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1963.

(Probate Court Seal)

*John Long*  
Probate Judge.

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**State of Minnesota.**

County of Stearns

**IN PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ALLEGED

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller  
Patient.

**Appointment of  
Examiners**

Filed in my office this 21st day of  
February 1963.

*Roselene K. Kishner*  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

No. 401-R-P

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Deficiency~~  
~~Seizure~~  
~~Insanity~~  
~~Mental Deficiency~~  
~~Seizure~~

## OATH OF EXAMINERS

of Pamela Ann Miller

Patient.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

We Dr. P. E. Stangl

and Dr. J. P. McDowell

do each swear that we will faithfully and justly perform all the duties of the office and trust which we now assume as members of the Board of Examiners to examine the above named patient, and determine as to her being  
 Mentally Deficient to the best of our ability.

x

x

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1963

(Probate Court Seal)

*John Lang*  
 Probate Judge-Clerk

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No. 19,545

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ALLEGED

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

Patient.

## OATH OF EXAMINERS

Filed this 21st day of

February, 1963

*Rachel K. Kuyper*  
Probate Judge-Clerk.

# Report of Data and Evidence Presented in Hearing on Mental Deficiency or Epilepsy

(Underline proper word)

Verify all information possible.  
Indicate whether verified.

Name of Patient Pamela Ann Miller Date Committed 2-21-63 County Stearns  
 Petitioner B.H. Sauk Centre, Minn. Petitioner's Name John P. & Donna Miller for Hennepin Co  
 Residence 6213 Chouven Ave. So., Mpls., Minn. Petitioner's relationship to patient parents  
 County of legal settlement Hennepin Examining Board:  
 Date of birth November 13, 1955 Judge Hon. John Lang  
 Place of birth Minneapolis, Minnesota Other members:  
 Length of time in U. S. Life 1. Name Dr. J.P. McDowell  
 Citizen Since birth Occupation M.D.  
 If married, date and place -- 2. Name Dr. P.E. Stangl  
 Religion Catholic Occupation M.D.  
 Sex Female Color White Attorney John Shaughnessy-Rep. patient  
 Color Eyes -- Hair -- Height -- R.J. Nierengarten, County Attorney

## MENTAL EXAMINATION

Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Results: Age \_\_\_\_\_ Mental age \_\_\_\_\_ I. Q. \_\_\_\_\_ Test used \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other results from examination \_\_\_\_\_

Special mental traits indicated in history \_\_\_\_\_

## Recommendations of examiner

## SCHOOL RECORD Pre-School

Age of starting school \_\_\_\_\_ Last school attended \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age at leaving school \_\_\_\_\_ Grade at leaving \_\_\_\_\_  
 Attendance regular or irregular \_\_\_\_\_ Reason for leaving \_\_\_\_\_  
 Grades repeated \_\_\_\_\_ Quality of school work \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conduct in school \_\_\_\_\_

## PHYSICAL RECORD

General physical condition Good  
 Deformities or paralysis None  
 Coordination Good Tremors None  
 Use of arms Good Use of legs Good  
 Speech None Hearing Good Vision Good  
 Venereal disease None What and when --  
 Tobacco None Alcohol None Drugs None To what extent --  
 Name all diseases patient has had and date of each:  
 Disease \_\_\_\_\_ Severity \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Recovery

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## TO BE FILLED IN IF PATIENT IS EPILEPTIC

NOT EPILEPTIC

Age at first attack \_\_\_\_\_  
 Was onset gradual or sudden \_\_\_\_\_  
 Type of attacks \_\_\_\_\_  
 Frequency of attacks \_\_\_\_\_  
 Describe an attack \_\_\_\_\_

STEARNS COUNTY WELFARE AGENCY

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## Information Given by Witness

**BEHAVIOR RECORD:** (If patient has been arrested for any offense, give time, place and sentence in proper space below. If not arrested but delinquent or wayward, state to what extent and in what way)

Age when defectiveness was first observed --

Reasons given for patient's defectiveness --

Abnormal behavior --

Sex --

Delinquencies (specify offense) --

**WORK RECORD:** (Give jobs in chronological order. Get verified information whenever possible)

Employer and Address	Kind of Work	Dates	Wage	Reason for Leaving
--				

**HOME CONDITIONS:**

Number of people in home -- Lodgers (give names and ages:)

Number of rooms in house -- 1.

Number of sleeping rooms -- 2.

Character of dwelling—sanitary condition and repair; cleanliness --

Economic conditions of family: Weekly income -- Rent --

If family owns house, state value -- Mortgage -- No. acres of land --

Patient supported by whom Parents and Hennepin County Welfare Department

Patient's property (of what does it consist) None

Guardianship of property None

Morals of family: Reputation in community Good

Attitude toward school attendance of children Good

Attitude toward church attendance Good

Attitude toward patient Good

**REMARKS:** (Put here any additional information about the patient or his family which cannot be given under any other headings)

If space allowed is insufficient, insert extra sheet.

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# Family of Patient

Name	Date and Place of Birth	Present Address	Occupation and Wage	Grade Reached in School	Mental or Physical Disability, Delinquency, etc.
<i>Father</i> John P. Miller	4-22-23 Mpls., Minn.	6213 Chowen Ave. So. Mpls., Minn.	Salesman	--	None
<i>Mother (Maiden Name)</i> Donna Kozitzo Miller	6-20-26 Mapleton, Minn.	Same as above	Housewife	High School --	
<i>Brothers—Sisters</i> John P. Miller, Jr. Mark S. Miller Judy Miller	Mpls., Minn. 9-4-49 Mpls., Minn. 8-13-51	Same Same	-- --	-- --	-- --
<i>Spouse (if Wife, Maiden Name)</i> --					
<i>Children</i> --					

Other relatives of patient (Names, addresses—show relationship).

## INSTITUTIONAL RECORD OF PATIENT OR RELATIVES:

Name and Relationship	Institutions	Length of Time (Dates)	Cause
Donna Miller - Mother	St. Joseph's San.	Unk. few months during 1959	Emotionally disturbed

## SOURCES OF INFORMATION FOR THIS REPORT AND WITNESSES AT HEARING:

Name and Relationship to Patient	Address
Mr. & Mrs. John P. Miller Parents	6213 Chowen Avenue South Minneapolis, Minnesota

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STEARNS COUNTY WELFARE AGENCY

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns  
(for Hennepin County)

In the Matter of the } Mental Deficiency  
                              } ~~Epilepsy~~

Of Pamela Ann Miller

IN PROBATE COURT

Findings of the  
BOARD OF EXAMINERS

We, the Board of Examiners, in the above entitled proceeding hereby certify and report that on the 21st day of February, 19 63, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day we met at the Court House in the City of St. Cloud in said county (City—Village) and state for the purpose of determining whether Pamela Ann Miller is a mentally deficient person, as alleged in the petition in the above entitled proceeding. (Mentally deficient—epileptic)

R. J. Nierengarten of St. Cloud, Minnesota, (county attorney), and John Shaughnessy, Attorney-at-law & guardian ad Litem, (having been appointed by this Court for that purpose), appeared as attorney in behalf of said

Pamela Ann Miller who was personally present and was examined and observed by us. All proper testimony offered by interested persons was received and considered.

From the examination so made by us and upon due consideration of all of the testimony received, we find and determine that Pamela Ann Miller is a mentally deficient person. (Mentally deficient—epileptic)

Dated at St. Cloud, Minnesota,

This 21st day of February, 19 63

Judge of Probate, Stearns County, Minn.

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

REPORT OF DATA AND EVIDENCE  
PRESENTED IN HEARING ON  
MENTAL DEFICIENCY OR  
EPILEPSY

In the Matter of the } Mental Deficiency  
                              } ~~Epilepsy~~

Pamela Ann Miller

Filed this 21st day of

February 19 63

Clerk of Probate

0021 1184

State of Minnesota,

IN PROBATE COURT

County of Stearns

In the Matter of the Alleged Mental Deficiency  
of Pamela Ann Miller,

## REPORT OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS

We, the Board of Examiners, in the above entitled proceeding hereby certify and report that on the 21st day of February, 1963, at 10 o'clock in the fore noon of said day, we met at the Court Room of the above named Probate Court in the City of St. Cloud in the County of Stearns State of Minnesota, for the purpose of determining whether Pamela Ann Miller is or is not mentally deficient as alleged in the petition in the above entitled proceeding, Roger J. Nierengarten, Esquire, County Attorney of said County, appeared in behalf of said petitioner.

The said Pamela Ann Miller was present and was examined and observed by us. All proper testimony offered by any person interested was received and the following named persons were duly sworn and testified concerning the matters set forth in said petition:

The following proceedings were also had and taken:

We also elicited from said Pamela Ann Miller and the several witnesses appearing before us in said proceedings information required to properly answer the questions set forth in Schedule A hereto attached and have set forth in said schedule the information so obtained and responsive to the said several questions respectively.

From the examination so made by us and upon due consideration of all the testimony received we find and determine that Pamela Ann Miller is

A person not insane, but so mentally defective as to be incapable of managing her self and her affairs, and to require supervision, control and care for her own or the public welfare.

3. A person not insane, but so mentally defective as to be incapable of managing her self and her affairs, and to require supervision, control and care for her own or the public welfare.

Dated at St. Cloud, Minnesota, this 21st day of February, 1963.

*[Signature]*  
Judge of Probate

NOTE: Strike out two of the paragraphs not appropriate to the case. In inebriate cases answers to Schedule A should be attached. In insanity cases answers to Schedule B should be attached.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ALLEGED

Mental Deficiency of

Pamela Ann Miller

Report of the Board of Examiners

State of Minnesota, }

County of

I do hereby certify that I have compared the within copy of the Report of the Board of Examiners with the original thereof on file in said Court, and have found the same to be a true and correct copy of such original and the whole thereof.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 21st day of

February, 1963

*Richard L. Hansen*  
Clerk of Probate.

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Dr. P. E. Stangl

of St. Cloud, Minnesota

is a reputable person, a graduate

of Rush Medical College

which is an incorporated medical

college; that he is a permanent resident of this State, has been in the actual practice of the profession of medicine for at least one year next preceding to the date hereof, and is registered as licensed by the State Board of Medical Examiners; that he is neither superintendent, proprietor, an officer, or regular medical attendant of any institution for the care and treatment of

Mental Deficiency

(SEAL)

*John Long*  
Judge of Probate.

Dated February 21st, 1963.

(Note—A copy of this certificate is to be filed in the Court and original delivered to the doctor. Sec. 3857. R. L. 1905.)

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

CERTIFICATE

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*Roselyn Kephauze*  
Clerk of Probate Court

Form prescribed by State Board of  
Control, pursuant to Sec. 3871, Revised  
Laws of 1905.

**State of Minnesota,**

*County of Stearns*

} ss.

**IN PROBATE COURT  
CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that Dr. J. P. McDowell

of St. Cloud, Minnesota

is a reputable person, a graduate

of Milwaukee University

which is an incorporated medical

college; that he is a permanent resident of this State, has been in the actual practice of the profession of medicine for at least one year next preceding to the date hereof, and is registered as licensed by the State Board of Medical Examiners; that he is neither superintendent, proprietor, an officer, or regular medical attendant of any institution for the care and treatment of

Mental Deficiency

(SEAL)

*John Long*  
Judge of Probate.

Dated February 21st, 19 63

(Note—A copy of this certificate is to be filed in the Court and original delivered to the doctor. Sec. 3857. R. L. 1905.)

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns }

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

CERTIFICATE

Filed February 21st,

, 1963.

*Rachyn Kephau*  
Clerk of Probate Court

Form prescribed by State Board of  
Control, pursuant to Sec. 3871, Revised  
Laws of 1905.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the <sup>(Mental Deficiency)</sup>  
~~Exhibit~~ //

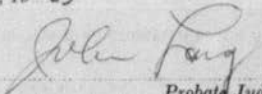
of Pamela Ann Miller

The above named patient having been found to be Mentally deficient  
(Mentally Deficient—Epileptic)

IT IS ORDERED, that the Commissioner of Public Welfare is hereby appointed guardian of the person of  
such patient, and that s. he is hereby committed to his care and custody according to law.

Dated this 21st day of February, 19 63

(Court Seal)

  
Probate Judge



No. 19,545

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns }

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

Warrant of Commitment  
and Receipt of  
Commissioner of  
Public Welfare

MENTAL DEFICIENCY, EPILEPSY

Voucher No.

Filed February 27th, 1963

*Reslyn Kuphouse*  
Clerk of Probate

Receipt of a duplicate copy of this Warrant and a certified copy of the report of examination are hereby acknowledged.

Dated this

25

day of

February

1963

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WELFARE

By

*Francis M. Connelley*  
Clerk

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State of Minnesota,  
County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF  
the Mental Deficiency of  
Pamela Ann Miller

## JUDGMENT

The above entitled proceeding having been duly commenced by petition and said

Pamela Ann Miller

having been personally before the Court, and

examined as to mental deficiency by a Board of Examiners duly appointed by this Court, and the report of said Board of Examiners having been duly filed herein, whereby said Pamela Ann Miller has been found to be mentally deficient and in need of care and treatment in a State Institution.

NOW, THEREFORE, Upon reading and filing said report and upon all the records and proceedings herein, IT IS HEREBY ADJUDGED AND DETERMINED, and the Court does hereby adjudge and determine, that the said Pamela Ann Miller is mentally deficient and a proper person for care and treatment in a State Institution.

