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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns,

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE,  
Decedent.

Petition for Allowance and  
Probate of Will

To the Probate Court in and for said County:

Your petitioner represents and alleges to the Court:

FIRST—That your petitioner is a resident of Town of Lakin in the County of Morrison

State of Minnesota, and is an adult and is interested in the estate of decedent in this, to-wit: That she is one of the residuary legatees and is one of the executrices named in the last will and testament of said decedent.

SECOND—That said decedent was born in the Country of United States

and died at Minnesota, County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota,

on the 13th day of August, 1949, aged 21 years

and at the time of his death was a native of Stearns County, Minnesota, United States of America,

and a citizen of the Country of United States and a resident of City of St. Cloud,

in the County of Stearns and State of

and left estate in the County of 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 \$ 2,000.00— divided as follows:

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

That said estate also included real estate of the estimated worth and probable value of \$ no real estate situated in said County of

State of Minnesota, to-wit:

1. Homestead in 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

Lots with Buildings \$

B. Rural Property

Acres improved land \$

Rural Property

Acres unimproved land \$

FIFTH—That the probable amount of debts of decedent is \$ 650.00, consisting of funeral expenses—

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
Edgar Van Alstine		uncle	Onamia, Minnesota.
Alice Young		aunt	Weedsport, New York.
Mabel Young,		aunt	Pierz, Minn. RFD # 2
Addie Emerson-		aunt	Auburn, New York, RFD 6.
Lillian Altenhofen		aunt	Hillman, Minn., RFD #2.
Genevieve Emerson		aunt	Hillman, Minn., RFD # 2.
The following <del>xxxxx</del> cousins, daughters of Florence Burfield, a deceased aunt of decedent- who died February 17, 1904-			
Inez Carson		cousin	Hillman Minn., RFD #2.
Nettie Lachinski		cousin-	Hillman, Minn. RFD # 2.
Myra Welsh		none	608 12th. Ave. North St. Cloud, Minnesota-

SEVENTH—That Myra Welsh and Inez Carson, whose Post Office address is are 608 12th. Ave. N., St. Cloud, Minn., and Hillman, Minn., RFD #2, respectively ~~xx~~ are named in said Will as executor thereof and ~~are~~ suitable and competent person ~~s~~ 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 Myra Welsh and Inez Carson be appointed executor thereof; and that, upon due qualification as provided by law, letters testamentary be issued to the said Myra Welsh and Inez Carson.

Dated August 20th. 1949.

Inez Carson

Petitioner.

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns.

ss.

Inez Carson,

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

Inez Carson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th. day of August, 1949.

Notary Public

Stearns

County, Minnesota.

My Commission expires March 14th. 1950.

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State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns.

IN PROBATE COURT

Petition for Allowance and Probate of Will

In the Matter of the Estate of

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE,  
Decedent.

Selection of Newspaper

To the Judge of said Court:

Please cause the notices in said estate to be published in the

St. Cloud Daily Times-  
(Here insert name of newspaper)

(Sign your name here)

Filed this 30th day of

August 1949  
Hank J. Jorgensen  
Probate Judge - Clerk

No. 3489\*

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns.

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE

Decedent.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

J. B. Pattison,

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

copy of the printed order for hearing on the day of 19 , he mailed a true hereto attached and made a part hereof by enclosing it in a sealed envelope and depositing the same in the Post Office at the St. Cloud, Minnesota, 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

Edgar Van Alstine-

Onamia, Minnesota.

Alice Young,

Weedsport, New York.

Mabel Young,

Pierz, Minn. Rte. 2.

Addie Emerson,

Auburn, New York, Rte. 6.

Lillian Altenhofen,

Hillman, Minn., Rte. 2-

Inez Carson,

Hillman, Minn. Rte. 2.

Nettie Lachinski,

Hillman, Minn. Rte. 2.

Myra Welch,

608 - 12th. Avenue North,  
St. Cloud, Minnesota.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third

day of September, 19 49.

John B. Pattison, Jr.

Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.

My commission expires March-21-1953- 19



**State of Minnesota.**

County of Stearns.

**PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE,

*Decedent.*

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE**

**BY MAIL**

ORDER FOR HEARING ON PETITION  
FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

Filed this

*5th*

day of

September,

, 19 49.

*Frank Kenyon*  
Clerk ~~Judge of Probate.~~

Law Offices  
PATTISON & PATTISON  
ST. CLOUD, MINN.

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT  
File No. 18,134

Re Estate of Herbert Everett Van  
Aislina, Decedent.

IT IS ORDERED that the petition  
filed herein to admit to probate the  
last will of decedent be heard on  
Friday, September 23rd, 1949, 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, January 6th, 1950, at 9  
o'clock A.M. by this court in the Court  
House in St. Cloud, Minn.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1949.  
(Seal)

EARL J. MEINZ  
Probate Judge.

PATTISON and PATTISON,  
Attorneys.  
Pub. Sept. 1-8-15, 1949

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

Frederick C. Schilplin

being duly sworn on oath says:  
that he is, and during all the times herein stated has been, the President

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 es-  
tablished 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 post-  
office; 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 loca-  
tion 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 1st day of September 19 49;  
and thereafter on Thursday the 15th  
day of September 19 49 ;

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

Frederick C. Schilplin

Subscribed and sworn to before me 15th day of September 1949

Notary public Stearns County, Minnesota.

My Commission expires Oct. 1st 19 51

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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 Herbert Everett

Van Alstine, Decedent

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FILED THIS 17<sup>th</sup> DAY  
OF Sept A.D. 1949  
Franklin  
Clerk of Probate

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Herbert Everett Van Alstine Deceased.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of said deceased having been this day admitted to probate by this Court,  
and Myra Welsh and Inez Carson named as executrices of said Will,  
having applied for Letters Testamentary thereon:

IT IS ORDERED, That the said Myra Welsh and Inez Carson give  
bonds to the Judge of this Court in the sum of One Thousand and no/100 - - - - -  
(\$1,000.00) - - - - - Dollars,

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

Dated at St. Cloud Minnesota, the 23rd day of September  
A. D. 19 49.

By the Court,

Earl J. Ziemer  
Judge of Probate.

Pattison &amp; Pattison

Attorney at Law for Petitioner.

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## IN PROBATE COURT

County of Stearns

In the Matter of the Estate of

Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
Deceased.

## ORDER FOR EXECUTOR'S BOND

Filed this 23rd day of  
September A. D. 19 49, and  
recorded in Book of Orders, on  
page

Frank Herzog  
Clerk ~~Judge~~ of Probate.

No. 3540\*

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns. } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT -

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE ESTATE OF

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE

### Proof of Will

*Decedent.*

State of Minnesota, } ss.  
County of Stearns.

J. E. Patterson, being

duly sworn on behalf of the proponent of the Will, doth depose and say: that he is is one of the  
 subscribing witnesses to the instrument now shown him, bearing date the sixth  
 day of September, A. D. 19 46, and purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of  
 Herbert Everett van Alstine, late 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 his lifetime and at the time of his death,  
 that on the day and date of said instrument, to-wit, the sixth day of September,  
 A. D. 19 46, the said instrument was signed, sealed, executed and then and there acknowledged, published and  
 declared by the said decedent, to be his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of deponent  
 and of W. C. Rickmeyer and Ida E. Zaunek,

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

W. C. Rickmeyer and Ida E. Zdunek.

the other subscribing witness<sup>es</sup> did then and there, in the presence of the said decedent, and at his request, severally subscribe said instrument as witness<sup>es</sup> 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*

23rd. day of September, A. D. 19 49

Earl J. McInnis  
Judge of Probate Court.

R. Patterson

No. 15,174

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns. } ss.

## In Probate Court

Proof of Will  
Testimony of Subscribing  
Witness in the Matter of the Last  
Will and Testament of

Herbert Everett van Alstine,

*Decedent.*

TESTIMONY OF

J. B. PATTISON

*Subscribing Witness to Will.*

*Taken, sworn, subscribed and filed*

this 28rd. day of

September, 19 49.

