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Probate Court.
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**IN PROBATE COURT,
FREEBORN COUNTY, MINN.**

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

Washburn Stowell

Attorney for _____

COUNTY COURT
FREEBORN COUNTY, MINNESOTA

PROBATE DIVISION

FILE NO. 326

REGISTER NO. C

- Estate
 Guardianship
 Judicial Commitment

WASHBURN STOWELL

~~()~~ Ward ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

No.

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of *Freeborn*

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

Washington Stowell

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Minor

Petition for Appointment of
Guardian.

Filed the *10th* day of

December A. D. 18*90*

Heman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

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

TO THE PROBATE COURT IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY:

The Petition of H. Pettit
of Manifield County of Freeborn
and State of Minnesota, respectfully shows that your petitioner is a father of
Washington Howell

minor ; that said minor is resident of the County of Freeborn
aforesaid, and is under fourteen years of age; that the age of said minor is as
follows: will be 12 years of January 13, 1902

that said minor is entitled to personal property of \$2 per month as aforesaid is informed
and believed DOLLARS, as your petitioner is
informed and believes; that said minor is also seized of certain real estate, the annual rents
and profits whereof do not exceed the sum of _____

_____ DOLLARS; and that to protect and preserve the legal rights
of said minor it is necessary that some proper person should be appointed guardian of his
person and estate.

Your Petitioner Therefore Prays That you will appoint _____
H. Pettit the guardian of the person and estate of the said
minor until he shall arrive at the age of fourteen years, and until another guardian shall be
appointed.

Dated the 10th day of December A. D. 1901
H. Pettit

State of Minnesota, }
County of Freeborn } ss.

H. Pettit
the person who made the foregoing Petition, being duly sworn, says that the same is true, to
his own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on his information and belief, and
as to those matters that he believes them to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the
10th day of December A. D. 1901
Human Blackman
Judge of Probate.

H. Pettit
Manifield of the Town of _____
County of Freeborn hereby consent to
become the guardian of the above named minor, pursuant to the prayer of the foregoing petition,
and herewith tender my bond as such guardian, as required by law.

Dated the 10th day of December A. D. 1901
H. Pettit

No.

In Probate Court

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of

Washburn Howell

Minor

Order Appointing Guardian.

Filed the *10th* day of
December A. D. *1907*

Recorded in Book *6* of Orders,
on page *309*

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Freeborn. }

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special TERM December 10th 1891

In the Matter of the Guardianship of

Washburn Stowell

Minor

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION OF H. Pettit
of Freeborn County Minn representing that Washburn
Stowell
minor, residing in Freeborn County Minnesota of the age of
12 years and praying that
H. Pettit be appointed guardian of said
minor

AND IT APPEARING That Washburn Stowell
minor, residing in Freeborn County
Minnesota of the age of 12 years
that said minor is not seized of real estate in
the annual rents and profits of which do not exceed the
sum of a pension, as petitioner is informed and believes DOLLARS and 00/100 entitled to
personal property of the value of about DOLLARS;
that to protect and preserve the legal rights of said minor, it is necessary and convenient that a guardian
of the person and estate of said minor be appointed by this Court.

AND IT FURTHER APPEARING That said H. Pettit
is a suitable and proper person to act as such guardian.

IT IS ORDERED, That said H. Pettit be, and he is
hereby appointed guardian of the person and estate of said minor; that before entering upon his
duties as such guardian, he take the oath required by law, and give bond to the Judge of this Court
in the sum of two hundred DOLLARS, with sufficient sureties, to be
approved by said Sudge, conditioned according to law, and that upon the filing and approval of such bond
Letters of Guardianship be to him issued.

By the Court:

Amos Blackman Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

In Probate Court,

County of Fillmore } ss.

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF
Washburn Lowell

The Estate of Washburn Lowell Minor.
To Hudson Pettit Guardian.

	DR.	CR.
Sept 11 th 1906. Brought forward		
Interest	507 15	
	75 08	
	<u>582 23</u>	
		For personal services for procuring pension
		Loaning money and time spent for 1901 25 00.

[Faint, illegible handwritten notes or signatures]

State of Minnesota,

County of Fulton } ss. Hudson Pettit

Guardian of the within named minor, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing is a just and true account of his guardianship, and of the amount of property received by him and remaining in his hands, or invested by him on account of the said minor, and of the nature of such investment, and also the expenditures on account of said minor and his estate.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September A. D. 1906
Amman Blackum
Judge of Probate } Hudson Pettit

To the Judge of the Probate Court of said Fulton County:

The petition of Hudson Pettit Guardian of Washington Stewart

minor his duly appointed by said Court, respectfully represents that your petitioner herewith presents his account as such Guardian of said minor, and prays that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing said account, and that notice thereof be given, agreeably to the statute in such case made and provided, and as this Court in its discretion may deem proper.