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED, That the said

Pamela Ann Miller

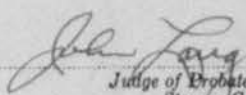
be committed to the custody of

Commissioner of Public Welfare

and that triplicate warrants of

commitment be issued out of and under the seal of this Court, as provided by law, to carry this judgment into effect.

Dated February 21st, 1963

  
Judge of Probate,  
Stearns County.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns


## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF  
Mental Deficiency of

Pamela Ann Miller

## JUDGMENT

Filed February 21st, 1963

  
Clerk of Probate Court.Recorded in Book 2 ofJudgments on Page 389

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT,  
EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM.

In the Matter of the Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

Dr. J. P. McDowell

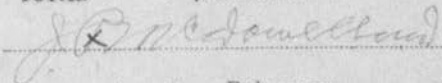
on being first duly sworn, says that he has a

just and true claim against said County for services in the above entitled matter as follows:

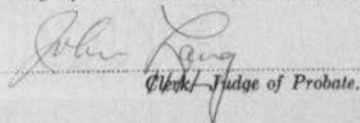
Services as examiner - - - - - \$10.00

2 mile of necessary travel at 15c per mile - - \$ .30

TOTAL - - \$ 10.30



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February 1963

  
Clerk Judge of Probate.

19,545

**State of Minnesota,**

County of Stearns

**PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

**EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM**

Filed this 21st day of

February 1963

Rochester Kephau  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT,  
EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM.

In the Matter of the Mental Deficiency }  
of Pamela Ann Miller }

Dr. P. E. Stangl on being first duly sworn, says that he has a  
just and true claim against said County for services in the above entitled matter as follows:

Services as examiner - - - - - \$10.00

2 mile of necessary travel at 15c per mile - - \$ .30

TOTAL - - \$ 10.30

x PE Stangl MD

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1963.

John Long  
Clerk Judge of Probate.



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM

Filed this 21st day of

February 1963

*Roselyn Kephauise*  
Clerk/Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

} ss.

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT  
EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDERIN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Deficiency  
of Pamela Ann Miller }

Dr. J. P. McDowell having been duly appointed an examiner in  
mental deficiency in the above entitled matter by an order of this Court and  
having filed his duly verified claim for fees allowed by law therefor.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered and adjudged that the said Dr. J. P. McDowell

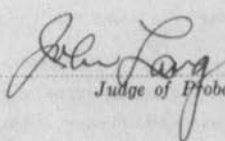
be and he hereby is allowed

Ten and 30/100 - - - - - Dollars (\$ 10.30 )

for his services herein and that upon filing this order with the Auditor of said County an order for said amount shall be drawn  
by said Auditor upon the Treasurer of said County.

Dated February 21st, 19 63

By the Court,

  
Judge of Probate



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

## Examiner's-Fee Order

Filed this 21st day of

February, 19 63

*Rosalyn K. Johnson*  
 Clerk-Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota,

County of

}

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within order with the original thereof 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 order 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 \_\_\_\_

Clerk-Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDERIN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Deficiency  
of Pamela Ann Miller }

Dr. P. E. Stangl

having been duly appointed an examiner in

Mental Deficiency

in the above entitled matter by an order of this Court and

having filed his duly verified claim for fees allowed by law therefor.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered and adjudged that the said Dr. P. E. Stangl

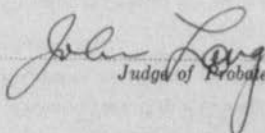
be and he hereby is allowed

Ten and 30/100 - - - - - Dollars (\$ 10.30 )

for his services herein and that upon filing this order with the Auditor of said County an order for said amount shall be drawn  
by said Auditor upon the Treasurer of said County.

Dated February 21st , 19 63

By the Court,

  
Judge of Probate

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns.

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

## Examiner's-Fee Order

Filed this 21st day of

February, 19 63

*Russell K. Kellomaki*  
Clerk—Judge of Probate

County of

State of Minnesota.

} ss.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within order with the original thereof 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 order 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

Clerk—Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota,

} ss.

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Walter A. Miller~~ /  
~~Walter A. Miller~~ /  
~~Walter A. Miller~~ /  
 Mental Deficiency  
~~Walter A. Miller~~ /

of Pamela Ann Miller

John H. Shaughnessy

being first duly sworn, says that he has a just and

true claim against said County for services rendered as Attorney for said patient at a hearing before the Probate Court of said

County held on the 21st day of February, 19 63

That he was appointed as Attorney for said patient by the Order of said Court dated the 21st

day of February, 19 63, and that his compensation was fixed at \$ 10.00 per day in said order;

That there is now due him for such services the sum of \$ 10.00.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21st day of February, 19 63

Judge of Probate

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State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

### Attorney's Fee Claim

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Illness //~~  
~~Schizofrenia //~~  
~~Inebriety //~~  
~~Mental Deficiency //~~  
~~Epilepsy //~~

Pamela Ann Miller

Filed this 21st day of February

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Clerk—~~Judge~~ of Probate.

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County of

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I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within order with the original thereof 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 order 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

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*Clerk—Judge of Probate.*

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

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IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Illness~~~~1847~~~~1847~~~~Mental Deficiency~~~~1847~~

of Pamela Ann Miller

John H. Shaughnessy

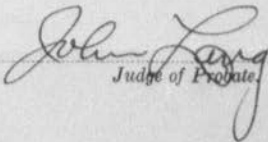
having been duly appointed as Attorney

for said patient by this Court and the Court having determined that said patient is financially unable to pay for said services and the said John H. Shaughnessy

having filed his claim for such services in this Court, Now Therefore, It Is Hereby Ordered and Adjudged that the said John H. Shaughnessy

be and he hereby is allowed the sum of \$ 10.00, for his services in said matter, and that upon filing this Order with the County Auditor of said County an order for said amount shall be drawn in his favor by said Auditor upon the Treasurer of said County.

By the Court,

  
Judge of Probate

Dated February 21st, 19 63

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State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

### ATTORNEY'S FEE ORDER

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Illness~~ //  
~~Sanity~~ //  
~~Insanity~~ //  
~~Mental Deficiency~~  
~~Epilepsy~~ //

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Pamela Ann Miller

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Filed this 21st day of February

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Rudolph Kuehner  
Clerk of Probate.

Clerk—~~John J.~~ Probate.

Filed in my office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

19....., and paid by

Warrant No. ....

County Auditor.

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

No. 2521\*

County of

## State of Minnesota.

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I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Probate Court of said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the within order with the original thereof 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 order and record.

*In Testimony Whereof, I have herewith affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, and signed my name*

This

day of

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*Clerk—Judge of Probate.*

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MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE  
DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES  
BUREAU FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORT

CONFIDENTIAL

NAME Miller, Pamela Ann  
STUDIED FOR Stearns County Welfare Dept. ☒ COUNTY Stearns  
Reason for Evaluation I.Q. evaluation to aid in planning for commitment to state guardianship  
BIRTHDATE 11-13-55  
DATE OF EVALUATION 12-26-61

Previous Examinations 8-30-57, Vineland, Social Quotient 40, Leo J. Hanvik  
6-4-59 Vineland, Social Quotient 38, Leo J. Hanvik  
Handicaps none

TESTS USED	INTELLIGENCE TEST	AGE	M.A.	I.Q.
	Cattell Infant Intelligence Scale	6-1.4	0-9.4	13
Other Tests				

SUMMARY

Pamela was a neatly dressed, well groomed child when she was presented to the examiner. She was a rather attractive child with brown hair. She displayed no gross motor incoordination as she moved about the room, but it was noticed that she has difficulty walking down stairs and apparently is unable to take the steps evenly one at a time. Her speech consists of babbling similar to that of a much younger child and after trying to converse with her for some time, it was apparent that her present intellectual development is far behind her chronological age.

On the Cattell Infant Intelligence Scale, Pamela was able to complete successfully all of the items at the 8 month level and most of them at the 9 month level. At the 10 month level, she failed an item where she was encouraged to play with a cup and spoon together and another item in which she was asked and shown how to put her fingers in the holes of a peg board. At the 11 month level, she picked up a candy pellet with a deft, overhand, thumb opposed to finger motion, but was unable to do any of the other items at that level or at the 12 month level successfully. With an I.Q. of 13, Pamela is profoundly retarded and commitment to state guardianship would seem to be indicated.

John B. Wasson  
John Wasson  
Psychologist

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RESIDENCE  
901 UTAH AVENUE SOUTH  
MINNEAPOLIS 24, MINNESOTA  
LINENY 2-8668

OFFICE  
500 QUEEN AVENUE NORTH  
MINNEAPOLIS 6, MINNESOTA  
FRANKLIN 2-2400

LEO J. HANVIK, Ph.D.  
CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST

June 10, 1959

Re: Miller, Pamela  
S.D. Nov. 13, 1953

Miss Dagny Johnson  
Medical Division  
Hennepin County Welfare Board  
134 Court House  
Minneapolis, Minn.  
(cc Dr. Wm Trow)

Dear Miss Johnson:

Regarding Pamela, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Miller, my contacts with the child and her father were on two occasions: Aug. 30, 1957 and June 4, 1959. The child was not tested directly on either occasion because of her distractibility, but the Vineland Social Maturity was completed on both occasions from data supplied by the father. The Social Quotient on the child was 40 on 8-30-57 and 38 on 6-4-59. Behavior and history both point to a diagnosis of mental retardation, severe, with extreme hyperactivity.

I did not see Mrs. Miller who evidently is a nervous person who resists the idea of placement of the child.

At present Pamela is 3½ years old but is in the 1 to 1½ year developmental stage with no language development nor play development, no toilet training but well developed locomotion. On my recent contact brief tests suggested that the child may also be deaf to some degree but I am unable to evaluate this thoroughly and doubt if this could be done by anyone at this time.

Sincerely yours,

Leo J. Hanvik Ph.D.  
Clinical psychologist

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WILLIAM H. TROW, M.D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

6822 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH  
MINNEAPOLIS 23, MINN.

DN 5-9522

5 June, 1959

Miss Dagny Johnson  
Hennepin County Welfare Board  
134 Court House  
Minneapolis 15, Minnesota

Re: Pamela Ann Miller

Dear Miss Johnson:

The above named child was referred by me to Dr. Willis Thompson, 955 Medical Arts Bldg. in 1957 because of signs of mental retardation. He confirmed the findings and referred the patient to Leo J. Narvik Ph.D., Clinical Psychologist. I am enclosing a copy of his letter.

Pamela was born on 11-15-55 at term, spontaneously after a labor of 5 hours. Breathed spontaneously and readily. Birth wt. 8-14. She completed her course of D.P.T. (Pri-immunel) on 5-15-56. Shell Fox on 8-1-56.

1st Polio Vaccination	4-1-56
2nd " "	8-1-56
3rd " "	6-12-57
Booster of D.P.T. given	11-28-58.

She is in good physical health but is obviously mentally retarded.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM H. TROW, M.D.

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PAUL E. BLANE, M.D.  
1000 MEDICAL ARTS BUILDING  
MINNEAPOLIS 2, MINNESOTA

TELEPHONE 5-1242

NEUROLOGICAL SURGERY

May 28, 1959

Miss Dagny Johnson, Unit Supervisor  
Medical Division  
Hennepin County Welfare  
134 Court House  
Minneapolis 15, Minnesota

Re: Pamela Ann Miller  
Mrs 22913 - *let's see*

Dear Miss Johnson:

This little girl is about three and a half years old now, but when I saw her she was just two and a half. I saw her just once on May 16, 1958 in my office at the request of Dr. William Trow.

She started walking at about eleven months of age, but she was unable to put food in her mouth until after she became one year of age. At the time I saw her she wasn't talking or making any signs of intelligence or even wanting to communicate. She didn't have temper tantrums or express much affection of any type, that is she doesn't love anything such as her mother or father. On the other hand she didn't get mad at anything either.

Her mother said that there had been some jerking of her head, off and on ever since she was an infant, that is her head would jerk and her head would fall forward unable to hold it up. Now that the child is walking the mother noted that the head jerks and the child would slump to the ground, unable to hold her head up.

The neurological examination seemed normal, as far as the reflexes, sensation, and coordination. Most of the test is an objective thing. She did not cooperate very well on the subjective part of the examination. The electroencephalogram done at St. Mary's Hospital was entirely normal. The skull x-rays were also normal. I don't know if there is very much we can do for the child except observe it. I am sure that she is mentally retarded, but I hesitated to say how much there will be eventually, as it is very difficult to handle a child at this age, and arrive at an opinion when so much of the testing will have to depend on the cooperation of the girl. The EKG and skull x-rays were normal, so one would have to say that she is not subject to epilepsy, however the mother's description of the drop seizures is quite explicit, and I thought it would be a good idea to have the child on a trial of anti-convulsant medication. At that time I sug-

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gested Phenobarbital,  $\frac{1}{2}$  grains, t.i.d. for awhile, and if there was no change after a few weeks one might try Tridione on the chance that it might be a petit mal type of seizure. There is an association of myoclonic jerks with atypical degeneration of the brain, the degeneration occurring in the cortex and basal ganglia. This is a progressive disease and ends in death in the late teens or early twenties. There was no familial history in this case. These didn't seem really to be myoclonic jerks. The EEG was normal, and this is rarely so in these type of jerks. There is also another condition featured with a feeble mind and convulsions which features atrophy of the white matter of the brain, but a large feature in this is the patients are usually blind and death usually occurs around six years of age. On the basis of my knowledge then we could say that there wasn't any progressive type of degenerative neurological disease present here, although this should be kept in the back of our mind.