Frank Hennig  
Clerk ~~Judge~~ of Probate Court.



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE

I, Herbert Everett Van Alstine, a resident of the County of Stearns and State of Minnesota, now in the military service of the United States, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

ARTICLE I.

I order and direct my Executrices to pay the expenses of my last sickness and funeral as soon after my decease as conveniently may be, and to pay my just debts duly filed, proved and allowed against my estate in the due course of the administration thereof.

ARTICLE II.

All the rest, residue and remainder of the property and estate, real and personal, of which I die seized and possessed, together with all property of every kind to which I may be entitled at the time of my death, unto Mrs. Myra Welsh and Mrs. Inez Carson, in fee simple and absolutely, in equal parts or shares, share and share alike.

ARTICLE III.

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Mrs. Myra Welsh and Mrs. Inez Carson to be the Executrices of this my last will and testament, and do hereby authorize and empower my said Executrices to sell, convey and dispose of any and all property, real and personal, of my estate, and to execute and deliver all instruments needful and necessary for the full exercise of the power hereby granted.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name to this my last will and testament in the presence of the witnesses whose names are subscribed below, this sixth day of September, 1946.

Herbert Everett Van Alstine

This instrument was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by Herbert Everett Van Alstine, the testator, to be his last will and testament in our presence, and we, at his request, have hereunto affixed our signatures hereto as witnesses, in his presence and in the presence of each other.

W. A. Sauer residing at St. Cloud, Minnesota  
W. B. Richardson residing at St. Cloud, Minnesota  
Eda E. Zunker residing at Sauk Rapids, Minnesota

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE

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State of Minnesota, }  
COUNTY OF Stearns }

In Probate Court  
CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Herbert Everett Van Alstine DECEDENT

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the day of the date hereof at a Special Term  
of said Probate Court, pursuant to the notice duly given, the last will and testament of Herbert Everett  
Van Alstine Decedent, late of said County of Stearns  
bearing date the 6th day of September 1946, 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 Testament of said Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
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, Minn.  
in said County, this 23rd day of  
September 1949.

Earl J. McHenry  
Judge of Probate.

Court Seal

## State of Minnesota,

## IN PROBATE COURT

County of

ss.

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 last Will and Testament and Certificate of Probate thereon 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.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
Decedent.

## Certificate of Probate of Will

Filed this 23rd day of

September 19 49, and recorded,

together with the will attached in Book

L of Records of Wills, Page 256

Frank Herzog

Clerk Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Herbert Everett Van Alstine

Decedent

## Order Admitting Will to Probate

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 23rd day of September 19 49

upon the petition of Inez Carson

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 August 1949 has been duly served and published as directed therein and required by law.

SECOND—That said decedent died on the 13th day of August 19 49, 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 State of Minnesota.

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

J. B. Pattison

~~and~~ WAS 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 September 23rd 19 49.

Earl J. Innes  
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns }  
PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
Decedent.

Order Admitting Will to Probate

Filed this 23rd day of  
September 1949, and recorded  
in Book "92" of Orders, Page 469

Frank Herzog  
Clerk ~~of~~ of Probate.



State of Minnesota,

County of

Stearns

ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine

Decedent.

## LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

To Inez Carson and Myra Welsh

GREETING:

Whereas, You have been appointed execut<sup>ORS</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>is</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>is</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>is</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 26th day of

September, 19 49

Earl J. Frazier  
Probate Judge.





State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
DecedentLETTERS TESTAMENTARY  
(LONG FORM)

Filed this 26th day of  
September, 19 49, and Recorded  
in Book "K" of Letters, Page 500

*Frank Herzog*  
Clerk ~~Judge~~ of Probate Court.

State of Minnesota.

County of

ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Judge of the Probate Court, in and for said County, and State afore-  
said, 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.

**R-52****POWER OF ATTORNEY**

(irrevocable)

**Nº 218033****Know All Men by These Presents:**

That this Power of Attorney is not valid or in effect unless attached to the bond which it authorizes executed, but may be detached by the approving officer and filed separately if desired.

That the Western Surety Company, a corporation, does hereby make, constitute and appoint, \_\_\_\_\_

**Oliver "hishart"**

in the city of **St. Cloud**, County of **Stearns**, State of MINNESOTA,

with limited authority, its true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred, to sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, one of the following bonds and no others.

An original bond required by statute or decree of Court for:

**MAXIMUM PENALTY**

(A) ADMINISTRATOR EXECUTOR REFEREE IN PARTITION SALE OF REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY	—when this company has qualifying bond or when a separate bond for accounting of proceeds of sale only	\$100,000.00
TRUSTEE OR RECEIVER	—in bankruptcy—Federal Court only	
(B) GUARDIANS CONSERVATORS CURATORS TRUSTEE RECEIVER SALE OF REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY	—testamentary only —not for benefit of creditors —only when this company has qualifying bond	\$ 10,000.00
(C) ATTACHMENT REPLEVIN INJUNCTION FORECLOSURE NOTARY PUBLIC POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES PUBLIC OFFICIAL AND DEPUTIES	—principal must be a corporation, or a State or the Federal Government or any department thereof  —excluding sheriffs, peace officers, constables or tax collectors	\$ 7,500.00
(D) COST REMOVAL	—excluding open penalty, stay, supersedeas or guarantee of a Judgment	\$ 500.00
(E) LICENSE PERMIT QUIET TITLE	—excluding bonds when the State is the obligee	\$ 3,000.00

(F) **ANY BOND OR INDEMNITY** provided there is attached to this Power of Attorney, written authority in the form of an endorsement, letter or telegram, signed by the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer or Assistant Secretary of the Western Surety Company specifically authorizing its execution.

The acknowledgment and execution of any such document by the said Attorney-in-Fact, shall be as binding upon this Company as if such bond had been executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of this Company.

All authority hereby conferred shall expire and terminate without notice, at midnight on May 31, 1952.

The WESTERN SURETY COMPANY further certifies that the following is a true and exact copy of Section 7 of the By-Laws of the Western Surety Company, duly adopted and now in force, to-wit: "Section 7. All bonds, policies, undertakings or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys in Fact or Agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, or undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings or other obligations of the corporation."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be executed by its President with its corporate seal affixed this 3rd day of January, 1949.

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY.

ATTEST:

By

President

Assistant Secretary

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, } ss.  
COUNTY OF MINNEHAHA }

On this 3rd day of January, 1949, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared DAN KIRBY, who being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that he signed the above Power of Attorney as President of the said Western Surety Company and acknowledged said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said corporation.

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

JAN 27 1953

*Betty Warner*

Notary Public, South Dakota

# WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

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## BOND OF ADMINISTRATOR, EXECUTOR AND GUARDIAN, INCLUDING SALE OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA

County of Stearns

ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Inez Carson and Myra Welsh, as principal, and WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of South Dakota 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 Hon. Earl J. Meier

as Judge of Probate of the County of Stearns, Minnesota, in the sum of One thousand and no/100 (\$ 1,000.00 ) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, to be paid to said Judge of Probate, and his successors 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 principal, who has been appointed representative of the estate of the above named Herbert Everett Van Alstine, shall well and faithfully discharge all the duties of said trust according to law, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

Dated this 23rd. day of September, 1949.

Witness to Principal s and surety=

J. B. Pattison, Jr.

Witness to Surety

Inez Carson (Seal).

Myra Welsh (Seal)

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

By Oliver Chickart  
Attorney-in-Fact.

Countersigned:  
By Oliver Chickart  
Minnesota Resident Agent.

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL

STATE OF MINNESOTA

County of Stearns

ss.

On this 23rd. day of September, 1949, before me personally

appeared Inez Carson and Myra Welsh, to me well known to be the person who executed the foregoing bond as principal, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the uses and purposes herein expressed as his free act and deed.