Dated Sept 17 1906 Hudson Pettit

No.....

In Probate Court,

County of.....

In the Matter of the Guardianship of

Washington Stewart

Minor.

Account of Guardian and Petition

for Settlement.

Filed this 17th day of

Sept 1906
Amman Blackum
Judge of Probate.

In Probate Court,

**Steele County,
Minnesota.**

IN THE MATTER OF THE
Guardianship of the
Estate of
Washington Stowell
a minor

Certified Copy

Filed this *17th* day of

Sept A. D. 190*6*

Amos Blackman

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
COUNTY OF STEELE, } SS.

I, Eugene Rice, Probate Judge of said County, do hereby certify

that the copy hereto annexed has been compared by me with the original letters of
guardianship of the estate of Washburn
Stowell - a minor.

now on file and of record in my office, and required by law to be in my custody, and that said copy is a
true copy thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Probate Court of said
County, at Owatonna, in said county, this 10th day of September

A. D., 1906

Eugene Rice

Judge of Probate.

IN PROBATE COURT

Steele County, Minnesota.

Letters of Guardianship

TO

GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON AND ESTATE OF

Minor

*I hereby certify that the within
Letters were issued on the-----
day of-----A. D. 190---
and recorded in Book-----of
Letters, at page-----*

Judge of Probate.

By.....

State of Minnesota,

County of Steele.

} 88.

In Probate Court.

Special Term, September 10th 1906

Nans J. Jager is hereby appointed guardian of the person and Estate of Washburn Stowell a minor.

Witness: Eugene Rice

Judge of the Probate Court of the County of Steele

and the seal of the Court affixed, the 10th

day of September A. D. 1906

Seal

By the Court:

Eugene Rice Judge of Probate.

Steele County, Minnesota.

State of Minnesota,

In Probate Court,

County of Green

ss.

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

Washburn Lowell

Minor.

The Estate of Washburn Lowell Minor,
To Andrew Pettit Guardian.

DR.

CR.

Sept 1904	387 15
Revision to Nov 1905	120 00
	507 15

State of Minnesota,

County of Freeborn

} ss.

Hudson Pettit

Guardian of the within named minor, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing is a just and true account of his guardianship, and of the amount of property received by him and remaining in his hands, or invested by him on account of the said minor, and of the nature of such investment, and also the expenditures on account of said minor and his estate.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st

day of November A. D. 1905

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate

Hudson Pettit

To the Judge of the Probate Court of said Freeborn County:

The petition of

Hudson Pettit

Guardian of

Washburn Lowell

minor, duly appointed by said Court, respectfully represents that your petitioner herewith presents his account as such Guardian of said minor, and prays that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing said account, and that notice thereof be given, agreeably to the statute in such case made and provided, and as this Court in its discretion may deem proper.

Dated November 1st 1905

Hudson Pettit

No.

In Probate Court,

County of Freeborn

In the Matter of the Guardianship of

Washburn Lowell

Minor.

Account of Guardian and Petition
for Settlement.

Filed this 1st day of

November 1905

Amos Blackman

Judge of Probate.

Know All Men by These Presents :

That we, Hudson Pettit as principal,

and E J Pratt ^{sureties} or Walker

are held and firmly bound unto Amos Blackman Judge of Probate

of the County of Freeborn, Minnesota, in the sum of Seven Hundred ^{additional Bond} _____ DOLLARS,

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

Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals this 5th day of July A. D. 1904

THE CONDITION Of this obligation is such, that if the above bounden Hudson Pettit shall, and will faithfully, in all things, execute the duties of his trust as guardian of Washburn Stowell

minor, according to law; and shall make a true inventory of all the estate, real and personal, of his said ward that shall come to his possession or knowledge, and shall return the same into the Probate Court of the proper County, within three months; and shall dispose of and manage all such estate according to law, and for the best interest of his said ward; and shall faithfully discharge his trust in relation thereto, and also in relation to the custody, education and maintenance of his said ward; and shall render an account on oath of the property, estate and moneys of his ward in his hands, and all proceeds of interest derived therefrom, and of the management and disposition of the same, within one year after his appointment as such guardian, and at such other times as the Probate Court shall direct; and shall, at the expiration of his trust, settle his account with the Probate Court, and pay over and deliver all the estate, monies and effects remaining in his hands, or due from him on such settlement, to the person or persons who shall be lawfully entitled thereto, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of Clear Subby or E. Stacy Hudson Pettit [SEAL] E. J. Pratt [SEAL] D. E. Naesh [SEAL]

2. 2. 1904

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

BE IT KNOWN, That on this 5th day of July
A. D. 1904, personally appeared before me Hudson Pettit & J. Pettit
and D. E. Walker

to me well known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Bond, and they severally
acknowledged the same to be their own free act and deed, and that they executed the same for the uses
and purposes herein expressed.