I certainly hope this report has been of some help to you. It is hard to write a report at this time since I have not seen the girl for over a year now.

Sincerely yours,

Paul S. Blake, M. D.

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WILLIAM H. TROW, M.D.

PEDIATRICIAN AND SURGEON

6822 LYNDALE AVENUE SOUTH  
MINNEAPOLIS 23, MINN.

UN. 9-9303

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August 31, 1957

Re: Pamela Miller

B.D. : 11-15-55

Age: 2 1/2 Months

Dr. Eldon Berglund  
Medical Arts Bldg.  
Minneapolis, Minn.  
(cc Dr. William Trow)

Dear Doctor Berglund:

At your request I have seen Pamela, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller for psychological evaluation on 8-30-57. My diagnostic conclusion is that of mental retardation.

The Vineland Social Maturity Scale yielded an age equivalent of 1 year. The Cattell Infant Scale was not subjected to formal scoring but yielded a developmental level of approximately 1 year. Rapport was rather poor and the child was cranky so the performance on the latter scale may underestimate the child's true level although it appears to coincide with the Vineland Scale which is completed on the basis of data supplied by the parents. I would recommend a reevaluation of the child in about 1 1/2 to 2 years. There is no language development in Pamela as yet.

As you probably know, another basis for reserving final judgment at this time is that the mother is evidently an unstable person and may not be handling or relating to the child well. According to the father (the mother did not come in with the child) his wife was not anxious to have this child and had some sort of breakdown during or just after her pregnancy with this child.

Thank you for this referral. Please feel free to call me if you wish to discuss this child.

Sincerely yours,

Leo J. Hanvik Ph.D.  
Clinical Psychologist

LJH:bhb

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HENNEPIN COUNTY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

MINNEAPOLIS 15, MINNESOTA

400 SOUTH FIFTH STREET

OFFICERS

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VICE-CHAIRMAN

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DIRECTOR

January 22, 1963

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Mr. L. H. Dahm, Director  
Stearns County Welfare Department  
Court House  
St. Cloud, Minnesota

Re: Pamela Miller  
MRE 22913

664-CWS  
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Attention Mr. Ron Thomas

Dear Mr. Dahm:

Mr. and Mrs. Miller have requested that a hearing in mental deficiency for their daughter, Pamela, be held in Stearns County since she is at the Petit Children's Home.

Enclosed please find two copies of the signed petition, four copies of Data and Evidence and two copies each of the medical and psychological reports. I am also enclosing signed waivers of appearance in the event one of the parents is unable to attend the hearing.

As per Mr. John Graf's January 9, 1963 talk with Mr. Thomas the parents should be notified at least two weeks before the hearing, so they can make definite arrangements to attend. Also we understand the parents will go directly to St. Cloud as a member of the staff at the home will plan to bring Pamela to the hearing.

The Hennepin County Court Commissioner's office will write your Judge to confirm settlement and to guarantee payment of court costs.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours very truly,

*Adell Mayer*

Mrs. Adell Mayer, Caseworker  
Medical Division

AM:vz

*[Signature]*  
Enc.

cc: State Office  
M.D.&E. Section

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State of Minnesota,

## PROBATE COURT

County of Stearns

In the Matter of the Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

To the County Auditor of Hennepin

County, Minnesota:

I Herely Certify, That on the 31st day of January 19 63, the petition of John P. & Donna Miller among other things: that Pamela Ann Miller was a mentally deficient person in need of care and attention; that on the 21st day of February 19 63, he was examined by a board duly constituted by order of this court and by said board found to be mentally deficient in need of proper care and attention, and on the 21st day of February 19 63, by order of the court was committed to Commissioner of Public Welfare, St. Paul 1, Minn. for such necessary care and attention; and that upon such examination it was determined and established that said Pamela Ann Miller has a legal settlement in the County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota.

That the following is an itemized statement of the necessary costs and expenses of said examination and commitment to be charged to and paid by said Hennepin County according to law, to-wit:

Dr. J. P. McDowell, St. Cloud, Minnesota

\$ 10.30

Examiners fee

\$

Dr. P. E. Stangl, St. Cloud, Minnesota

\$

Examiner's Fee

\$ 10.30

John H. Shaugnessy, St. Cloud, Minnesota

\$

Attorney's fee

\$ 10.00

Total - - - \$ 30.60

Probate Judge,

Stearns

County.

To the County Auditor of Hennepin

County, Minnesota:

I hereby certify that pursuant to the findings in the above certificate the sum of Thirty and 60/100 (\$30.60) - - - - - Dollars was necessarily incurred and paid by Stearns County in the matter therein entitled, and that the same is hereby presented as a just and proper claim against Hennepin County, Minnesota, for payment.

County Auditor,

Stearns

County, Minn.

State of Minnesota,

County of

The undersigned County Auditor hereby denies that the above named

is a resident of said

County and that he has a legal

settlement therein.

County Auditor of

County, Minn.

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

Mental Deficiency

of Pamela Ann Miller

Certificate of Costs and Examination and Commitment of  
Defective Non-Resident

Received this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

19 \_\_\_\_\_,

and certified to the County Auditor of \_\_\_\_\_

County,

this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

19 \_\_\_\_\_.

County Auditor,  
County Minn.

228222222 filed this 21st  
day of February, 19 63  
*Edwin R. Kuylenstierna*  
Clerk of Probate  
County Auditor,  
County, Minn.

State of Minnesota  
Department of Social Security  
Division of Social Welfare

Director

TO THE COUNTY AUDITORS OF \_\_\_\_\_

AND \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTIES, MINNESOTA:

The undersigned Director of Social Welfare hereby certifies that he has investigated the legal settlement of \_\_\_\_\_ named in the foregoing certificate, and find as follows:

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

IN PROBATE COURT

19,546  
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 St. Cloud in the County of Stearns State of Minnesota, and is an adult and is interested in the estate of decedent in this, to-wit:

SECOND—That said decedent was born in the Country of U.S.A., and died at St. Cloud County of Stearns, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, 1963, aged 50 years and at the time of his death was a native of U.S.A. and a citizen of the Country of U.S.A. and a resident of St. Cloud in the County of Stearns and State of Minnesota and left estate in the County of Stearns 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 personal property of the estimated value of \$26,500.00 divided as follows:

- |                     |              |                        |             |
|---------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Household goods, | \$           | 2. Wearing apparel,    | \$          |
| 3. Stock,           | \$ 18,000.00 | 4. Notes, bonds, etc., | \$ 3,500.00 |
| 5. Miscellaneous,   | \$ 5,000.00  |                        |             |

That said estate also included real estate of the estimated worth and probable value of \$ 16,000.00 situated St. Cloud in said County of Stearns State of Minnesota, to-wit:

1. Homestead in Held in Joint Tenancy County, Minnesota, as follows:

A. City Property

(Give Area)

\$

(or)

B. Rural Property

(Give Area)

\$

2. Real Estate other than Homestead:

A. City Property

Lots without Buildings \$

City Property Commercial building

Lots with Buildings \$ 16,000.00

B. Rural Property

Acres improved land \$

Rural Property

Acres unimproved land \$

FIFTH—That the probable amount of debts of decedent is \$ 2,300.00, consisting of Funeral expenses and current bills.

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SIXTH—That the names, ages, relationship and addresses of the heirs, legatees and devisees of said decedent, so far as known to your petitioner are as follows:

NAME	AGE	RELATIONSHIP	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
Peter R. Thomas	51	Husband	3217 Eighth Street North St. Cloud, Minnesota
Katherine Ann Faust	28	Daughter	1897 Lincoln Ave., St. Paul St. Patrick's Parish Butte, Montana
Rev. James Peter Thomas	27	Son	1213 12th Ave. S.E., St. Cloud
Peter Michael Thomas	25	Son	1601 N.El Paso, Colorado Springs, Colorado
Patricia Ann Engelbert	23	Daughter	629 28th Street East Minneapolis 1, Minnesota
David Lawrence Thomas	22	Son	3217 8th St.No., St.Cloud, Minn.
Timothy Allen Thomas	14	Son	3217 8th St.No., St.Cloud,
Brian Lewis Thomas	12	Son	3217 8th St.No., St.Cloud
Christopher Scott Thomas	10	Son	3217 8th St.No., St. Cloud
Kerry Owen Thomas	9	Son	3217 8th St.No., St. Cloud

SEVENTH—That Peter R. Thomas whose Post Office address is 3217 Eighth Street North, St. Cloud, Minnesota is named in said Will as executor thereof and <sup>is</sup> ~~was~~ suitable and competent person to be executor of said Will.

WHEREFORE, Your petitioner prays that said last Will and Testament be allowed and admitted to probate; and that said Peter R. Thomas be appointed executor thereof; and that, upon due qualification as provided by law, letters testamentary be issued to the said Peter R. Thomas

Dated January 31, 1963.

*Peter R. Thomas*  
Petitioner.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns } ss.

*Peter R. Thomas*

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1963.

Notary Public Stearns County, Minnesota.

My Commission expires July 22, 1969.

FRED J. HUGHES  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
Notary Seal Expires July 22, 1969

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

Petition for Allowance and  
Probate of Will

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Decedent.

Selection of Newspaper

To the Judge of said Court:  
Please cause the notices in said estate  
to be published in the

(Give last name of newspaper)

(Sign your name here)

Filed this 31st day of January, 1963

*Dorothy R. Thomas*  
Probate Judge—Clerk.

No. 3389

STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT  
File No. 19,346

RE ESTATE of Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Decedent.

IT IS ORDERED that the petition filed herein to admit to probate the last will of decedent be heard on Friday, March 1st, 1963, at 9 o'clock A.M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

IT IS ORDERED that creditors of decedent file their claims in this court within four months from the date herof and that said claims be heard on Friday, May 31st, 1963, at 9 o'clock A.M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1963,  
(SEAL)

JOHN LANG  
Probate Judge.

Frederic J. Hughes,  
Attorney.

Published Feb. 7, 14, 21, 1963.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

William E. Miller, being duly sworn on oath says:  
that he is, and during all times herein stated has been, the Editor  
of the Times Publishing Company, the publisher of the newspaper  
known as The St. Cloud Daily Times and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated.

That for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the Order for Hearing  
on Petition for Probate of Will

hereinafter described  
said newspaper was printed and published in the City of St. Cloud, in the County of Stearns, State of Minnesota, daily except Sundays and holidays; that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the City of St. Cloud from which it purports to be issued as above stated and in newspaper format and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued daily except Sundays and holidays from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same; that the press work on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve has been done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of Stearns County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

That the Order for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will

hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for three successive weeks; that it was first so published on Thursday the 7th day of February, 1963, and thereafter on Monday of each week to and including the 21st day of February, 1963.

and that the following is a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1963.

Clarence N. Bolander  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minnesota.

My Commission expires Sept. 22nd, 1965.

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PRINTER'S  
Affidavit of Publication  
OF  
THE ST. CLOUD DAILY  
TIMES

Of Order for Hearing on Petition for

...Probate of Will.....

Estate of Dorothy B. Thomas..

Decedent .....

FILED THIS 25th DAY

OF February A.D. 19 63

*Russell R. Hoffmann*  
CLERK OF PROBATE

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Dorothy R. Thomas Deceased.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of said deceased having been this day admitted to probate by this Court,  
and Peter R. Thomas named as execut<sup>OR</sup> of said Will,  
having applied for Letters Testamentary thereon:

IT IS ORDERED, That the said Peter R. Thomas give  
bonds to the Judge of this Court in the sum of Two Thousand and no/100 - - - - -  
- - - - - (\$2,000.00) - - - - - Dollars,

conditioned that he will faithfully execute the duties of his trust according to law, with sufficient sureties, to be approved by said Judge, and that thereupon Letters Testamentary to be him issued.

Dated at St. Cloud Minnesota, the 1st day of March

A. D. 1963.

By the Court,

Fred J. Hughes,

Attorney for Petitioner.

Judge of Probate.

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No. 19,546.....

## IN PROBATE COURT

County of..... Stearns .....

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy H. Thomas,  
Deceased.

## ORDER FOR EXECUTOR'S BOND

Filed this ..... 1st ..... day of  
March ..... A. D. 19<sup>63</sup> ....., and  
recorded in Book ..... of Orders, on  
page .....

*Roselyn Gulhouse*  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

No. 9540\*

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT.

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

Dorothy E. Thomas

Proof of Will

Decedent.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

Louis J. Reed

, 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 30th day of

October A. D. 1961, and purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of

Dorothy E. Thomas of the County

of Stearns and State of Minnesota now here presented for probate; that he knew

and was well acquainted with the said Decedent, in her lifetime and at the time of her death, that on the day and date of said instrument, to-wit, the 30th day of October

A. D. 1961, the said instrument was signed, sealed, executed and then and there acknowledged, published and declared by the said decedent, to be her Last Will and Testament in the presence of deponent and of

Colette M. Lewes

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

Colette M. Lewes

he other subscribing witness did then and there, in the presence of the said decedent, and at her request, severally subscribe said instrument as witnesses thereto.

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

And further deponent saith not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

1st day of March A. D. 1963

*John Long*  
Judge of Probate

*Louis J. Reed*  
Louis J. Reed



No. 19,546

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

# IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND  
TESTAMENT OF

Dorothy E. Thomas  
*Decedent.*

## TESTIMONY OF

Louis J. Reed  
*Subscribing Witness to Will.*

Taken, sworn, subscribed and filed this

1st day of

March 19 63

*Roselyn Huphaus*  
Clerk ~~Judge~~ of Probate.