My Commission Expires

March 14th. 1950.

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J. B. PATTISON Notary Public

Stearns

County, Minnesota,

### OATH OF REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF MINNESOTA

County of Stearns

ss.

I, Inez Carson and I, Myra Welsh, do swear that I will faithfully and justly

perform all the duties of the office and trust which I now assume as representative of the Estate of the above named Herbert Everett Van Alstine, Decedent, to the best of my ability and according to law, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd. day of September, 1949.

My Commission Expires

March 14th. 1950.

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J. B. PATTISON Notary Public

Stearns

County, Minnesota

# ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY

STATE OF Minnesota.  
COUNTY OF Stearns. } ss.

On this 23rd. day of September A. D. 1949, before me, a notary

public in and for said County, personally appeared Oliver Chirhart  
to me personally known and being by me duly sworn, did say, that he is the Attorney-in-Fact of the  
WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, created, organized and  
existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of South Dakota, that the said instrument was  
executed on behalf of the said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and that the said

Oliver Chirhart acknowledges said instrument to be the  
free act and deed of said corporation and that he has authority to sign said instrument without affixing  
the corporation seal of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal at

St. Cloud, Minnesota, the day and year last above written.  
My Commission Expires

March 14th. 1950. 19   J. B. Pattison Notary Public.

## APPROVAL

I hereby approve the within Bond and the surety thereon, this    day of  
September, 1949.

Earl J. Meier  
Probate Judge.

No. 15,174.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

County of Stearns.

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE.

DECEDENT.

Bond and Oath of  
Representative  
(SURETY COMPANY FORM)

Filed the 26th day of  
September, 1949, and said  
bond recorded in Book    of

Bonds, page 63 of Probate  
Records.

Frank H. Hagg  
Clerk - Index of Probate.

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,  
Decedent.

Order Appointing Appraisers

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

It is ordered that George A. Meskes and  
K. Christle

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

Dated this 18th day of October, 1950.

(PROBATE COURT SEAL)

Probate Judge.



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

**IN PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,  
*Decedent.*

**Order Appointing Appraisers**

Filed October 18th, 1950.

*Frank Herzog*  
Probate ~~Judge~~ Clerk.



## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

File No. 15,174

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

## INVENTORY AND APPRAISAL

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE,  
Decedent

Date of Death August 13, 1949

## OATH OF APPRAISERS

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

K. Christle

ss.

I, George A. Meekes, and  
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  
Herbert Everett Van Alstine, decedent to the best of my ability. So Help Me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1950  
John D. Pallison, Jr.  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.  
My commission expires March 21, 1950

George A. Meekes  
K. Christle

(SEAL)

## INVENTORY AND APPRAISAL

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

That the following is a true and correct inventory of all the property of the above named estate, both real and  
personal, which has come into their possession and of which they have 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
None		
(b) All other real estate of decedent being in the County of _____, State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:		\$ None
None		None
FORWARDED		None

	Specify Encumbrances and Respective Amounts	Net Value Over Encumbrances
Brought Forward		\$ None
Total Net Value of Real Estate		\$ None
CLASS II—Furniture and Household Goods:		
None	\$	\$
Total Value of Furniture and Household Goods		\$ None
CLASS III—Wearing Apparel and Ornaments:		
Miscellaneous clothing	\$	\$ No value
Total Value of Wearing Apparel and Ornaments		\$ No value
CLASS IV—Corporation Stocks (Give Certificate No.)		
None	\$	\$ None
Total Value of Stock		\$ None



# VERIFICATION

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

Myra Welsh and Inez Carson,

being duly sworn, on oath say that they are the representatives of the estate above specified; that they have read the foregoing inventory subscribed by them and know 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 their possession or knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17th day of October, A. D. 1950.

John B. Patterson, Jr.  
Notary Public, Stearns County, Minn.

My commission expires March 21, 1953.

(SEAL)

Myra Welsh  
Inez Carson  
Representative

## 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

Herbert Everett Van Alstine, 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 18th day of October, A. D. 1950,

George A. Meekes

H. Christie

Appraisers

File No. 15,174

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE

Decedent

Inventory and Appraisal

Total Personal - \$3518.47

Total Real Estate - \$ NONE

Total Appraisal - \$3518.47

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

Deputy-Treasurer of County, Minnesota

Filed this 19th day of October, A. D. 1950

Grand Juror

PATTISON & PATTISON  
Attorney

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX DIVISION

State Office Building  
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

INHERITANCE TAX RETURN

Decedent HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE

Date of Death August 13, 1949

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 M. S. A., Chapter 291.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- (1) Decedent's residence at date of death Pioneer Hall, U. of M., Minneapolis, Minnesota
- (2) Place of death Minneapolis, Minn. Birthdate Dec. 20, 1927 Place of birth St. Cloud, Minn.
- (3) Business or occupation Student
- (4) Married, single, separated, widowed or divorced at date of death Single
- (5) The name, relationship to decedent and birthplace 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
None		

- (6) Did decedent have access to a safe deposit box or other place of safekeeping at the time of his death? No.  
A. Name and address of bank or other depository
- (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 in 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? No.  
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 in Schedule I or by separate affidavits.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. STATUTES: The inheritance tax law appears in M. S. A., Chapter 291. Taxable transfers are defined in M. S. A. 291.01. Filing an inheritance tax return is required by M. S. A. 291.12. Amendments were adopted by Laws of Minnesota 1948, Chapter 504, Section 6, Sub. 2.
2. 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.
  - A. 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.
  - B. If there is no Minnesota probate proceeding, the return must be filed directly with the Department of Taxation, Inheritance and Gift Tax Division, 221 State Office Building, St. Paul 1, Minn.
  - C. If it is claimed that decedent was not a resident of Minnesota, an Affidavit of Non-Residence (Form D. of T. EG 1019) must be filed with this return. In such case, this return will disclose the details of transfers of property having situs in Minnesota, and the total value of transfers in each class of property having situs elsewhere.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. If space in any schedule is insufficient, additional schedules in like form may be attached.
7. 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

# **SCHEDULE I — 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 survivors 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 Liens, if any.	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: 6-21-41	Lot 1, blk. 1, Lief's Add. to St. Paul, Ramsey Co., Minn., 6000 Montclair Rd. St. Paul. Homestead. Mortgage, \$ 1,000.00	Mary Doe, wife	\$2,455.00	\$4,000.00
7-5-42	100 shares General Motors Co., common \$100 par Certificate No. 1392816	John Doe, son	N. Y. S. E. 75½	\$7,550.00

None

Total (Col. 5.)

Less Liens (Col. 2.)

Net

None

Report all life and accident insurance proceeds payable on the death of the decedent to named beneficiaries.

[illegible]

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 an-

nuities 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. (None of these are subject to the life insurance exemption.)

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		

(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 two years prior to death is made in contemplation of death.  
Report gifts made by decedent during his lifetime which total more than \$2,500 to one donee in any year.
- B. Transfers intended to take effect in possession or enjoyment at 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 attached.

- 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.
- 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)				None
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. Myra Welsh and Inez Carson

the executrixes ~~xxxxxxx~~ / transferee, custodian or 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, informa-

tion 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 in 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 17th day of October, 1950.

Notary Public, County of Stearns  
My commission expires March 21, 1953.

(Signature) Myra Welsh  
608 1/2 12th Ave. No.  
St. Cloud, Minn.

(Address) Inez Carson  
R.F.D. # 2  
Hillman, Minn.

File No. 15,174

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

Re: Estate of

HERBERT EVERETT VAN ALSTINE  
Decedent

INHERITANCE TAX RETURN  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION

Filed October 19th 1950

Frank H. Hennig  
Clerk of Probate Court

Attorney PATTISON & PATTISON

Address St. Cloud, Minn.



State of Minnesota.