O. K. Stacey
City Justice
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

J. Pettit and D. E. Walker
being duly sworn, each for himself, deposes and says that he is a freeholder and resident of the State of
Minnesota, and is worth the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars

over and above all just debts, liabilities and responsibilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from
execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
5th day of July

A. D. 1904
O. K. Stacey
City Justice
Judge of Probate.

x E. P. Pettit
x D. E. Walker

I do hereby approve the within Bond.

Dated the 5th day of July 1904
Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No. 326

In Probate Court,
Freeborn County.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of
Hudson Pettit

Additional
Guardian's Bond.

Filed and approved this 6th
day of July A. D. 1904
Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

I hereby certify, that the within
Bond was duly recorded this 7th
day of July A. D. 1904
in Book 2 of Bonds, page
112 of Probate Records.
Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court

County of Freeborn.

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

TO
A. Pettit

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, }

In Probate Court.

*I hereby certify that the within
Letters of Guardianship were duly
recorded this 28th day of*

Jan A. D. 190*2*, in
Book No. *16*, Pages *4*

*of Letters of Guardianship in this
Court.*

Amman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.

THE PROBATE COURT OF FREEBORN COUNTY

To *H. Pettit*

Greeting:

WHEREAS, As application in due form of law has been made to the Probate Court, to have you, the said *H. Pettit* appointed the guardian of the person and estate of *Washburn Stowell*, a minor, residing in *Freeborn Co Minn* of the age of *12* years; AND WHEREAS, you have agreed and consented to become such Guardian, and have duly executed and delivered a bond, pursuant to law, conditioned for the faithful performance of your duties as such Guardian; and the Court being satisfied of the sufficiency of such bond, and that you are a good and reputable person, and are in every respect competent to have the custody of the person and estate of said minor, does by these presents, allow, constitute and appoint you, the said *Washburn Stowell* the Guardian of the person and estate of said minor during *his* minority, with full power to demand, sue for and take possession of all moneys and estate belonging to said minor, hereby requiring you, the said Guardian, to safely keep the real and personal estate of said minor, which shall hereafter come to your custody, and not suffer any waste, sale or destruction of the same, but to keep up and sustain *his* lands, tenements and hereditaments, by and with the rents, issues and profits thereof, or with such other moneys belonging to *him* as shall come to your possession, and to deliver the same to *him* when *he* becomes of age, or such other Guardian as may be hereafter appointed, in as good order and condition as you received the same; and also to render a just and true account of all moneys and property secured by you, and the application thereof, and of your Guardianship in all respects, to any Court having cognizance thereof, when thereunto required, and in general to do all acts which appertain to you in said capacity, and as the law shall charge you.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed the seal of said Court,

and subscribed my name, at *Albert Lea*
this *26th* day of *December* A. D. 190*1*

Herman Blackma

Judge of Probate.

Know All Men by These Presents :

That we, H. Pettit as principal,

and * Jo. W. Pettit and E. J. Pettit as sureties,

are held and firmly bound unto Human Blackman Judge of Probate of the County of Freeborn, Minnesota, in the sum of Two Hundred DOLLARS,

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

Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals this 20th day of December A. D. 190 1

THE CONDITION Of this obligation is such, that if the above bounden H. Pettit shall, and will faithfully, in all things, execute the duties of his trust as guardian of Washburn Stowell,

minor, according to law; and shall make a true inventory of all the estate, real and personal, of his said ward that shall come to his possession or knowledge, and shall return the same into the Probate Court of the proper County, within three months; and shall dispose of and manage all such estate according to law, and for the best interest of his said ward; and shall faithfully discharge his trust in relation thereto, and also in relation to the custody, education and maintenance of his said ward; and shall render an account on oath of the property, estate and moneys of his ward in his hands, and all proceeds or interest derived therefrom, and of the management and disposition of the same, within one year after his appointment as such guardian, and at such other times as the Probate Court shall direct; and shall, at the expiration of his trust, settle his account with the Probate Court, and pay over and deliver all the estate, monies and effects remaining in his hands, or due from him on such settlement, to the person or persons who shall be lawfully entitled thereto, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

A. S. Hammond
Robert J. Dwyer

H. Pettit [SEAL]
J. W. Pettit [SEAL]
E. J. Pettit [SEAL]
H. S. B. Pettit [SEAL]

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

BE IT KNOWN, That on this 20th day of December

A. D. 1901, personally appeared before me,

~~H. J. Q. M. & J. J. Q. M.~~ *H. M. Pettit and J. J. Q. M.*

to me well known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Bond, and they severally acknowledged the same to be their own free act and deed, and that they executed the same for the uses and purposes herein expressed.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

H. M. Pettit

H. M. Pettit
Clerk of the Court of Probate.
Minn. Co. Minn.

~~H. J. Q. M. & J. J. Q. M.~~ *H. M. Pettit and J. J. Q. M.*

being duly sworn, each for himself, deposes and says that he is a freeholder and resident of the State of Minnesota, and is worth the sum of Two hundred Dollars over and above all just debts, liabilities and responsibilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

20th day of December

H. M. Pettit
~~H. J. Q. M. & J. J. Q. M.~~

A. D. 1901

H. M. Pettit
Clerk of the Court of Probate.
Minn. Co. Minn.

H. M. Pettit

I do hereby approve the within Bond.