# Last Will and Testament of

DOROTHY R. THOMAS

I, Dorothy R. Thomas, of St. Cloud, County of Stearns 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, hereby revoking all and every former Will by me made.

1.

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

2.

After the payment of the above, I give, devise and bequeath all of my estate, both real and personal, of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate, to my husband Peter R. Thomas, to be his in fee simple, absolutely forever. I have in mind at the time of the making and execution of this Will, my children, and I know that my husband, if he survives me, and in his own discretion, will make ample provisions for them.

3.

In the event that my husband shall predecease me in death that then, and in that event, I devise my entire estate in trust for the use and benefit of my minor children and I hereby constitute and appoint \_\_\_\_\_ Trustee of my estate and Guardian and legal custodian of my minor children until each reach his or her majority. Said Trustee to act without fee.

4.

I hereby instruct my Trustee and hereby give said Trustee the right to use such amounts of the income of my estate, as may be necessary, for the maintenance, rearing and education of my minor children and I hereby definitely instruct said Trustee to keep said Trust Estate intact until the youngest of my children shall reach his or her majority at which time, the remainder of said trust estate shall be divided equally among my children, to-wit: Katherine Ann Faust, James Peter Thomas, Peter Michael Thomas, Patricia Ann Engelbert, David Lawrence Thomas, Timothy Allen Thomas, Brian Lewis Thomas, Christopher Scott Thomas and Kerry Owen Thomas, in equal shares, share and share alike. The Trust Estate shall, at all times, be charged with the maintenance, rearing and education of each and all of my minor children and only after this has been accomplished can the remainder of said estate be divided among my children and said trust terminated.

5.

I hereby constitute, nominate and appoint my husband, Peter R. Thomas, sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, without Bond, and with full right to sell any and all real estate and personal property without license or approval of any court and without having to account to any court by reason of the same.

6.

In the event that my husband shall predecease me in death that then I constitute, nominate and appoint \_\_\_\_\_ the representative and Trustee of my Estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1961.

Dorothy R. Thomas (SEAL)  
Dorothy R. Thomas

THIS INSTRUMENT was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said Testatrix, Dorothy R. Thomas, to be her last Will and Testament, in our presence who, at her request, have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses, in her presence and in the presence of each other.

Calitha M. Lewis residing at \_\_\_\_\_ Minn.  
Louis J. Reed Residing at \_\_\_\_\_ Minn.

**State of Minnesota,**  
County of **Stearns**

**IN PROBATE COURT**  
**CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE**

In the Matter of the Estate of **Dorothy R. Thomas** Decedent

**We 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  
**Dorothy R. Thomas** Decedent, late of said County of **Stearns**  
bearing date the **30th** day of **October** **1961**, and being the annexed  
written instrument, was duly proved before the Probate Court, in and for the County of **Stearns**  
aforesaid; and was duly allowed and admitted to probate by said Court according to law; as and for the last Will and Testa-  
ment of said **Dorothy R. Thomas**  
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 **St. Cloud** in said County,  
this **1st** day of **March** **1963**



*John Long*  
Judge of Probate.

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State of Minnesota.

County of

ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

I,

County of \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the record of last Will and Testament and Certificate of Probate thereon and the original records thereof now remaining in this office and have found the same to be correct transcripts therefrom and of the whole of such original records.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal

of said Court, at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

A. D. 19

\_\_\_\_\_ of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy E. Thomas

Decedent.

## Certificate of Probate of Will

Filed this 1st day of March 1963, and recorded,

together with the will attached in Book

M of Records of Wills, Page 618

Roselyn G. Gushouse  
Clerk and Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,  
County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy H. Thomas,  
Decedent

## Order Admitting Will to Probate

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 1st day of March 1963

upon the petition of Peter H. Thomas

for the allowance of an instrument filed therewith purporting to be the last will and testament of the above named decedent; 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 31st day of January 1963 has been duly served and published as directed therein and required by law.

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 14th day of January 1963, and at the time of his death was a resident of St. Cloud in the County of Stearns and State of Minnesota and left estate in the County of Stearns State of Minnesota.

THIRD—That the subscribing witnesses to said purported last will and testament of said decedent, to-wit:

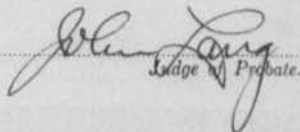
Colette M. Lewis and Louis J. Reed

and Louis J. Reed 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

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

Dated March 1st, 1963.

  
Judge of Probate.



State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns }

**PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy E. Thomas,  
Decedent.

**Order Admitting Will to Probate**

Filed this 1st day of  
March 1963, and recorded  
in Book " of Orders, Page

*Roselyn Huphouse*  
Clerk ~~in~~ of Probate.



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

## LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

Decedent died on January 14th, 1963

To Peter R. Thomas

GREETING:

Whereas, You have been appointed execut<sup>or</sup> of the last will and testament of the above named decedent, by the order of this court, and have duly qualified as such:

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

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

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

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

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

Witness, The Judge of this Court, and the seal thereof, this 6th day of

March, 1963

*John Long*  
Probate Judge.



State of Minnesota,

IN PROBATE COURT

County of \_\_\_\_\_

ss.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Judge of the Probate Court, in and for said County, and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that I have compared the within and foregoing paper writing with the original Letters Testamentary in the matter therein entitled, now remaining of record in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original, and the whole thereof.

WITNESS, my hand and seal of said Court, at \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_

, A. D. 19 \_\_\_\_\_

this

Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Decedent.LETTERS TESTAMENTARY  
(LONG FORM)

Filed this 6th day of

March, 1963, and Recorded

in Book " 0 " of Letters, Page 385

*Rosemary Buchanan*  
Clerk-Judge of Probate Court.

# The Travelers Indemnity Company

Hartford, Connecticut

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

### KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Connecticut, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

A. Mahowald and Robert A. Mahowald, both of St. Cloud, Minnesota, EACH

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority, for and on behalf of the Company as surety, to execute and deliver and affix the seal of the Company thereto, if a seal is required, bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof, as follows:

Any and all bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof not exceeding in amount Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) in any single instance

and to bind THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY thereby, and all of the acts of said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, pursuant to these presents, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This appointment is made under and by authority of the following by-laws of the Company which by-laws are now in full force and effect:

ARTICLE IV, SECTION 10. The President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Insurance Executive Committee, any Vice President, any Secretary or any Department Secretary may appoint attorneys-in-fact or agents with power and authority, as defined or limited in their respective powers of attorney, for and on behalf of the Company to execute and deliver, and affix the seal of the Company thereto, bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof and any of said officers may remove any such attorney-in-fact or agent and revoke the power and authority given to him.

ARTICLE IV, SECTION 12. Any bond, undertaking, recognizance or written obligation in the nature thereof shall be valid and binding upon the Company when signed by the President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Insurance Executive Committee, or any Vice President and duly attested and sealed, if a seal is required, by any Secretary or any Department Secretary or any Assistant Secretary, or when signed by the President, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Insurance Executive Committee, or any Vice President and countersigned and sealed, if a seal is required, by a duly authorized attorney-in-fact or agent; and any such bond, undertaking, recognizance or written obligation in the nature thereof shall be valid and binding upon the Company when duly executed and sealed, if a seal is required, by one or more attorneys-in-fact or agents pursuant to and within the limits of the authority granted by his or their power or powers of attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its proper officer and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 17th day of May 19 56.

(SEAL)

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY

By J. C. Smith  
Secretary

State of Connecticut, County of Hartford—ss:

On this 17th day of May in the year 1956 before me personally came J. C. Smith to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the State of Connecticut; that he is Secretary of THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by authority of his office under the by-laws of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.

(SEAL)

Grace G. Holland

Notary Public

My commission expires April 1, 1959

State of Connecticut, County of Hartford—ss:

I, George M. Douglass, Assistant Secretary of The Travelers Indemnity Company, a corporation of the State of Connecticut, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney, executed by said Company, which is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Company, at the City of Hartford, this day of 19

George M. Douglass  
Assistant Secretary

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent

BOND

Know All Men by These Presents, That we Peter R. Thomas

, as principal,

and Travelers Indemnity Company

a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut and holding the certificate of the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Minnesota showing that it is authorized to contract as surety upon bonds in said State of Minnesota, as surety, are held and firmly bound unto

John Long, as Judge of Probate of the County of

Stearns

Minnesota, in the sum of TWO THOUSAND and no/100 (\$2,000.00) - - Dollars, lawful money of the United States, to be paid to said Judge of Probate, or his successor in office; for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and each of our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, firmly by these presents.

The Condition of This Obligation is Such, That if the above bounden

Peter R. Thomas

, who has been appointed representative

of the estate of the above named, Dorothy R. Thomas 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 remain in full force and virtue.

In Witness Whereof, Said principal has hereunto affixed his hand and seal; and the said surety has caused these presents to be signed by its agent

and its corporate seal to be hereto attached by authority of its Board of Directors,

this 1th day of March, 1963.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

*Fred J. Hughes*  
*Karl J. Hughes*

*Peter R. Thomas* (Seal)  
(Seal)

Travelers Indemnity Company

By *A. Mahowald*

Attorney-in-fact

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

On this 1th day of March, 1963,

appeared Peter R. Thomas, to me well known to be the person who executed the foregoing bond as principal, and has acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes herein expressed as his free act and deed.

Notary Public,

Stearns

County, Minnesota.

My Commission Expires

July 22

, 1969.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

On this 5th

day of

March

, 1963, before me appeared

Peter R. Thomas

, to me personally known, who being by me

duly sworn, did say that

of Travelers Indemnity Company, a corporation; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, and that said instrument was executed in behalf of said corporation by A. Mahowald, by authority of its Board of Directors; and the said

acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Public,

County, Minnesota.

My Commission Expires

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A. MAHOWALD  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My Commission Expires Jan. 9, 1968.

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# APPROVAL

I hereby approve the within bond and the surety thereon, this  
 March 19 63.

6th day of

*John Long*  
 Probate Judge.

## OATH OF REPRESENTATIVE

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

I, Peter R. Thomas

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 State

of the above named Dorothy R. Thomas

to the best of my ability and according to law, so help me God.

*Peter R. Thomas*  
 Peter R. Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of March, 1963

Notary Public Stearns County, Minnesota.

My Commission Expires July 22, 1969.

FRED J. HUGHES  
 Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
 My Commission Expires July 22, 1969.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas, Decedent.

Bond and Oath of Representative  
 (SURETY COMPANY FORM)

Filed the 6th day of March, 1963, and said bond recorded in Book of

Bonds, page of Probate Records.

*Rosemary Hulbush*  
 Clerk-Atty of Probate.

No. 8707\*

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy E. Thomas,  
Decedent.

Order Appointing Appraisers

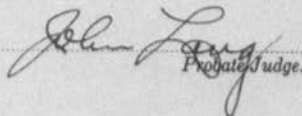
On all the files, records, and proceedings in said estate

It is ordered that Edward Zapp and  
Allen Towne

be and they are hereby appointed appraisers, to appraise upon oath the estate of the said decedent according to law.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1963.

(PROBATE COURT SEAL)

  
Probate Judge.

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No. 19,546

# IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy E. Thomas,

*Decedent.*

## Order Appointing Appraisers

Filed March 1st, 1963

*Roselyn Buchanan*  
Probate Judge—Clerk.

No. 867914\*

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## State of Minnesota,

## IN PROBATE COURT

County of Stearns

File No. 19,546

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

## INVENTORY AND APPRAISAL

Dorothy R. Thomas

Decedent

Date of Death January 14, 1963

## OATH OF APPRAISERS

## State of Minnesota,

ss.

County of Stearns

I, Edward A. Zapp, and

Allen Town

do solemnly swear that I will honestly, faithfully and impartially perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as appraiser of the estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas

decendent to the best of my ability, So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19 day of March, 1963

Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.

My commission expires July 22, 1969.

(SEAL) FRED J. HUGHES

Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My Commission Expires July 22, 1969

## INVENTORY AND APPRAISAL

The undersigned representative of the estate of the above named decedent, represents and shows to the court—

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

## CLASS I—Real Estate:

(a) The homestead of decedent, being in the County of _____, State of Minnesota, consisting of _____ acres in area described as follows, to-wit: (give acreage)	Specify Encumbrances and Respective Amounts	Net Value Over Encumbrances
Held in Joint Tenancy	\$	\$
(b) All other real estate of decedent being in the County of Stearns, State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:		\$
One-half (1/2) interest in the Northerly Twenty-eight (28) feet of Lot numbered Seven (7), and the Southerly Twenty-two (22) feet ten and two-thirds (10 2/3) inches of Lot numbered Eight (8), Block numbered Thirteen (13), John L. Wilson's Survey of the City of St. Cloud, according to the plat and survey thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Stearns County, Minnesota		20,000.00
FORWARDED		

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	Specify Encumbrances and Respective Amounts	Net Value Over Encumbrances
Brought Forward	\$	\$
Total Net Value of Real Estate		\$ 20,000.00
CLASS II—Furniture and Household Goods:		
None	\$	\$
Total Value of Furniture and Household Goods		\$
CLASS III—Wearing Apparel		
None	\$	\$
Total Value of Wearing Apparel		\$
CLASS IV—Corporation Stock		
100 shares Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation, Common stock par value \$5.00, Cert. #61746	\$ High bid on date of death - 15 3/4 Low bid - 15 1/4 Average - 15 1/2	\$ 1,550.00  775.00
50 shares Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation, Common Stock par value \$5.00, Certificate No. 0111149		
1,350.293 shares Investors Mutual, Inc. common stock Certificate No. 017-674952 @ 10.953		14,789.76
Total Value of Stock		\$ 17,114.76

CLASS V—Mortgages, Bonds, Notes and other Written Evidences of Debt: (Show Encumbrances, if any)

(Here list any written obligations of any kind due and owing decedent, with interest rate and maturity, also book and page of record of Mortgages)

Interest to Date  
of Death

Principal

Appraised Value  
of Principal  
& Interest

Investment share account in Security Federal  
Savings & Loan Association, St. Cloud,  
Minnesota Certificate No. 724

3

\$ 5,000.00

5,007.98

The Following Series E Government Bonds:

Cert. # M31 754 773E July, 1953

998.80

Cert. # M31 754 775E July, 1953

998.80

Cort. # 731 754 7743 July, 1953

998.80

Cert. # D31 647 281E July, 1953

499.10

*Total Value of Mortgages, Bonds, Notes, etc.*

#8,503.78

CLASS VI—All other Personal Property:

(Here list Cash, Book Accounts, Annuities, Farm Crops, Machinery, etc.)