COUNTY OF Stearns



PROBATE COURT

FILE NO. 15,174

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
DecedentInheritance Tax Record and  
Order Determining Tax

From the files, records and proceedings herein the court finds that decedent died testate, August 13th

19 49, a resident of 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 None	None	None	None
Personal Estate 2,000.00	3,518.47	496.99	4,015.46
TOTAL 2,000.00	3,518.47	496.99	4,015.46

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 - - - -	- - - -
Appraiser's fees - - - -	4.00
Publication of orders - - - -	14.40
Compensation of representative - -	- - - -
Expenses of representative - - - -	29.00
Attorney's fees - - - -	250.00
Expenses of attorney - - - -	- - - -
Certified copies - - - -	7.00
Recording fees - - - -	- - - -
Bond premiums - - - -	10.00
Misc. expenses of administration - -	- - - -
Funeral expenses - - - -	775.00
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 - - - - 39.85

Homestead to spouse or issue - - - -

## TOTAL DEDUCTIONS

ALLOWED FOR

INHERITANCE TAX - - - - 1,129.25

NET ESTATE FOR

INHERITANCE TAX

COMPUTATION - - - - \$ 2,886.21

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
Inez Carson	Cousin	1,443.11	250.00	47.72
Myra Welsh	None	1,443.10	100.00	67.16
TOTALS		\$2,886.21	x x x x	\$114.88



State of Minnesota

Department of Taxation

G. HOWARD SPAETH  
COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION

State Office Building, St. Paul 1

INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX

November 17, 1950

Pattison & Pattison  
Attorneys at Law  
St. Cloud, Minnesota

In Re Estate Herbert Everett Van Alstine  
P.C. #15,174

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith find three copies of our order and notice of order determining inheritance tax in the above named estate. One copy should be served upon the county treasurer, one is for the use of the attorney and taxpayer. Please admit service and obtain admission of service of the county treasurer upon the third copy and return the same to us.

A copy of this order has been sent to the probate court and we ask that receipt for payment of the tax be exhibited to the court before probate proceedings are concluded.

Thanking you for your continued cooperation in these matters, we are

Very truly yours,

G. HOWARD SPAETH  
Commissioner of Taxation

By

*C. T. Keating*  
C. T. Keating, Director  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division

CTK/IMG  
Enclosures

cc: Hon. Earl J. Mainz, Judge of Probate Court

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX DIVISION  
221 State Office Building  
St. Paul 1

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

ORDER DETERMINING  
INHERITANCE TAX  
Pay Tax to County Treasurer

Herbert Everett Van Alstine

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 August 13, 1949, 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
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Ines Pringle, stranger:		
U. S. Gov't Life Insurance	\$5000.00	
Less insurance exemption	1000.00	
	\$4000.00	
Less statutory exemption	100.00	
	\$3900.00	\$195.00

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 at the rate of 6% per annum from

and after November 13, 1950 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 November 17, 1950

G. HOWARD SPAETH,  
Commissioner of Taxation.

By

C. T. Keating, Director,  
Inheritance and Gift Tax Division.

G. HOWARD SPAETH  
COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION

(SEAL)

CTK:isf

15,174

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX  
DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of

*Herbert Everett Van Alstine*  
Deceased.

ORDER AND NOTICE OF  
ORDER DETERMINING  
INHERITANCE TAX

Amount of Tax - \$195.00

Filed November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1950

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
INHERITANCE AND GIFT TAX DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of

NOTICE OF ORDER DETERMINING  
INHERITANCE TAX

*Herbert Everett Van Alstine*

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 November 17, 1950

G. HOWARD SPAETH,  
Commissioner of Taxation.

By

C. T. Keating, 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 of 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, 221 State 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, }

COUNTY OF Stearns }

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Herbert Everett Van Alatine, Deceased:

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

Myra Welsh and Inez Carson

as representatives of the above named estate have 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 have paid over to the distributees named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded by said final decree, and have fully complied with all other orders and decrees of this Court relating to said estate, and have in all things well, faithfully and fully administered said estate as such representatives

It is Therefore Ordered and Decreed, That said representatives

of said estate and the sureties on their 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 17th day of January, A. D. 19 51



Judge of Probate

Stearns

County, Minn.

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# IN PROBATE COURT

COUNTY OF Stearns

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## IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,  
Deceased

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### Order Discharging Executor or Administrator

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Filed this 17th day of  
January, 19 51

Recorded in Book 27 of Orders,

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Frank Hervey  
Clerk Judge of Probate

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns }

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,  
Decedent.

## ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 10th day of November 19 50, 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 Pattison and Pattison, and no one appeared in opposition.

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

First—That due notice of the said hearing of said petition has been given as required by law by the publication of the citation of this Court for said hearing, dated the 19th day of October 19 50, in the St. Cloud Daily Times, proof of publication of said notice of hearing and 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	\$ 3513.47
Personal estate omitted from the inventory	\$
Gain by sales above appraised value	\$
Cash from sales of real estate	\$
Cash from rent of real estate	\$
Cash from interest and profits	\$ 26.82
Cash from other sources Refund (bd & room U. of M.)	\$ 47.20
U. S. Gov't, Vets Adm., burial benefit	\$ 150.00
U. S. Gov't, refund of Social Security	\$ 191.43
From Alma C. Van Alstine Estate	\$ 108.36
Total receipts from all sources	\$ 4042.28

## DISBURSEMENTS AND CREDITS

Estate selected for surviving spouse	\$
Maintenance of family of decedent	\$
Expenses of administration	\$ 314.40
Expenses of last sickness	\$
Funeral expenses	\$ 775.00
Taxes	\$
Claims of creditors of decedent	\$ 39.85
Legacies	\$
	\$
	\$
Residue on hand for distribution	\$ 2913.03
Total credits	\$ 4042.28

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State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Herbert Everett

Van Alstine, Decedent.

Order Allowing Final Account

Filed this 10th day of  
November, 1950, and  
recorded in Book 107 of Orders  
at Page 54

Frank A. Stearns  
Clerk State of Minn.

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 November 10th, 1950.

By the Court,

Earl J. Loring  
Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota,

## IN PROBATE COURT

County of Stearns

File No. 15,174

In the Matter of the Estate of

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,  
Decedent.

## Final Decree of Distribution

The above entitled matter came on to be heard on the 10th day of November 19 50, upon the petition of the representative of said estate for the distribution of the residus of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

The representative of said estate appeared in person and by attorneys **Pattison and Pattison** 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 their 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 13th day of August, 1949, and at the time of his death decedent was a resident of the County of Stearns and State of Minnesota.

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

(A) Personal property of the value of \$ 2913.03 comprising the following items:

Cash

\$2913.03

Promissory note of Perry I. Wagoner, dated August 11, 1941, for \$500.00, at 6%, due August 11, 1942, last payment on May 26, 1944, appraised at no value.

Unsecured claim against Henry G. Dryer for \$350.00 for money loaned on July 22, 1949, by decedent, appraised at no value.

(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 -----

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

None.

FIFTH--That the following named persons are the residuary devisees and legatees

of said decedent, and are all

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

Inez Carson, a cousin of decedent and  
Myra Welsh.

Now, Therefore, On motion of

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

One-half (1/2) thereof to each of the said  
Inez Carson and Myra Welsh, absolutely.

And that the title to the above described real estate

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

None for assignment.

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 s. their heirs and assigns; without prejudice, however, to any lawful conveyance of said property or any part thereof by said persons, or any of them, heretofore made.

Dated at St. Cloud, Minn., this 10th day of November, 19 50.



*Carl J. Loney*  
Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota.

County of

ss.

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.

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File No.

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of

Herbert Everett Van Alstine,  
Deceased.

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 10th day of Nov. 1950, and recorded in Book 206 of Deeds, page 208.

*Handwritten signature*  
Clerk of Probate Court.

No. 2881

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STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Insanity~~  
~~Inebriety~~  
~~Feeble-mindedness~~  
~~Epilepsy~~

Mental Illness

Of Hildegard K. Pikus

To the Honorable Probate Judge of said County:

Your petitioner respectfully represents to the Court and alleges that

Hildegard K. Pikus

whose address is Sartell

is a mentally ill person.  
(Insane-Inebriate-Feeble-minded-Epileptic)

That your petitioner is related to the said above named person as follows: husband

That the indications of mental illness manifested by h are as follows:  
(Insanity-Inebriety-Feeble-mindedness-Epilepsy)

(Here give fully the symptoms on which the charge of mental illness is based.)

Began with spells about a year ago. Burns husbands papers. Breaks windows. Nervous and temperamental.

That the reasons for making this application are:

institutionalization.

That the said alleged mentally ill person will not appear in Court voluntarily, and that it will be necessary to issue a warrant to bring h er before this Court.  
(Insane-Inebriate-Feeble-minded-Epileptic)

That the name and address of the nearest relatives of the said patient are:

NAME	ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP
Steve Pikus	Sartell	husband
Karen Marie	"	daughter

That said Hildegard K. Pikus was born in St. Stephen is about 22 years of age, and the parent of one children.

That h er residence and place of legal settlement is Stearns County, Minnesota.  
(If not a resident of Minnesota, set out as fully as possible where he came from, how long he has been in the County named.)

That said alleged insane person is not a United States War Veteran.  
not-spouse-child



That the supposed cause of \_\_\_\_\_ unknown \_\_\_\_\_  
(Insanity-Inebriety-Freemindedness-Epilepsy)

That the said Hildegard K. Pikus is the owner of the following described real personal property, to-wit:

Homestead in joint tenancy. LeSauk Township.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays that this Court will make due inquiry into the matter, and to that end that said above named person be brought into said Court and examined as to said alleged mental illness  
(Insert in brackets each crime/indictment, information)

and if found to be mentally ill (Insane-Inebriate-Feeble-minded-Epileptic) that s he be committed in accordance with the statutes in such case made and provided. It. e. Bibus

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.  
County of Stearns

Steve Pikus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in the foregoing petition; that he knows the contents thereof, and that the averments of said petition are true of his own knowledge, save as to such as are stated on information and belief, and as to those he believes them to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August, 1949.

Frank Kenney  
Clerk of Probate

State of Minnesota,

County of  
Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

Insanity x	
Inebriety x	
Foolish minds dress x	
Epilepsy x	

Mental Illness

Wildebrand K. Pius

# PETITION

Filed August 31st, 1949.

Quarck Kernog  
Clerk of Probate

Form prescribed by State Board of Control. Pursuant to Code 1935.

0-1586-2075-9

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Insanity~~~~Intoxication~~~~Fetters and Chains~~~~Epilepsy~~

Mental Illness

Of Hildegard K. Pikus

A petition for the commitment of the above named patient having been filed,

IT IS ORDERED, That such petition be heard before this court in the Court House in the

City

(City or Village)

of St. Cloud on the 1st day of September,

1949 at 10 o'clock A. M.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1949.

Eric J. Meizinger  
Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota, }

County of Stearns }

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the { Insanity  
                                  { Inebriety  
                                  { Problem drinking  
                                  { Epilepsy  
Mental Illness  
Of Hildegard K. Pikus

## ORDER FOR HEARING

Filed August 31st, 1949.

Frank Henry  
Clerk of Probate

Form prescribed by State Board of Control,  
pursuant to Code 1935.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns }

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the } ~~James K.~~  
                                   } ~~James K.~~  
                                   } ~~Rockwood K.~~  
                                   } ~~K. K.~~

Mental Illness

Of Hildegard K. Pikus

A petition for commitment having been filed herein,

IT IS ORDERED, That the Sheriff of Stearns County, Minnesota, forthwith  
 apprehend the above named patient and retain her in his custody until further order of this court.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1949.

(Court Seal)

Earl J. Meier  
 Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

Alleged Mentally Ill.

ORDER TO APPREHEND AND  
CONFINE

Filed this 31st day of August,

19 49.

Frank Herzog

Clerk of Probate.

Form prescribed by State Board of Control,  
pursuant to Code 1935.COUNTY OF STEARNS  
STATE OF MINNESOTAI hereby certify and return that by virtue of the within warrant I have  
arrested the within named defendant Hildegard K. Pikus and have her body  
now in court.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1949

Warrant	\$1.00
Mileage	1.12
Total	\$2.12

Sheriff, Stearns County

*Carl M. Mader*

## IN PROBATE COURT

alleged  
In the Matter of the mental illness.... of

Fee Claim -- Officer

Hildegard K. Pikus

Art McIntee

Art. McIntee on being first duly sworn says that he has a just and true claim against said County for services and disbursements by reason of the conveyance of the said person to the at

in said State, more particular set forth, as follows:

Transportation from St. Cloud, Minn., to \_\_\_\_\_, for \_\_\_\_\_ persons \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Taxi fare at..... \$.....

Hotel at ..... \$ .....

Lodging and \_\_\_\_\_ meals for \_\_\_\_\_ persons \* \* \* \* \* \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Transportation from \_\_\_\_\_ to St. Cloud, for \_\_\_\_\_ persons \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Reasonable compensation of \_\_\_\_\_ assistants x x x x x x x x \$\_\_\_\_\_

Warrant and mileage	Sartell 14 miles @ 8¢	\$ 1.12
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Total . . . \$ 1.12

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_

day of September 1944

ART McINTEE  
Sheriff of Stearns County, Minn.

Judge of Probate

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

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State of Minnesota  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the *Alleged*  
*Mental Illness of*

*Hildegard K. Pikus*

Fee Claim-- Officer

Filed this

*2nd*

day of

*September*

A. D. 19 *49*

*Frank Heyog*

*clerk*

Judge of Probate



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

}

IN PROBATE COURT  
OFFICER'S FEE ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus

Art McIntee

..... having been duly authorized by this Court to convey  
the above named person to the State Hospital and having filed herein his duly verified claim for fees allowed by law therefor.

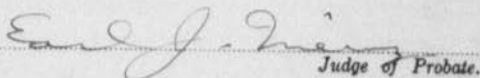
Now therefore, it is hereby ordered and adjudged that the said

Art McIntee

be and he hereby is allowed

One and 12/100- - - - - Dollars (\$ 1.12 ) for his services herein and  
all disbursements actually and necessarily made for travel and expenses of himself, the patient, and assistants, 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.

By the Court,

  
Judge of Probate.

Dated September 2nd, 1949

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE Alleged  
Mental Illness

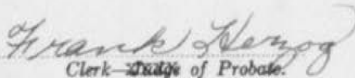
of Hildegard K. Pikus

## OFFICER'S FEE ORDER

R. C. 12 D.

Filed this 2nd day of September,

19 49


 Frank H. Hagg  
 Clerk-Judge of Probate.

## State of Minnesota,

County of

}

of the Probate Court of said County,

I, \_\_\_\_\_, 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 }

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the }  
Mental Illness  
~~Ischuria~~XXXXXXX  
~~Mental Deficiency~~  
~~Epilepsy~~XXXXXXX

Of Hildegard K. Pikus,

To the Honorable Probate Judge of said County:

Your petitioner respectfully represents to the Court and alleges that

Hildegard K. Pikus

whose address is Sartell

is of mentally ill person.  
(Mental Illness-Inebriety-Mental Deficiency-Epilepsy)

That your petitioner is related to the said above named person as follows: husband

That the indications of mental illness manifested by her are as follows:  
(Mental Illness-Inebriety-Mental Deficiency-Epilepsy)

(Here give fully the symptoms on which the charge of mental illness is based.)

Began with spells about a year ago. Burns husbands papers.

Breaks windows. Nervous and temperamental.

That the reasons for making this application are:

institutionalization.

That the said alleged mentally ill person will not appear in Court voluntarily,  
(Mental Illness-Inebriety-Mental Deficiency-Epilepsy)

and that it will be necessary to issue a warrant to bring her before this Court.