Specify Encumbrances  
and Respective AmountsNet Value  
Over Encumbrances

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Total Value of All Other Personal Property

5

## SUMMARY

The total value of all the real estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is - - \$20,000.00

The total value of all the personal property of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is - \$ 25,618.51

The total value of the entire estate of decedent, as valued by the appraisers herein, is - - \$ 45,618.54

*Respectfully submitted,*

Peter B. Thomas

*Representative*.....

NOTE: If estate is over \$10,000.00 or subject to Inheritance Tax, make this in triplicate and file in Probate Court.

# VERIFICATION

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

Peter R. Thomas

being duly sworn, on oath says that he is the representative of the estate above specified; that he has read the foregoing inventory subscribed by him and knows the contents thereof and that the same is a true and correct inventory of all of the estate of the decedent that has come to his possession or knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19 day of March, A. D. 1963

Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.

My commission expires July 22, 1969.

Peter R. Thomas

Representative

FRED S. HUGHES  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My Commission Expires July 22, 1969

## CERTIFICATE OF APPRAISERS

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

We, the undersigned appraisers, duly appointed by

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

Dorothy R. Thomas

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

Dated this 19 day of March, A. D. 1963.

Edward A. Grogg

Allen E. Town

Appraisers

File No. 19,546

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas, Decedent

Inventory and Appraisal

Total Personal - \$

Total Real Estate - \$

Total Appraisal - \$

Due service of the within inventory and appraisal is hereby admitted this day of , 19

Deputy-Treasurer of County, Minnesota

Filed this 9th day of July, A. D. 1963.

Charles R. Hughes, Probate Judge-Clerk

Attorney

No. 3457

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX DIVISION  
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

## INHERITANCE TAX RETURN

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns }

Decedent Dorothy R. Thomas

Date of Death January 14, 1963

The undersigned hereby returns information concerning the decedent and concerning all transfers of property by the decedent or by reason of his death which may be subject to inheritance tax as defined by Minnesota Statutes Chapter 291.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- (1) Decedent's residence at date of death 3217 Eighth Street North St. Cloud Minnesota  
Street City State
- (2) Place of death St. Cloud, Minnesota Birthdate 8-13-1912 Place of birth St. Cloud, Minnesota
- (3) Business or occupation Housewife
- (4) Married, single, separated, widowed or divorced at date of death Married
- (5) The name, relationship to decedent and birthdate of spouse, children, or issue of deceased children of decedent, is as follows: (Do not answer if information appears on petition for probate.)

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	DATE OF BIRTH
See Probate Petition		

- (6) Did decedent have access to a safe deposit box or other place of safekeeping at the time of his death? Yes
- A. Name and address of bank or other depository Zapp National Bank,  
St. Cloud, Minnesota
- (7) Did the undersigned person or persons filing return make diligent and careful search for property of every kind left by decedent and for information as to any transfer of a material portion of decedent's property during his lifetime without an adequate and full consideration in money or money's worth? Yes
- (8) Will there be Minnesota probate proceedings? Yes
- (9) Do any of the surviving joint tenants on Schedule I claim that they furnished adequate and full consideration or any portion thereof in money or money's worth toward purchase or acquisition of the joint property? Yes  
Was any of the property held by decedent and others as joint tenants acquired by them by gift or inheritance from a third person? No  
Give details of such claims on Schedule I or by separate affidavit.

## INSTRUCTIONS

- STATUTES: The inheritance tax law appears in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 291. Taxable transfers are defined in Minnesota Statutes 291.01. Filing an inheritance tax return is required by Minnesota Statutes 291.12.
- USE AND PROCEDURE: This return will be used in all estates to report all transfers from deceased persons to heirs or beneficiaries which are not included in the inventory in a Minnesota probate proceeding.
  - If there is a Minnesota probate proceeding (general administration, special administration, summary distribution, or petition for decree of descent), the return will be filed with probate court. If a tax may be due, or if a waiver of inheritance tax lien from the commissioner is needed, prepare the return in duplicate.
  - If there is no Minnesota probate proceeding, only an original return must be filed directly with the Department of Taxation, Inheritance and Gift Tax Division, St. Paul 1, Minn. DO NOT FILE IN DUPLICATE.
  - If it is claimed that decedent was not a resident of Minnesota, an Affidavit of Non-Residence (Form D, of T. EG 1919), furnished by the Commissioner of Taxation, must be filed with this return. In such case, this return will disclose the detail of transfers of property having situs in Minnesota, and the total value of transfers in each class of property having situs elsewhere.
- DETERMINATION OF TAX: The court will determine the tax upon property included in the probate proceeding. The department will determine the tax upon the transfers disclosed in the return.
- The representative of the estate or other person executing the return is obliged to report all transfers which may be subject to tax. Each schedule of the return is to be construed as a question which must be answered by describing the transfers or by stating that there were none of this class, if such is the case.
- Satisfaction or waiver of inheritance tax lien upon the transfer of joint tenancy property can be obtained from the Department of Taxation by use of the Affidavit of Survivorship, Joint Tenancy or Remainderman, D. of T. EG 1018, which may be purchased from a legal stationer. FILE IN DUPLICATE.
- If space in any schedule is insufficient, additional schedules in like form may be attached.
- The value of all properties transferred and reported herein is the full and fair market value on date of death.

COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION  
Director, Inheritance and Gift Tax Division

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# SCHEDULE 1 - PROPERTY HELD IN JOINT TENANCY

All property of whatever kind, whether real estate, personal property, bank accounts, U. S. Savings Bonds, etc., in which the decedent held an interest at the time of his death as a joint tenant or as co-owner with right of survivorship, must be disclosed in this schedule.

Claims of consideration furnished by the survivor, or claims of creation of the joint tenancy by gift or inheritance must be stated in an affidavit giving verifiable details showing the source, nature, amount and

proportion of the survivor's contribution. Exhibits submitted to prove claim will be returned upon request. The homestead of decedent, if included in any of the schedules, must be identified before the exemption in favor of spouse or minor or dependent children can be allowed. Excess homestead area, if any, must be separately described and valued.

Please group all properties transferred to each surviving joint tenant.

Date of Transfer to Joint Tenancy	Description of Property (Legal description of Land; Street Address of City Realty; Acreage of Rural Land). Specify Homestead, if any. Homestead must be designated.	Surviving Joint Tenant (Give Name and Relationship to Decedent)	Assessor's Full and True Value of Realty Or Unit Value of Securities (On Date of Death)	Gross Market Value of Whole Property
SAMPLE: 6-21-50	Lot 1, blk. 1, 1st's Add. to St. Paul, Ramsey Co., Minn., 6000 Montclair Rd., St. Paul. Homestead. Mortgage, \$1,000.00	Mary Doe, wife	\$3,800.00	\$12,500.00
7-5-57	100 shares General Motors Co., common \$100 par Certificate No. 1392816	John Doe, son	N. Y. S. E. 78 1/2	\$7,550.00
10-31-61	Lot 13 in Block 6 in Pan Addition to City of St. Cloud, Stearns County, Minn., 3217 8th St. No., St. Cloud, Minn. (Homestead)	Peter R. Thomas, husband	3,680.00	9,000.00
10-26-53	Lots 14, 15, 16, and 17 in Block 22 in Central Park Addition to City of St. Cloud, Stearns County, Minn.	Peter R. Thomas, Husband	3,360.00	10,000.00
5-29-59	North 65 feet of Lot 2, Block 1 and Lot 1 of Block 1; the North 65 feet of Lot 9; also Outlot "a" (the latter being the island lying north of Block 2) and Lot 10 of Block 2, all of Hayward Park, a subdivision in Section 3 and 4 in Township 12N, Range 28 in Stearns County, Minn.	Peter R. Thomas, husband	315.00	2,000.00
4-10-59	1,000 shares Western Acceptance Corp. Common \$1.00 par Certificate No. 553	Peter R. Thomas, husband		3,500.00
4-18-62	250 shares Cessland Corporation Limited common nonpar Certificate No. 0555	Peter R. Thomas, husband		No Value
1-4-61	Investment Share account in Security Federal Savings & Loan Association, St. Cloud, Minn. Certificate No. 708	Peter R. Thomas, husband		5,000.00 (Principal) 7.98 (Interest)
1-4-61	Investment Share account in Security Federal Savings & Loan Association, St. Cloud, Minn. Certificate No. 709	Peter R. Thomas, husband		5,000.00 (Principal) 7.98 (Interest)
8-29-58	2638 shares Investment Company of America, common Certificate No. NU9814 9.71	Peter R. Thomas, husband		25,614.98
	1076 additional shares of Investment Company of America Under Investment Company Plan Account at 9.71	Peter R. Thomas, husband		10,447.96

Total (Col. 5.)	- - - - -	70,578.90
Less Liens (Col. 2.)	- - - - -	
Net	- - - - -	

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

IN PROBATE COURT

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In the Matter of the Estate :  
of Dorothy R. Thomas, Decedent. :  
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AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MINNESOTA )  
                              ) SS  
COUNTY OF STEARNS )

Peter R. Thomas, being first duly sworn, deposes and says; that he is a resident of the City of St. Cloud, County of Stearns, State of Minnesota, and has resided in said County since 1934; that affiant married Dorothy R. Thomas on June 27, 1933 when she was 21 years of age; that there were born to the said marriage the following nine children: Katherine Ann Faust, age 28; Rev. James Peter Thomas, age 27; Peter Michael Thomas, age 25; Patricia Ann Engelbert, age 23; David Lawrence Thomas, age 22; Timothy Allen Thomas, age 14; Brian Lewis Thomas, age 12; Christopher Scott Thomas, age 10; Kerry Owen, age 9; that affiant's wife, Dorothy R. Thomas, died on January 14, 1963, at the age of 50 years.

Affiant states that from 1934 he worked as an employee for his father-in-law running the Schaefer Book Store in the City of St. Cloud and that after his death in 1942, affiant continued to work as an employee (manager), for his mother-in-law, Catherine Schaefer, who continued to operate the store; that in 1947 he purchased the store from Catherine Schaefer for the sum of \$6,000.00.

Affiant states that during all of their married life, his wife was never employed outside the home, never had any position for which she received a salary or compensation, and had no Social Security number. Affiant states that Dorothy R. Thomas was a housewife and mother who spent all her married life taking care of the nine children which had been born to this marriage. Affiant states with respect to Item No. 2 of the Joint Tenancy Schedule; namely, Lots 14, 15, 16, and 17, that this is a small warehouse which he erected on tax title lots purchased from the City of St. Cloud; that he borrowed \$6,000.00 to erect said building and paid for the same out of the rental of the property which he received from the building erected thereon.



With respect to all other items on the Joint Tenancy Schedule, affiant states that these were purchased with funds which he earned in the conduct of the business which he purchased in 1947 and which he continuously operated until he sold out the business in 1961. Affiant states that none of the funds represented by the investments held in joint tenancy with his wife originated with Dorothy R. Thomas nor do any of them represent earnings of Dorothy R. Thomas who, as affiant states above, was never employed outside the home during 30 years of married life.

Affiant makes this Affidavit in support of his claim that the items represented in the Joint Tenancy Schedule which he held with his wife, Dorothy R. Thomas, as a joint tenant are in fact the property of affiant and all of the funds represented by these assets are from his earnings over the years.

Peter R. Thomas  
Peter R. Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me,  
this 21 day of August, 1963.

Fred J. Hughes  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minnesota  
My Commission Expires July 22, 1969.

**FRED J. HUGHES**  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My Commission Expires July 22, 1969.

### SCHEDULE II — INSURANCE

Report all life and accident insurance proceeds payable on the death of the decedent to named beneficiaries. Do not include insurance payable to estate.