That the name and address of the nearest relatives of the said patient are:

NAME	ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP
Steve Pikus	Sartell	husband
Karen Marie Pikus	"	daughter

That said Hildegard K. Pikus was born in

St. Stephen, is about 24 years of age, and

the parent of one children.

That her residence and place of legal settlement is Stearns County, Minnesota.

(If not a resident of Minnesota, set out as fully as possible where he came from, how long he has been in the County named.)

That said alleged mentally ill person is not a United States War Veteran.  
not-spouse-child

That.....some.....restraint has been employed.

That the supposed cause of.....mental illness.....

(Mental Illness-Inebriety-Mental Deficiency-Epilepsy)

is.....unknown.....

That the said.....patient.....has been treated by.....Dr. Cesnick.....

That the said.....Hildegard K. Pikus.....is the owner of the following described real and personal property, to-wit:

Homestead in joint tenancy. LaSauk Township.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays that this Court will make due inquiry into the matter, and to that end that said above named person be brought into said Court and examined as to said alleged.....mental illness.....

(Mental Illness-Inebriety-Mental Deficiency-Epilepsy)

and if found to be.....mentally ill.....that.....he be committed in accordance with the statutes in

(Mental Illness-Inebriety-Mental Deficiency-Epilepsy)

such case made and provided.

Steve Pikus

State of Minnesota,

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

ss.

Steve Pikus

....., being first duly sworn, deposes and says that.....he is the petitioner in the foregoing petition; that.....he knows the contents thereof, and that the averments of said petition are true of his own knowledge, save as to such as are stated on information and belief, and as to those.....he believes them to be true.

Steve Pikus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....24th.....day of December....., 1951.....

Steve Pikus  
Kina Schwandenbach  
Deputy Clerk of Probate

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State of Minnesota,

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

PROBATE COURT

MENTAL ILLNESS

IN THE  
MATTER OF THE  
HILDEGARD K. PIKUS

Of Hildegard K. Pikus,

PETITION

Filed this 24th day of

December, 1951.

Frank H. Hoyer  
Clerk of Probate

Form prescribed by State Board of Control, Pursuant to Code 1935.

## STATE OF MINNESOTA

## PROBATE COURT

COUNTY OF Stearns

## Report of Examination

In the matter of the Mental Illness  
Senility  
Psychopathic Personalityof Hildegard, K. Ribus  
Patient

1. Date of birth Feb. 2 - 1877  
Place of birth St. Stevens - Stearns Co Minn  
Marital status (single, married, separated, divorced, widowed) Married
2. Resident of Minnesota since 1888 of Stearns County since 1888  
3. Legal settlement at Stearns County, Minnesota.
4. Is patient entitled to care or treatment by the Veterans Administration or other agency of the United States Government No.
5. Has patient ever been in a psychiatric hospital in Minnesota or any other state No.  
If so, name institution \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_
6. Father's name Joe Pienkalla  
Place of birth Stearns Co Minn.  
Mother's maiden name Catherine Blankenship  
Place of birth Stearns Co Minn.  
Spouse's name Steve Pienk  
Place of birth Sail Jansville N.Y. Date of birth May 8 - 1919.
7. Patient's religion Catholic  
8. Patient's education 7th grade  
9. Patient's occupation N.W.
10. Family history (insanity, feeble-mindedness, epilepsy, alcohol or drug addiction, etc.) Father & Brother  
epilepsy. none other.

11. Patient's past medical history (including serious injuries, operations, syphilis, tuberculosis)  
None

Intemperate use of alcohol or narcotic or hypnotic drugs NO.

12. Does patient have any acute or chronic disease None

13. Prior to patient's present mental disorder there were no peculiarities of personality reactions except None

14. Date of onset and symptoms of present mental disorder in detail Shortly after marriage  
became very sore up, did strange things,  
Marriage unhappy - B.K. for a while.  
After first child was born did not want  
to do anything, thing to do with, counselling  
advice - obtained a separation. Took  
her back again - the promise she would  
do things right. Burned baby bottle - broke  
windows. Threw away dinner. That her  
husband brought for her, could not go up town  
with her friends to pick them up. Refused  
to go to town herself to do her own thing  
buying.

15. Patient has no threatened or injured others. has been after her husband with a knife  
 Patient has not threatened or attempted suicide by \_\_\_\_\_

on or about \_\_\_\_\_

Propensity to suicide is no, present now.

16. Patient has no filthy habits.

Patient is destructive burns own children & other people

17. Patient has now been confined in none Hospital,

\_\_\_\_\_, Minnesota, since \_\_\_\_\_

Were restraints required then yes or at any other time

Patient's temperature 98.6, pulse 80.

18. Name and address of:

Patient's nearest of kin Stane P. Kue.

Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Friend \_\_\_\_\_

Petitioner Stane P. Kue.

Family physician Dr. Ceynie - Sank Rapids. Minn.

Material witnesses at examination Stane P. Kue.

Counsel for patient John Lang

19. From the examination of the patient, and from the evidence submitted at the hearing, we find the above named patient to be a mentally ill person—a ~~sonic~~ person—a psychopathic personality.

Dated Dec 26, 1951

Frank A. Doughty, M. D.

T. H. Fleming, M. D.

Earl J. Meinz  
 Probate Judge

(PROBATE COURT SEAL)

File No.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the Mental Illness  
 of Hildegard K. Pikus, Patient

Report of Examination

Filed this 26th day of

December, 19 51

Frank A. Doughty  
 Probate Judge

No. 342-P

State of Minnesota,

No.

County of Stearns

Report by Judge of Probate

Mental Illness  
In the Matter of the ~~Minors~~ of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

In accordance with Section 3, of Chapter 294, Session Laws for 1917, I respectfully report that on the  
 26th day of December, 1951, the Probate Court Committed  
 Hildegard K. Pikus of Stearns County  
 to the State Hospital at Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

## STATEMENT OF PROPERTY OF PATIENT, SPOUSE, CHILDREN OR PARENTS:

(State which)

## 1. REALTY:

A. Homestead in joint tenancy. Le Sauk Township  
 Description

## 2. Value

## 3. House

Value \$

4. Other buildings on Homestead  
Kind

## 5. What used for

## 6. Value of such buildings

## 7. Annual income from Homestead

## 8. Are there any mortgages or liens against the above realty?

Amount

When due

## B. Other lands:

## 1. Description

## 2. Value

## 3. Buildings thereon

## 4. Rented or not

## 5. Annual income

## 6. Are there any mortgages or liens against the above lands?

Amount

When due

## C. Household goods

Value \$

## D. Stock list

Value \$

## E. Machinery list

Value \$

## F. Notes, mortgages, corporate stocks, bonds, etc., list

## G. Cash

## H. Other property

Total, \$



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

Mental Illness  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Hildegard K. Pikus,

REPORT OF PROBATE JUDGE  
AND COUNTY ATTORNEYFiled this 26th day of  
December, 19 51Frank Henry  
Clerk of Probate

## LIABILITIES:

List all debts and claims against patient:

Total, \$



Net Value of Estate, \$

## FAMILY:

1. Spouse	Address	Age
2. Children	Address	Age
	Address	Age
	Address	Age
	Address	Age
	Address	Age
	Address	Age
3. Guardian	Address	Age

## RECOMMENDATIONS

Dated this 26th day of December, 19 51

  
 Probate Judge.  
  
 County Attorney.

State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT -

### In the Matter of the Alleged Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF EXAMINERS

We, the Board of Examiners, in the above entitled proceeding hereby certify and report that on the 26th day of December, 1951, at 11 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 Hildegard K. Pikus is a mentally ill person, as alleged in the petition in the above entitled proceeding, David T. Shay, Esquire, County Attorney of said County, appeared in behalf of said petitioner

The said Hildegard K. Pikus 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 Hildegard K. Pikus and the several witnesses appearing before us in said proceedings information required to properly answer the questions set forth in Report of Examination 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 Hildegard K. Pikus is

2. A person of unsound mind other than one who may be properly described as only an inebriate or feeble minded person.

Dated at St. Cloud, Minnesota, this 26th day of December, 1951.

W. H. Learning  
2000 G. 40 Sept 1880  
E. L. J. J. J. J.

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 Illness of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

Report of the Board of Examiners

State of Minnesota, }

County of Stearns }

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 the seal of said Court this 26th day of

December, 1951

Frank Vergez  
Clerk of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Illness of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

## JUDGMENT

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

Hildegard K. Pikus having been personally before the Court, and examined as to mental illness 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 Hildegard K. Pikus has been found to be mentally ill 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 Hildegard K. Pikus is mentally ill and a proper person for care and treatment in a State Institution.

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

Hildegard K. Pikus be committed to the custody of Superintendent, State Hospital, Fergus Falls, Minn. and that duplicate 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 December 26th, 1951.

*Earl J. Frain*  
Judge of Probate, Stearns County.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

## JUDGMENT

Filed this 26th day of

December, 1951.

*Frank Verzyog*  
Clerk of Probate Court.

Recorded in  
Book 2 of Judgments  
on page 22.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns }

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

(Mental Illness  
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~)

# ORDER FOR HEARING AND FOR EXAMINATION

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

Patient

Steve Pikus, having filed in this court a petition alleging that the above named patient is a mentally ill 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 26th day of December, 1951, at 11 o'clock A. M., and that notice hereof be given to said patient ~~XXXX~~

her by the service of a copy of this order upon ~~XXXX~~ personally, prior to said examination. You may request counsel if you so desire.

Dated December 26th, 1951

(Probate Court Seal)



Probate Judge



ORIGINAL

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the } ~~XXXXXX~~  
                              } ~~XXXXXX~~  
                              Mental IllnessOf Hildegard K. Pikus,To the Sheriff of Stearns County, Minnesota, and the Superintendent of theState Hospital, Fergus Falls, Minnesota.The above named patient having been found to be mentally ill, the said sheriff is  
(Insane-Inebriate)

commanded to convey and deliver such patient forthwith to the Superintendent of the State Hospital at

Fergus Falls, Minnesota, and the said Superintendent is commanded to receive and  
detain such patient in said hospital according to law.Dated this 26th day of December, 19 51.

(Court Seal)

E. J. Mearns  
Probate Judge.

(Note:—See reverse side for receipt of superintendent.)



STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Stearns }

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the {  
~~the County~~XXXX  
~~the County~~XXXX  
~~the County~~XXXX  
~~the County~~XXXX

Of Hildegard K. Pikus,

A petition for commitment having been filed herein,

IT IS ORDERED, That the Sheriff of Stearns County, Minnesota, forthwith  
 apprehend the above named patient and retain her in his custody until further order of this court.

Dated this 26th day of December, 1951.

(Court Seal)

*Paul J. [Signature]*  
 Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Decedent~~ XXXX  
~~Executor~~ XXXX  
~~Testatrix~~ XXXX  
~~Appellee~~ XXXX

Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

John Lang

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 26th day of December, 1951;

That he was appointed as Attorney for said patient by the Order of said Court dated the 26th

day of December, 1951, 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

26th day of December, 1951

John Lang

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

John Lang

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 Lang

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

John Lang

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 December 26th, 19 51

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Mental Illness~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

To the Hon. David T. Shay, County Attorney of said County:

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

mental illness 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 26th day of December, 1951 at 11 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 26th day of December, 1951.

(Court Seal)

*E. J. J. J.*  
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

~~Incompetent~~ XXXXX  
~~Insane~~ XXXXX  
~~Feeble-minded~~ XXXXX  
~~Idiot~~ XXXXX  
 Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

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

John Lang

of

Melrose

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 26th day of December, 19 51

(Court Seal)

*Earl J. Hein*  
 Probate Judge

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

Mental Illness  
~~Insanity~~xxxxxx  
~~Intoxication~~xxxxxx  
~~Alcohol Intoxication~~xxxxxx  
~~Epilepsy~~xxxxxx

## APPOINTMENT OF EXAMINERS

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

Patient.

Upon all of the files, records and proceedings herein,

IT IS ORDERED, That Dr. T. N. Fleming

and

Dr. Karl A. Walfred

are appointed to assist in the examination of said patient.

Dated this 26th day of December, 19 51.

(Probate Court Seal)

Earl J. Heinz  
Probate Judge.

State of Minnesota,  
County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Dr.

T. N. Fleming

of St. Cloud

is a reputable person, a graduate

of Creighton University

which is an incorporated medical

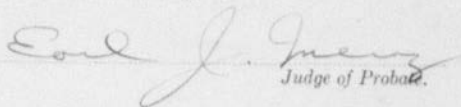
college; that he is a permanent resident of this State, has been in the actual practice of the profession of medicine for

at least one year next preceding to the date hereof, and is registered as licensed by the State Board of Medical Ex-

aminers; that he is neither superintendent, proprietor, an officer, or regular medical attendant of any institution for

the care and treatment of mental illness

(SEAL)

  
Judge of Probate.

Dated December 26th, 1951.

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



State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Dr. Karl A. Walfred

of St. Cloud is a reputable person, a graduate

of University of Minnesota which is an incorporated medical

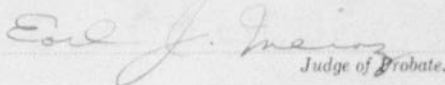
college; that he is a permanent resident of this State, has been in the actual practice of the profession of medicine for

at least one year next preceding to the date hereof, and is registered as licensed by the State Board of Medical Ex-

aminers; that he is neither superintendent, proprietor, an officer, or regular medical attendant of any institution for

the care and treatment of mental illness

(SEAL)

  
Judge of Probate.

Dated December 26th, 19 51.

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

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the

XXXXXXXXXXXX  
 XXXXXXXXXXXX  
 XXXXXXXXXXXX  
 XXXXXXXXXXXX

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

ss.

We Dr. T. N. Fleming

and

Dr. Karl A. Walfred

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 his being mentally ill to the best of our ability.

(Inebriate—Feeble minded—Epileptic)

T. N. Fleming  
 Karl A. Walfred M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26th

day of

December

19 51

Earl J. Fleming

State of Minnesota, }  
 County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
 EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM

In the Matter of the Mental Illness }  
 of Hildegard K. Pikus, }  
 Patient.

Dr. Karl A. Walfred 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

Two mile S. of necessary travel at 15¢ per mile - - \$ .30

TOTAL - - - \$ 10.30

*Karl A. Walfred*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of December, 1951

(Probate Court Seal)

*Eric J. Meyer*  
 Probate Judge ~~XXXXXX~~

State of Minnesota, }  
 County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
 EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM

In the Matter of the Mental Illness }  
 of Hildegard K. Pikus, }  
 Patient.