This schedule should not include contracts reportable on Schedule III

Date Taken Out	Description of Policy (Name of Company, No. of Policy)	Amount Paid or Payable at Death (Show Post Mortem Dividends Separately)	Beneficiary and Relationship to Decedent	If Contract Issued Prior to 4-28-49, Did Decedent on 4-28-49 have right to:	
				1. Change Beneficiary?	2. Cash Surrender Value?
6-19-1933	Life and Casualty Company of Chicago Policy No. 25723  (Assumed by Republic National Life Insurance Company, Dallas, Texas.)	\$1,000.00	Estate	Yes	Yes

## SCHEDULE III — ANNUITIES, DEPOSITS, ETC.

Report all other types of contracts with insurance companies, or others, transferred or payable on decedent's death, including the following: annuities, pensions and retirement funds; supplemental contracts or deposits (which may be proceeds of insurance policies or annuities received from a prior decedent or matured endowment policies, etc.); and cash value of insurance policies on life of another.

which may have been assigned to this decedent. Where pension plans meet Sec. 401 (a) IRC 1954 requirements, so state. Show employee and employer contributions, cost, amount and method of payments to be made. Submit copies of Plans which do not meet said requirements.

Date of Contract	Description of Contract (Name of Company, No. and Type)	Amount Paid or Payable at Death or Value of Balance of Annuity	Beneficiary or Transferee Name, Address, and Relationship to Decedent
	None		

## SCHEDULE IV — TRANSFERS BY THE DECEDENT

(If any transfer is considered not taxable, so designate. Otherwise designate whether transfer is taxable under A., B. or C.)

- A. Transfers in contemplation of death:  
Report transfers or gifts by decedent before his death, which are in the nature of a final disposition in anticipation of death. It is presumed that a transfer of a material portion of decedent's property within three years prior to death is made in contemplation of death.  
Report gifts made by decedent during his lifetime which total more than \$3,000 to one donee in any calendar year.
- B. Transfers intended to take effect in possession or enjoyment at or after death:  
Report transfers of property by deed, trust or agreement in which the decedent had retained a life estate, or all or part of the income for life, or a power of revocation.  
Report transfers in which the beneficiary's possession or enjoyment takes effect at or after decedent's death or in which the deed or instrument of title is delivered or recorded at or after decedent's death.

**NOTE:** Under both A. and B. copies of trust instruments must be attached to the return as exhibits. If it is claimed that any transfer is non-taxable, detailed verified statements of the claim must be submitted.

- ### C. Powers of Appointment:

Report the property in respect to which the decedent held a power of appointment at any time. Attach a copy of the instrument granting the power of appointment to the decedent and a schedule of the assets subject to the power at date of death, together with the values of such assets.

Did the decedent exercise the power?

Attach a copy of the instrument exercising the power unless it is a will previously filed for probate. If the power had been relinquished by decedent, attach a copy of the instrument.

(LIST TRANSFERS ON NEXT PAGE)

# SCHEDULE IV — TRANSFERS BY THE DECEDENT (Continued)

(If any transfer is considered not taxable, so designate. Otherwise designate whether transfer is taxable under A., B. or C.)

Date of Transfer	Description of Property Transferred (Legal Description of land; Street Address of City Realty; Acreage of Rural Land). Specify Liens, if any.	Transferee and Relationship to Decedent	Assessor's Full and True Value of Realty Or Unit Value of Securities on Date of Death	Gross Fair Market Value
	None			
Total (Col. 5.) - - - - -				
Less Liens (Col. 2.) - - - - -				
Net - - - - -				

## SCHEDULE V — MISCELLANEOUS

Report the transfer of any property belonging to the decedent which has not been included in a Minnesota probate proceeding and has not been otherwise reported in Schedules I to IV of this return. (In the

event of no probate, this schedule may include automobiles, household goods, personal effects, U. S. Postal Savings, U. S. Savings Bonds and other tangible or intangible personal property, if any.)

Description of Property (Specify Liens, if any)	Transferee, Heir or Beneficiary Relationship to Decedent	Full and Fair Market Value on Date of Death	Net Value After Liens
None			

I, Peter R. Thomas  
the executor ~~of~~ ministrator ~~of~~ trustee of the estate of the above named decedent do hereby swear that I have carefully examined the foregoing return, including the separate sheets attached, if any, and that, to the best of my knowledge,

information and belief, herein is listed all of the property required by law to be included in said return; that all questions have been truly answered; that I have no knowledge of any transfers required to be included in this return except as stated; and that to the best of my knowledge, information and belief the values shown on the foregoing schedules are full and fair market values as of the date of the decedent's death.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of March, 19 63

(Signature) Peter R. Thomas

Notary Public, County of Stearns  
My commission expires July 22, 1969.

(Address) 3217 Eighth Street North  
St. Cloud, Minnesota

File No. 19,546

**State of Minnesota,**

County of Stearns

Re: Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas

Decedent

INHERITANCE TAX RETURN  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION

Filed November 7th, 1963

Dorothy R. Thomas  
Clerk of Probate Court

Attorney

Address

SECURITY PRINTING COMPANY, ST. CLOUD, MINN.  
No. 3895\*

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ORDER DETERMINING  
INHERITANCE TAX

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX DIVISION  
ST. PAUL 1

MAKE PAYMENT TO  
COUNTY TREASURER  
DESIGNATED  
BELOW

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Pay Tax to County Treasurer

Dorothy R. Thomas  
#155938

Deceased.

The above entitled matter having come before the Commissioner of Taxation for the assessment of the inheritance tax and upon examination of all the files, records and proceedings herein, the Commissioner of Taxation finds:

1. That the above named decedent died January 14, 1963, a resident of Stearns County, State of Minnesota.

2. That in addition to the estate of decedent subject to probate, gifts in contemplation of death, or transfers to take effect at death; joint tenancy or joint survivorship property; life insurance or annuities; or property subject to a power of appointment are subject to inheritance tax in the amounts determined herein:

Transferee, relationship and type of transfer	Value	Amount of Tax
<b>Peter R. Thomas, husband:</b>		
From estate		
Schedule I, Joint tenancy property	70,578.90	39,255.54
Less homestead 9,000.00		
Less consideration 39,410.50		
	<u>48,410.50</u>	
Schedule II, Insurance	22,168.40	
Schedule III, Annuities	4,772.68	
	<u>2,783.70</u>	
	68,585.32	
Less exemption	<u>6,000.00</u>	
	62,585.32	
	Tax	2,494.82
	Less tax by court	<u>950.22</u>
	Tax this order	<u>1,544.60</u>

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED, that the State of Minnesota have and receive from each of the persons above named, as an inheritance tax upon the transfers to him, the amount of tax set opposite his name, together with interest thereon legally due at the rate of 6% per annum from and after

July 14, 1964 until paid; that the said tax be paid to the Treasurer of Stearns County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the official seal of the Department of Taxation, at its office in St. Paul, Minnesota July 7, 1964

APPROVED:

ROLLAND F. HATFIELD  
Commissioner of Taxation

Commissioner of Taxation

By Deputy Commissioner of Taxation

By  
LOUIS PLUTZER, Director  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division

(SEAL) Three

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX  
DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy H. Thomas

Deceased.

ORDER AND NOTICE OF  
ORDER DETERMINING  
INHERITANCE TAX

Amount of Tax -- \$

Filed July 7th, 19 64

*W. Edgar Hughes*  
Clerk of Probate

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX DIVISION

NOTICE OF ORDER DETERMINING  
INHERITANCE TAX

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy H. Thomas

Deceased.

To the Treasurer of Stearns County, and all persons interested in the above named estate:

Please take notice that the Commissioner of Taxation has this day, pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota, determined and assessed an inheritance tax upon the transfers of the estate of the above named decedent to the heirs or transferees in the amounts set forth in the attached order.

Dated July 7, 19 64

ROLLAND F. HATFIELD  
Commissioner of Taxation.

By  
LOUIS PLUTZER, Director  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division.

Due service of the above notice and order by copy is hereby admitted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Taxpayer, his attorney or other agent.

Due service of the above notice and order by copy is hereby admitted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Treasurer.

\_\_\_\_\_, County, Minnesota

EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURE

1. The original order and notice of order assessing inheritance tax are on file in the Department of Taxation. One copy of the order and notice or order is sent directly to probate court. Three copies of the order and notice are sent to the taxpayer, the representative of the estate, or their attorney.

2. The taxpayer, the representative or their attorney will retain one copy and sign the admission of service on another. He will deliver one copy to the county treasurer and obtain the treasurer's admission of service. The copy with admissions of service will be returned to the Department of Taxation, Inheritance and Gift Tax Division, Centennial Office Building, St. Paul 1, Minnesota.

3. Pay the tax assessed together with interest, if any, to the treasurer of the county of probate proceedings as directed by the order.



State of Minnesota,

(TAX NO. MINN. 1022)

Department of Taxation

FEB 13 1964

PROBATE COURT

FILE NO. 19,546

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas, Decedent

# Inheritance Tax Record and Order Determining Tax

From the files, records and proceedings herein the court finds that decedent died testate, January 11th

19 63, a resident of St. Cloud, Stearns county, Minnesota, leaving an estate of the following value:

Estimated in Petition	Appraised Value	Omitted Property, Increased Value	Final Inheritance Tax Value
Real Estate \$16,000.00	\$20,000.00		\$20,000.00
Personal Estate 26,500.00	25,618.54		25,618.54
TOTAL \$42,500.00	\$45,618.54		\$45,618.54

That the deductible expenses of administration, funeral and last illness, maintenance and allowances, taxes and claims paid are as follows:

Maintenance of family	\$ - - - -
Statutory allowances	1,000.00
Appraiser's fees	40.00
Publication of orders	18.00
Compensation of representative	- - - -
Expenses of representative	3.00
Attorney's fees	3485.00
Expenses of attorney	- - - -
Certified copies	6.00
Recording fees	- - - -
Bond premiums	- - - -
Misc. expenses of administration	- - - -
Funeral expenses	1811.00
Expenses of last illness	- - - -

Taxes, if lien at death:	
Personal property	\$ - - - -
Minnesota Real Estate	- - - -
Income taxes accrued to death:	
Federal	- - - -
State	- - - -
Federal estate tax	- - - -
Claims allowed and paid	- - - -
Homestead to spouse or issue	- - - -
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS ALLOWED FOR INHERITANCE TAX	6363.00
NET ESTATE FOR INHERITANCE TAX COMPUTATION	\$ 39,255.54

That the transfers to legatees, devisees, or heirs of the decedent hereinafter specified, will be subject to inheritance tax in the following amounts:

Name of Legatee, Devisee, or Heir at Law	Relationship to Decedent	Value of Legacy, Devise, or Distributive Share	Exemption	Inheritance TAX
Peter R. Thomas	Husband	\$39,255.54	\$6,000.00	\$ 950.22
TOTALS		\$39,255.54	X X X X	\$950.22





STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division  
CENTENNIAL OFFICE BUILDING  
ST. PAUL 1, MINNESOTA

NOTICE TO COUNTY TREASURER OF INTENDED TRANSFER  
OF SECURITIES, ASSETS OR FUNDS ON DEPOSIT

To the Treasurer of  
St. Cloud  
Minnesota

Stearns County,

Re Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas

Deceased (State Given Name of Married Women)

3217. 8th. St. North  
Residence

Date of death Jan. 14th. 1963

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 291.20, the undersigned notifies you that at its place of business on

2/16/63 it intends to transfer to Timothy A. Brian, L. Christopher, S. & Kerry O. Thomas whose address is

3217. 8th. St. North and who according to our information and belief is related to

the above decedent as sons & husband securities, assets or funds on deposit in which the decedent and others appeared to hold an interest as joint tenants or trustee-beneficiary. It appears from our records that the names and addresses of other joint tenants and of other beneficiaries for whom decedent held securities, assets or funds on deposit as trustee are as follows:

Description of assets, securities or funds	Account or Certificate Number	Description of ownership (Joint tenancy, trusteeship, etc.)	Amount or Value at date of death
Shares,	#249		2,383.70

Dated 2/16/63

St. Peters Parish Credit Union  
Bank, corporation, association, person

By

Em. F. Cordie

Treas.

Hayward Park St. Cloud Minn.  
Address

CONSENT TO TRANSFER

Service of the above notice is hereby admitted and consent to transfer the property described therein is hereby given - effective at once - ~~effective ten days from date hereof.~~

Dated 2/18/63

Leo M. Meizinger  
County Treasurer

In the case of a non-resident decedent, the consent of the Commissioner of Taxation is also required as provided by Minnesota Statutes, Sec. 291.19, Subd. 2.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division  
CENTENNIAL OFFICE BUILDING  
ST. PAUL 1, MINNESOTA

NOTICE TO COUNTY TREASURER OF INTENDED TRANSFER  
OF SECURITIES, ASSETS OR FUNDS ON DEPOSIT

To the Treasurer of

Hennepin  
Minnesota

County,

Re Estate of

Mrs. Dorothy R. Thomas

Deceased (State Given Name of Married Women)

3217-8th St. No., St. Cloud, Minnesota

Residence

Date of death January 14, 1963

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 291.20, the undersigned notifies you that at its place of business on

February 21, 1963

Date

it intends to transfer to Peter R. Thomas

whose address is

3217-8th St. No., St. Cloud, Minnesota

and who according to our information and belief is related to the above decedent as Husband, securities, assets or funds on deposit in which the decedent and others appeared to hold an interest as joint tenants or trustee-beneficiary. It appears from our records that the names and addresses of other joint tenants and of other beneficiaries for whom decedent held securities, assets or funds on deposit as trustee are as follows:

Description of assets, securities or funds	Account or Certificate Number	Description of ownership (Joint tenancy, trusteeship, etc.)	Amount or Value at date of death
Capital Stock	017-674952	Trusteeship	1350.293 shares @ \$10.753 per share as of 1-14-63

Dated February 20, 1963Investors Mutual Fund, Inc.  
Bank, corporation, association, person

By

L. H. Smith L. H. Smith (sjb)Investors Building, Minneapolis 2, Minnesota  
Address

## CONSENT TO TRANSFER

Service of the above notice is hereby admitted and consent to transfer the property described therein is hereby given - effective at once - effective ten days from date hereof.