Dr. T. N. Fleming 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

Two mile ~~a~~ of necessary travel at 15¢ per mile - - \$ .30

TOTAL - - - \$ 10.30

*T. N. Fleming*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of December, 19 51

(Probate Court Seal)

*Earl J. Fleming*  
 Probate Judge ~~FILED~~

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Illness }  
of Hildegard K. Pikus, }

Dr. T. N. Fleming having been duly appointed an examiner in  
St. Cloud 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. T. N. Fleming 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 December 26th, 1951

By the Court,

Earl J. Fleming  
Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Illness }  
of Hildegard K. Pikus, }

IN PROBATE COURT  
EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDER

Dr. Karl A. Walfred having been duly appointed an examiner in  
St. Cloud 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. Karl A. Walfred 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 December 26th, 1951

By the Court,

*Earl J. McIntee*  
Judge of Probate

claim against said County for person to the in said State Trans- }  
Sard K. Pikus } mental illness of }  
Art McIntee }  
es and disbursements by reason of the conveyance of the on being first duly  
Dital as follows: }  
Fergus Falls }  
2 } for 3 }  
persons }  
to St. Cloud, for 2 }  
assistants }  
persons }  
Total }  
ART MCINTEE } \$ 33.30 }  
Sheriff of Stearns County, Minn. }  
Deputy }

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Stearns } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT  
EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Illness }  
of Hildegard K. Pikus, }

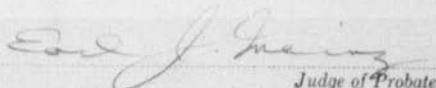
Dr. Karl A. Walfred having been duly appointed an examiner in  
St. Cloud in the above entitled matter by an order of this Court and  
having filed his duly verified claim for fees allowed by law therefor.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered and adjudged that the said

Dr. Karl A. Walfred 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 December 26th, 1951

By the Court,

  
Judge of Probate

## IN PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the mental illness of

Fee Claim -- Officer

Hildegard K. Pikus

Art McIntee

on being first duly sworn says that he has a just and true

claim against said County for services and disbursements by reason of the conveyance of the said mentally ill  
person to the State Hospital at Fergus Falls

in said State, more particular set forth, as follows:

Transportation from St. Cloud, Minn., to Fergus Falls for 3 persons \$ 12.00

Taxi fare at..... \$

Hotel at ..... \$

Lodging and 2 meals for 2 persons . . . . . \$ 1.90

Transportation from Fergus Falls to St. Cloud. for 2 persons \$ 12.00

Reasonable compensation of 2 assistants . . . . . \$ 6.00

Warrant and mileage	14 miles @ .10¢	1.40
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Total . . . \$ 33.30

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

28th day of December, 19 51

ART McINTEE

Sheriff of Stearns County, Minn.

**Judge of Probate**

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

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

}

IN PROBATE COURT  
OFFICER'S FEE ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

Art McIntee

having been duly authorized by this Court to convey

the above named person to the State Hospital and having filed herein his duly verified claim for fees allowed by law therefor.

Now therefore, it is hereby ordered and adjudged that the said

Art McIntee

be and he hereby is allowed

Thirty-three and 30/100- - - - - Dollars (\$ 33.30 ) for his services herein and all disbursements actually and necessarily made for travel and expenses of himself, the patient, and assistants, 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.

By the Court,

  
Judge of Probate.

Dated December 28th, 19 51

**State of Minnesota,**County of Stearns**PROBATE COURT**IN THE MATTER OF THE Mental Illnessof Hildegard K. Pikus,**OFFICER'S FEE ORDER**

B. C. 12 D.

Filed this 28th day of December,

19 51Frank Herzig  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.**State of Minnesota.**

County of

}

I,

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.

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State of Minnesota  
COUNTY OF STEARNS

PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Mental Illness of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

Fee Claim -- Officer

Filed this 28th

day of December, A. D. 1951

Frank Hering  
Clerk ~~Judge~~ Probate

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

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

## EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDER

Filed this 26th day of

December, 19 51

  
 Clerk—~~XXXX~~ of Probate

Clerk—Judge of Probate

State of Minnesota,

County of

ss.

I,

herby 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 hereunto affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, and signed my name this

day of

19

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of the Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

## EXAMINER'S-FEE ORDER

Filed this 26th day of

December, 19 51

*Frank Hennig*  
 Clerk — ~~XXXX~~ of Probate

State of Minnesota,

County of

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 hereunto affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said County, and signed my name this

day of

19

Clerk — Judge of Probate



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

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,  
Patient.

## EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM

Filed this 26th day of

December, 19 51

Frank Veroy  
Probate ~~Clerk~~ Clerk.

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

State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,  
Patient.

## EXAMINER'S FEE CLAIM

Filed this 26th day of

December, 19 51

Frank Hennig  
Probate ~~Clerk~~ Clerk

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

## OATH OF EXAMINERS

In the Matter of the

Mental Illness  
of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

Filed this 26th day of

December, 19 51

*Frank Henry*  
Clerk—~~Judge~~—of Probate

State of Minnesota, )

County of Stearns )

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Illness of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

## CERTIFICATE

Filed this 26th day of

December, 1951

*Frank Verzog*  
Clerk of Probate

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

State of Minnesota, )

County of Stearns )

## PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF

the Mental Illness of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

## CERTIFICATE

Filed this 26th day of

December , 19 51

  
Clerk of Probate

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

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

**State of Minnesota,**

County of Stearns

**IN PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ALLEGED

Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,  
Patient.**Appointment of  
Examiners**Filed in my office this 26th day of  
December, 19 51.*Frank Veroy*  
Clerk—Judge of Probate.

## State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

APPOINTMENT of ATTORNEY  
and FIXING COMPENSATION

In the Matter of the

~~XXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXX~~  
~~XXXXXX~~  
Mental Illness  
ofHildegard K. Pikus,Filed this 26th day ofDecember, 19 51Frank Herzog  
Clerk—~~Judge~~ of Probate.

No.

## State of Minnesota.

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

## Notice to County Attorney

Mental Illness, ~~Sanity, Insanity,~~  
~~Mental Deficiency, Epilepsy~~

In the Matter of { Mental Illness  
~~Sanity, Insanity,~~  
~~Mental Deficiency, Epilepsy~~  
 of

Hildegard K. Pikus

Due service of the within notice is  
 hereby admitted at St. Cloud

Minn., this 26th day ofDecember, 1951

Woodward Gray  
 County Attorney

By

Filed in my office this 26th day of  
December, 1951.

Frank Herzog  
 Clerk—~~Judge~~ of Probate.



## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## PROBATE COURT

## ATTORNEY'S FEE ORDER

In the Matter of the

Mental Illness  
of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

Filed this 26th day of December,

1951.

  
 Clerk—~~DEK~~ of Probate.

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

19\_\_\_\_, and paid by \_\_\_\_\_

Warrant No. \_\_\_\_\_

County Auditor.

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

State of Minnesota.

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

ss.

I,

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

## PROBATE COURT

## Attorney's Fee Claim

In the Matter of the

Mental Illness  
of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

Filed this 26th day of December,

19 51.

  
 Clerk—~~Judge~~ of Probate.

## State of Minnesota,

County of

ss.

I,

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

## PROBATE COURT

In the Matter of

the Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,

ORDER TO APPREHEND AND  
CONFINE

Filed this 26th day of December,

19 51.

*Frank Herzog*

Clerk of Probate.

Form prescribed by State Board of Control,  
pursuant to Code 1935.State of Minnesota }  
County of Stearns } ssI hereby certify and return that by virtue of the within warrant I have  
arrested the within named Defendant Hildegard K. Pikus and have her body  
now in Court. Dated this 26th day of December, 1951

Mileage	\$1.40
Ass't.	3.00
Total	<u>\$4.40</u>

*W. T. MacArthur*  
 Sheriff, Stearns County

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

State of Minnesota, }

County of Stearns }

**IN PROBATE COURT**

IN THE MATTER OF THE

Mental Illness of

Hildegard K. Pikus,

**Warrant of Commitment and  
Superintendent's Receipt**

Voucher No. \_\_\_\_\_

Filed *December 28, 1951**Frank Jensen*  
Clerk of Probate

3563\*

**RECEIPT OF SUPERINTENDENT**

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

Dated this 26

day of December

, 19 51

(Receipt on original copy only.)

*W. F. Patterson*  
Superintendent.

## State of Minnesota,

County of Stearns

## IN PROBATE COURT

## IN THE MATTER OF THE

Mental Illness

of Hildegard K. Pikus,  
PatientORDER 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 26th

day of December, 19 51

Frank Herzog  
Probate Clerk

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

## AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

County of Stearns

Peter Lehr

26th

day of December

upon the patient therein named at Village of Sartell  
handing to and leaving with him personally a true copy thereof.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 26th

day of December, 19 51

CLEONE MCINTEE

Notary Public

being duly sworn, on oath says; that on the  
19 51, he served the foregoing order  
in said county and state by  
Peter Lehr  
Deputy Sheriff

My Comm. Expires Jan. 27, 1956