Dated FEB 21 1963

County Treasurer

In the case of a non-resident decedent, the consent of the Commissioner of Taxation is also required as provided by Minnesota Statutes, Sec. 291.19, Subd. 2.

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## SAFE DEPOSIT BOX NOTICE AND REPORT

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division  
CENTENNIAL OFFICE BUILDING  
ST. PAUL 1, MINNESOTA

## NOTICE

(To be Executed by Lessor)

Re Estate of  
Dorothy R Thomas

Deceased (State given name and surname of married women)

3217 - 8th Str N; St Cloud, Minn

Residence

Date of Death Jan 14, 1963

To the Treasurer of

Stearns

County

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 291.20 you are hereby notified that the undersigned on

intends to grant access to safe deposit box

No. 984 to

whose address is

Persons other than decedent who had access

to said box at the time of decedent's death were

Whose addresses are

This box has ☐ has not ☒ been entered since death of decedent. Date of entry

Party entering

Address

Zapp National Bank

Bank, corporation, association, person

By

Date Mar 4, 1963

Address

## REPORT

(To be Executed by County Treasurer)

Names of those present at the opening and examination:

Leo M Meins by TW

Peter R Thomas

Husband

County Treasurer

For estate

(Relationship to decedent)

Edward A Zapp

3217 - 8th Str N; St Cloud, Minn

For the bank or trust company

Address

## DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS OF SAFE DEPOSIT BOX

(Please separate stocks and bonds and list alphabetically; Group U. S. Savings Bonds transferable to each person.)

Lease to 17 - 19 6th Ave S Store dated Jul 26, 1961

Abstract of title to lot # 13 Blk 6 Pan add'n St Cloud

Warranty deed and abstract to Parts of lot 2 Blk 1 and Lot 1 Blk 1 and part of lot 9 and of lot 10 blk 2 all of Hayward park in secs 3 &amp; 4 T124 R28 to Peter R &amp; Dorothy R Thomas

Abstract to lots 14, 15 16 &amp; 17 Blk 22 Central Park add'n to St Cloud Peter Thomas &amp; Dorothy Thomas as joint tenants.

Capital Stock with Lee Rubber &amp; Tire Corp #0111149 50 shares to Dorothy R Thomas dated Mar 8, 1961 also #61746 100 shares Mar 8 1961 Dorothy R Thomas

1000 shares of Western Acceptance Corp of Moorhead, Minn #553 dated April 1959

to Peter R Thomas And Dorothy R Thomas as joint tenants, either or survivor

100 shares in Tenn. gas Trans. Co; to Peter R Thomas #HC204311 dated Jan 27, 1959

50 " " " " " " " " #463082 dated Jun 16, 1960

200 shares in Crusade Petroleum Corp Limited to Peter Thomas dated Feb 24, 1961 #3086

250 shares in Cessland Corp Limited to Peter R Thomas &amp; Dorothy R Thomas

#0555 Apr 18, 1962

Two CD's to Peter R Thomas as Trustee for Lawrence F Schaefer estate #4925 \$2500.00

dated Nov 8, 1962 #3588 \$10,000.00 dated Feb 4, 1962 drawn on Zapp National Bank

Bearer Bonds with City of St Cloud #353 \$500.00 Schaefer estate also #352 \$500.00

Schaefer estate.

100 shares in Less Rubber &amp; Tire Corp #61747 to Peter R Thomas as trustee of the

trust created by the last will of Catherine M Schaefer deceased for the benefit

of Lawrence F Schaefer Mar 8, 1961 also #0111150 50 shares also made out as

above Mar 8, 1961

Coin collection owned by Rev James Thomas is kept in box for safe keeping

Deed to cemetery lot 236 N; Calvary Cemetery dated Dec 16, 1929

Misc papers of no apparent value.

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## CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify from our inspection thereof that the foregoing is a correct description of contents of the said safe deposit box.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Peter R. Thomas  
For the Estate

Leo H. Mein Treasurer

Stearns County

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. One copy of this report should be sent by the county treasurer to the probate court of the interested county and the original to the Department of Taxation, Inheritance and Gift Tax Division, Centennial Office Building, St. Paul 1, Minnesota.

2. If the county treasurer for any reason deems it inadvisable to have the contents of such box delivered at the time of the examination, the treasurer may serve notice upon the safe deposit box company to defer such delivery for ten days. See Minnesota Statutes, Sec. 291.22. See also Sec. 620.05.

3. All contents of box must be fully described. Show stock certificate numbers, number of shares, name of company, class of stock and par value. Show bond numbers, face value, name of debtor, rate of interest, maturity date. Show date and original amounts of mortgages, brief legal description of land, name of mortgagee. Show purchase dates, amounts and series of U. S. Savings and Defense Bonds; and names of co-owners or beneficiaries. Report the contents of sealed envelopes and all property claimed by another.

File No. \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF MINNESOTA

County of \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of the estate of \_\_\_\_\_

Deceased \_\_\_\_\_

SAFE DEPOSIT BOX REPORT.

## CONSENT TO TRANSFER

Service of the above notice is hereby admitted and consent to granting of access to the safe deposit box described in the notice and certificate is hereby given—effective at once—effective ten days—from date hereof.

County Treasurer

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

In the case of non-resident decedent, the consent of the Commissioner of Taxation is also required as provided by Minnesota Statutes Sec. 291.19.

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

## ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT.

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 6th day of March 19 64, upon the petition of the representative of the above named estate praying for the allowance of his final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate.

The said representative appeared in person and by Attorneys, Hughes, Hughes & Hughes, and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

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

First—That due notice of the said hearing of said petition has been given as required by law by the publication of the citation of this Court, for said hearing, dated the 10th day of February 19 64, in the St. Cloud Daily Times. Proof of publication and affidavit of service by mail having been filed in this Court.

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

## RECEIPTS

Personal estate as described in the inventory	\$ 25,618.54
Personal estate omitted from the inventory	\$
Gain by sales above appraised value	\$
Cash from sales of real estate	\$
Cash from rent of real estate	\$ 1,650.00
Cash from interest and profits	\$ 192.02
Cash from other sources. Investment distribution	\$ 995.00
	\$
	\$
Total receipts from all sources	\$ 28,455.56

## DISBURSEMENTS AND CREDITS

Estate selected for surviving spouse	\$ 1,000.00
Maintenance of family of decedent	\$
Expenses of administration	\$ 3,552.00
Expenses of last sickness	\$
Funeral expenses	\$ 1,811.00
Taxes	\$ 359.39
Claims of creditors of decedent	\$
Legacies	\$
	\$
Residue on hand for distribution	\$ 21,733.17
Total credits	\$ 28,455.56



Third—That all taxes, including personal property taxes, assessed against said estate, have been paid so far as there were funds of said estate to pay the same.

Fourth—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 6th

, 19 64

By the Court,

*Edward M. Paulson*

Probate Judge  
of Mille Lacs County, acting for John  
Lang, Probate Judge of Stearns County,  
Minnesota.

No. 19,546

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent

Order Allowing Final Account.

Filed this 6th day of  
March, 19 64, and  
recorded in Book No. of Orders,  
on Page

*Edw. M. Paulson*  
Clerk of Probate.

No. 19,546

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State of Minnesota,

IN PROBATE COURT

County of Stearns

File No. 19,546

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Final Decree of Distribution

Decedent.

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 6th day of March, 1964, 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 by attorney, A. Hughes, Hughes & Hughes, and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

And the court having considered the evidence produced at said hearing, the arguments of counsel, and the files and records in said matter, finds the following facts:

FIRST—That notice of said hearing has been duly given and served as required by law and the order of this court for said hearing.

SECOND—That the said estate has been in all respects fully administered, and the expenses of the administration thereof and of the last sickness and burial of said decedent, and all claims allowed against said estate have been fully paid,

and that said representative has filed his final account herein which has been settled and allowed by the Court. That all inheritance taxes determined by the Court to be due the State of Minnesota have been paid.

THIRD—That said decedent died testate on the 14th day of January, 1963, and at the time of her death decedent was a resident of the County of Stearns and 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 \$21,733.17 comprising of the following items:

100 shares Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation, Common stock  
par value \$5.00, Certificate No. 61746.

50 shares Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation, Common Stock  
par value \$5.00, Certificate No. 0111149.

1,350.293 shares Investors Mutual, Inc., common stock  
Certificate No. 017-674952 @ \$10.953.

Stocks - - - - \$17,114.76

Cash - - - - - 4,618.41



(B) Real property described as follows: The homestead of decedent situate in the County of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

None

(C) Other tract..... of land lying and being in the County of Stearns  
State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit

One-half (1/2) interest in the Northerly Twenty-eight (28) feet of Lot numbered Seven (7), and the Southerly Twenty-two (22) feet ten and two-thirds (10 2/3) inches of Lot numbered Eight (8), Block numbered Thirteen (13), John L. Wilson's Survey of the City of St. Cloud, according to the plat and survey thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Stearns County, Minnesota.

FIFTH—That the following named ~~persons~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ person is the sole devisee

of said decedent, and are all  
of the persons entitled to the residue of said estate of said decedent, to-wit:

Peter B. Thomas, spouse of decedent.

NOW, THEREFORE, On motion of Hughes, Hughes and Hughes, Attorneys for  
the

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 PERSONAL PROPERTY be, and the same hereby is, assigned to  
and vested in the above named person// in the following proportions and estates, to-wit:

All thereof to the said Peter R. Thomas, surviving spouse of decedent,  
absolutely.

person has passed to and is hereby assigned to and vested in the  
above named persons in the following proportions and estates, to-wit:

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

PROBATE  
COURT  
SEAL.

*[Signature]*  
Probate Judge

PROBATE COURT

## PROBATE COURT

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Probate Court, within and for said County, and Custodian of the Seal and Records of said Court, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of Final Decree of Distribution with the original record thereof preserved in this office and have found the same to be a correct transcript of the whole thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of said Court, at \_\_\_\_\_

in said County, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

*of the Probate Court.*

File No. 19,546

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,

*Decedent.*

### Final Decree of Distribution

Office of Register of Deeds,

State of Minnesota,

County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

*I hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed in this office for record on*

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

19... at ... o'clock M.

and was duly recorded in Book

of \_\_\_\_\_, page \_\_\_\_\_

### Register of Deeds.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy.

Transfer entered this.....

day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

County Auditor.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy.

Filed this 3rd day of August

19 6<sup>14</sup>, and recorded in Book 128

of Decrees, page 1811.

Handwritten: Kuchuk

*Blodgett—Clerk of Probate Court.*

No. 2581 •

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Dorothy R. Thomas Deceased.

Whereas, It has been made to appear to the satisfaction of this Court that

Peter R. Thomas

as Representative 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 Representative

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

Dated this 29th day of January A. D. 19 65

*John Long*  
Judge of Probate

Stearns County Minn.

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## IN PROBATE COURT,

County of Stearns

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Deceased.Order Discharging Executor  
or Administrator and  
SuretiesFiled this 29th day of  
January 19 65

Recorded in Book \_\_\_\_\_ of Orders

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Rodney K. Johnson  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

No. 3550\*

State of Minnesota.

County of \_\_\_\_\_

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Probate Court within and for said  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of  
the record of order discharging \_\_\_\_\_ with the original records  
thereof now remaining in this office and have found the same to be correct transcripts therefrom and of the whole of such  
original records.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal  
of said Court, at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 19 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ of Probate Court.

ORIGINAL

Countersigned at St. Paul, Minnesota

this 27 day of July 1964

By Thomas W. Murray

STATE OF MINNESOTA — DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE TAX RECEIPT

No. 2102

1964

Estate of Dorothy R. Thomas 7/13  
 Received of Pete R. Thomas  
 the sum of Twenty Four Hundred Ninety-four 82 Dollars  
 in payment of Inheritance Tax as provided by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 201  
 Tax 2494.82  
 Accrued Interest: from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total amount of this receipt as above 2494.82  
 per order of the Probate Court or Commissioner of Taxation dated 3/13/64 7/7/64  
 County of STEARNS Leo H. Meunier  
 County Treasurer

MAIL ORIGINAL OF THIS RECEIPT TO COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION TO BE COUNTERSIGNED.  
 THIS RECEIPT, WHEN COUNTERSIGNED, SHALL BE USED AS VOUCHER IN SETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

COUNTY OF STEARNS

RE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

PROBATE COURT

File No. 19,546

IT IS ORDERED that the final account and petition for examination thereof and for distribution filed herein be heard on Friday, March 6th, 1964, at 9 o'clock A. M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

(Seal)

Dated this 10th day of February 1964Hughes, Hughes & Hughes,

Attorney.s

John Long  
 Probate Judge

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

COUNTY OF STEARNS

RE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

PROBATE COURT

File No. 19,546

IT IS ORDERED that the petition filed herein to admit to probate the last will of decedent be heard on Friday, March 1st, 1963, at 9 o'clock A. M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

IT IS ORDERED that creditors of decedent file their claims in this court within four months from the date hereof and that said claims be heard on Friday, May 31st, 1963, at 9 o'clock A. M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

(SEAL)

Dated this 31st day of January 1963Fred J. Hughes,

Attorney.

John Long  
 Probate Judge.

0022 1263



NOTE: Make this order in duplicate.

File No. 19,546

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF STEARNS  
PROBATE COURT

RE ESTATE OF

Dorothy B. Thomas,

Decedent.

ORDER FOR HEARING PETITION  
TO ADMIT WILL AND NOTICE  
TO CREDITORS

Publish in Daily Times

Hearing Will March 1st, 1963

Hearing Claims May 31st, 1963

FILED THIS 31st DAY  
OF January 1963  
Cassidy H. Housh  
CLERK OF PROBATE

NOTE: Make this order in duplicate.

File No. 19,546

STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
COUNTY OF STEARNS  
PROBATE COURT

RE ESTATE OF

Dorothy B. Thomas,

Decedent.

ORDER FOR EXAMINATION OF  
FINAL ACCOUNT

Publish in Daily Times

Hearing March 6th, 1964

FILED THIS 10th DAY  
OF February A.D. 1964  
Cassidy H. Housh  
CLERK OF PROBATE

FILED  
JUL 14 1964  
RECEIVED  
PROBATE COURT



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

}

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent

## ORDER LIMITING TIME

Letters Testamentary of said estate

this day having been granted unto Peter R. Thomas

of said County, it is ordered that the said Peter R. Thomas

be, and he is hereby allowed twelve months from and after the date hereof, for the settlement of said estate.

By the Court,

Dated March 6th, 1963

(Court Seal)

John Long  
Judge of Probate

0022 1265

State of Minnesota,  
County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

Order Limiting Time to  
Settle Estate

Filed this 6th day of

March, 19 63, and

recorded in book

of Orders at Page

Roselyn Berthoud  
Clerk ~~Judge~~ of Probate

State of Minnesota,

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

County of Stearns.

Dorothy R. Thomas,

Decedent.

State of Minnesota,

} ss.

County of Stearns

Frad J. Hughes

being duly sworn, on oath says; that he is the attorney for the Petitioner in the matter above entitled and has full knowledge of the facts herein set forth; that on the 11th day of February 1963, he mailed a true

copy of the printed Notice hereto attached and made a part hereof by enclosing it in a sealed envelope and depositing the same in the Post Office at the City of St. Cloud, County and State aforesaid, postage prepaid, addressed to each of the following named persons at their respective addresses stated below; and that they are all of the heirs at law of the above named decedent all of the legatees and devisees named in the will of said decedent whose names and addresses he has been able to ascertain after due diligence, to-wit:

Names	Addresses	Names	Addresses
Peter R. Thomas	3217 Eighth Street North St. Cloud, Minnesota	Brian Lewis Thomas	3217 Eighth Street North St. Cloud, Minnesota
Katherine Ann Faust	1897 Lincoln Avenue St. Paul, Minnesota	Christopher Scott Thomas	3217 Eighth Street North St. Cloud, Minnesota
Rev. James Peter Thomas	St. Patrick's Parish Butte, Montana	Kerry Owen Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota
Peter Michael Thomas	1213 12th Ave. S.E. St. Cloud, Minnesota		
Patricia Ann Engelbert	1601 N. El Paso Colorado Springs, Cal.		
David Lawrence Thomas	629 28th Street East Minneapolis, Minn.		
Timothy Allen Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota		

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February, 1963.

*Frad J. Hughes*  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.

My commission expires May 3, 1969.

KEITH F. HUGHES  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My Commission Expires May 3, 1969.

0022 1267

19.546  
State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Decedent.

### AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY MAIL

Filed this 13th day of

February, 1963.

Joseph Hughes  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT

File No. 19.546

RE ESTATE of Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Decedent.

IT IS ORDERED that the petition filed herein to admit to probate the last will of decedent be heard on Friday, March 1st, 1963, at 9 o'clock A.M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

IT IS ORDERED that creditors of decedent file their claims in this court within four months from the date hereof and that said claims be heard on Friday, May 31st, 1963, at 9 o'clock A.M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1963.  
(SEAL)

JOHN LANG  
Probate Judge.

Fred J. Hughes,  
Attorney.

Published Feb. 7, 14, 21, 1963.

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State of Minnesota,

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

County of Stearns

Dorothy R. Thomas

Decedent.

State of Minnesota,

} ss.

County of Stearns

Fred J. Hughes

being duly sworn, on oath says; that he is the attorney for the Executor in the matter above entitled and has full knowledge of the facts herein set forth; that on the 15th day of February 1964, he mailed a true

copy of the printed Notice hereto attached and made a part hereof by enclosing it in a sealed envelope and depositing the same in the Post Office at the City of St. Cloud, County and State aforesaid, postage prepaid, addressed to each of the following named persons at their respective addresses stated below; and that they are all of the heirs at law of the above named decedent all of the legatees and devisees named in the will of said decedent whose names and addresses he has been able to ascertain after due diligence, to-wit:

Names	Addresses	Names	Addresses
Peter R. Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota	Brian Lewis Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota
Kathereen Ann Faust	1897 Lincoln Avenue St. Paul, Minnesota	Christopher Scott Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota
Rev. James Peter Thomas	St. Patrick's Parish Butte, Montana	Kerry Owen Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota
Peter Michael Thomas	1213 12th Ave. S.E. St. Cloud, Minnesota		
Patricia Ann Engelbert	1601 N. El Paso Colorado Springs, Col.		
David Lawrence Thomas	629 28th Street East Minneapolis 4, Minnesota		
Timothy Allen Thomas	3217 Eighth Street No. St. Cloud, Minnesota		

STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT  
File No. 19,346

RE ESTATE OF Dorothy R. Thomas,  
Decedent.

IT IS ORDERED that the final account and petition for examination thereof and for distribution filed herein be heard on Monday, March 23rd, 1964, at 9 o'clock A.M. in this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1964.  
(SEAL)

JOHN LANG,  
Probate Judge.

HUGHES, HUGHES & HUGHES,  
Attorneys,  
Publish: Feb. 12, 20, 27, 1964.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of February, 1964.

Sharon A. Thelgen

Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My commission expires January 30, 1969.

Fred J. Hughes

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

**PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas

*Decedent.*

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE  
BY MAIL**

Filed this 17th day of

February, 19 64

*Roslyn Kuxhouse*  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
COUNTY OF STEARNS,  
PROBATE COURT  
File No. 19,544  
RE ESTATE OF Dorothy R. Thomas.  
Decedent.  
IT IS ORDERED that the final account and petition for examination thereof and for distribution filed herein be heard on Friday, March 6th, 1964, at 9 o'clock A.M. by this court in the Court House in St. Cloud, Minn.  
Dated this 10th day of February, 1964.  
(SEAL) JOHN LANG,  
Probate Judge.  
HUGHES, HUGHES & HUGHES, Attorneys.  
Published: Feb. 13, 20, 27, 1964.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

Wilfred F. Miller

being duly sworn on oath says:

that he is, and during all times herein stated has been, the Bookkeeper of the Times Publishing Company, the publisher of the newspaper known as The St. Cloud Daily Times and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated.

That for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the Order for Hearing on Final Account

hereinafter described said newspaper was printed and published in the City of St. Cloud, in the County of Stearns, State of Minnesota, daily except Sundays and holidays; that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the City of St. Cloud from which it purports to be issued as above stated and in newspaper format and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued daily except Sundays and holidays from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same; that the press work on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve has been done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of Stearns County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

That the Order for Hearing on Final Account

hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for three successive weeks; that it was first so published on Thursday the 13th day of February 1964 and thereafter on Thursday the 27th day of February 1964 of each week to and including the 27th day of February 1964.

and that the following is a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

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Wilfred F. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February 1964

Charles H. Bolander  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minnesota.

My Commission expires Sept. 23rd 1965

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PRINTER'S  
Affidavit of Publication  
OF  
THE ST. CLOUD DAILY  
TIMES

Of Order for Hearing on.....

Final Account.....

Estate of Dorothy R. Thomas.....

Decedent.....

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FILED THIS 2nd DAY

OF March A.D. 19 64

*Rosalyn Quahouse*  
CLERK OF PROBATE

## FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR SETTLEMENT

State of Minnesota, } ss.  
County of Stearns }

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Dorothy R. Thomas

Decedent

Final Account and Petition  
for Settlement

Date of death January 14, 1963

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 said administration, which is as follows, to-wit:

	RECEIPTS	To be Filled in by the Representative	Not to be Filled in by the Representative
Personal property described in the inventory	- - - - -	\$ 25,618.54	\$
Personal estate omitted from the inventory	- - - - -	\$	\$
Gain by sales above appraised value	- - - - -	\$	\$
Cash from sales of real estate	- - - - -	\$	\$
Cash from rent of real estate	- - - - -	\$ 1,650.00	\$
Cash from interest and profits	- - - - -	\$ 192.02	\$
Cash from other sources	- - - - -	\$	\$
Investment distribution	- - - - -	\$ 995.00	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
Total receipts from all sources	- - - - -	\$ 28,455.56	\$

## I. FAMILY

## DISBURSEMENTS

	Voucher Number		
Personal property selected by and turned over to surviving spouse	- - - - -	\$ 1,000.00	\$
Maintenance of family of decedent	- - - - -	\$	\$
Total	- - - - -	\$ 1,000.00	\$

## II. EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Loss from sales of personal property at less than appraised valuation	- - - - -	\$	\$
Cash paid to appraisers for services	- - - - -	\$ 40.00	\$ R
Cash paid for publication of orders	- - - - -	\$ 18.00	\$ R
Repairs to real estate	- - - - -	\$	\$
Cash paid for insurance	- - - - -	\$	\$
Expenses of representative	- - - - -	\$ 3.00	\$
Compensation of representative	- - - - -	\$	\$
Fees of Attorney	- - - - -	\$ 3,485.00	\$ R
Bond of Representative	- - - - -	\$	\$
Certified copies (Probate Court)	- - - - -	\$ 6.00	\$ R
Register of Deeds, recording	- - - - -	\$	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
	- - - - -	\$	\$
Total expense of administration	- - - - -	\$ 3,552.00	\$

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### III. EXPENSES OF LAST SICKNESS

	VOUCHER NO.	AMOUNT
Cash paid for medical attendance		\$
Cash paid for medicines		\$
Cash paid for nursing		\$
Cash paid for hospital		\$
Total expenses of last sickness		\$ None

#### IV. FUNERAL EXPENSES

[illegible]

## V. TAXES

Personal property tax lien at date of death	- - - - -	\$	
Other personal property taxes	- - - - -	\$	
Real property tax lien at date of death	- - - - -	\$	
Other real estate taxes	- - - - -	\$	
Federal estate taxes	- - - - -	\$	
Federal income taxes; personal to decedent	- - - - -	\$	
Federal income taxes; fiduciary	- - - - -	\$	328.30 R
State income taxes; personal to decedent	- - - - -	\$	
State income taxes; fiduciary	- - - - -	\$	31.09 67
Total taxes paid	- - - - -	\$	359.39

## VI. CLAIMS OF CREDITORS

CASH PAID IN SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS OF CREDITORS AS ALLOWED BY THE COURT AS FOLLOWS:

[illegible]

## VII. LEGACIES AND BEQUESTS

[illegible]

## RECAPITULATION

	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	Not to be filled in by Representative RECEIPTS
Total receipts from all sources	\$28,455.56		\$
Total disbursements and credits as follows:			Disbursements
1. Family		\$ 1,000.00	\$
2. Expenses of administration		\$ 3,552.00	\$
3. Expenses of last sickness		\$	\$
4. Funeral Expenses		\$ 1,811.00	\$
5. Taxes		\$ 359.39	\$
6. Claims of creditors		\$	\$
7. Specific Legacies		\$	\$
8. Residue of personal prop. for distribution		\$ 21,733.17	\$
9.		\$	\$
10.		\$	\$
11.		\$	\$
12.		\$	\$
13.		\$	\$
Total	\$28,455.56	\$ 28,455.56	\$

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 Stearns, State of Minnesota, described as follows:

Held in Joint Tenancy

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

One-half (1/2) interest in the Northerly Twenty-eight (28) feet of Lot numbered Seven (7), and the Southerly Twenty-two (22) feet ten and two-thirds (10 2/3) inches of Lot numbered Eight (8), Block numbered Thirteen (13), John L. Wilson's Survey of the City of St. Cloud, according to the plat and survey thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Stearns County, Minnesota.

Value . . . \$20,000.00

FOURTH (A)—Personal property for distribution consists of the following items:

100 shares Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation, Common stock  
par value \$5.00, Certificate No. 61746.

50 shares Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation, Common stock  
par value \$5.00, Certificate No. 0111149.

1,350,293 shares Investors Mutual, Inc., common stock  
Certificate No. 017-674952 @ 10.953.

	Stocks	\$17,114.76
Cash		4,618.41

FIFTH—That said decedent died on the 14th day of January, 1963,  
testate, and left her surviving Spouse

Peter R. Thomas

who ~~was~~ is sole devisee  
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 Feb 10, 1964

Peter R. Thomas

Petitioner

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

Peter R. Thomas

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 to those matters he believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10 day of February, 1964

Fred J. Hughes

Notary Public

Stearns

County, Minn.

Peter R. Thomas

Representative

FRED J. HUGHES

Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.

My Commission Expires July 22, 1969.

My commission expires July 22, 1969

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

NOTE (2) Number your receipts and enter them in your (voucher No.) column.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Dorothy R. Thomas

Decedent

Final Account and Petition for

Hearing and Allowance

Thereof

Attorney for Petitioner

Filed this 10th day of

February 1964

Boyle J. Hoffhouse  
Clerk of Probate

No. 1148\*