Dated the 26th day of December 1901

Herman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.....

In Probate Court,
Freeborn County.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of
Washington Lowell

Guardian's Bond.

Filed and approved this 26th
day of December A. D. 1901
Herman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

I hereby certify, that the within

Bond was duly recorded this 28th
day of Jan A. D. 1902

in Book "D" of Bonds, page
23 of Probate Records.

Herman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the matter of the Guardianship of

Washington Howell

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Minor

Oath of Guardian

Filed this *10th* day of

December A. D. 190*1*

Heman Blackmer

Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn. }ss.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, Dec 10th 1901

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

Washburn Stowell

Minor

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, }ss.

I, H. Pettit

of the County of Freeborn,

State of Minnesota, appointed by the Probate Court of said County the guardian of

Washburn Stowell

Minor

do solemnly swear that I will fully perform all the duties of such guardian according to law. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

10th

H. Pettit

Guardian of

day of

December

A. D. 1901

Human Blackmer

Judge of Probate.

Minor

Alden Minn
Sept 25 - 1906

Mr. Blackmer
Albert-Leahmin

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find
receipt received from Mr. Payer
for money sent him

Yours truly
H. Pettit

Alden
Minn

Owatonna, Minn. Sept. 24, 1906

Received from H. Pettit

Five hundred & fifty-seven and $\frac{23}{100}$ Dollars

estate of Washburn Stowell

\$ 557.23

H. J. Jager, guardian

COUNTY COURT
FREEBORN COUNTY, MINNESOTA

PROBATE DIVISION

File # C-327
Christianson, Hans see file 643

FILE NO. 327

REGISTER NO. C

SEE FILE # 643

- Estate
 Guardianship
 Judicial Commitment

HANS CHRISTIANSON

(Decedent, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~)

IN PROBATE COURT,
FREEBORN COUNTY, MINN.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller

Attorney for

COUNTY COURT
FREEBORN COUNTY, MINNESOTA

PROBATE DIVISION

FILE NO. 328

REGISTER NO. C

- Estate
 Guardianship
 Judicial Commitment

STEPHEN FULLER

(Decedent, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~)

No.....

In Probate Court,

County of Freeborn

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

Petition of Executor Presenting Will for
Probate.

Filed the 31st day of Dec

1880
Leiman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

In Probate Court,

County of Fulton } ss.

In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

To the Judge of Probate in and for said County:

The Petition of Wilbur Fisk of Fulton

in the County of Fulton and State of Minnesota, respectfully represents that Stephen Fuller

late of Fulton in the County of Fulton and State of Minnesota, died Wednesday the 25th day of December A. D. 1887, at Albert Lea testate, as petitioner believes; that the instrument in writing herewith

presented to this Court, is the Last Will and Testament of said deceased as petitioner believes; and that your petitioner is the identical Wilbur Fisk

named and appointed in and by said Last Will and Testament as Executor thereof; that the heirs at law of said deceased are Milton P. Fuller, and Lavinia Fuller

and Myrtle Fuller grand children, Howard G. Fuller son, Winnifred Fuller widow of Henry Fuller deceased, Curis L. Fuller son, Alvin S. Fuller a son, Lyle W. Scoville grand son, Elsie M. Scoville, Mrs Luella L. Whitman daughter, Stephen W. Fuller son, Mrs Elizabeth Fuller wife of deceased, Congregational Church \$100.

Your petitioner would further represent, that the goods, chattels and personal estate of said deceased amount to about four thousand Dollars; and that the said deceased left debts due and unpaid to the probable amount of unknown Dollars.

Your petitioner would pray that a day be appointed for hearing the proofs of said Last Will and Testament, and that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested, as this Court shall direct; and that upon the proof and allowance of said Will, and the approval of the bond of your petitioner letters testamentary be to him issued thereon, and Appraisers appointed according to the rules and practice of this Court.

Dated at Albert Lea this 31st day of December A. D. 1887

Wilbur Fisk

State of Minnesota,

County of Fulton } ss.

On this 31st day of December A. D. 1887, personally appeared before me Wilbur Fisk the Petitioner named in the foregoing Petition, who being duly sworn, did depose and say that he has read the foregoing petition by him subscribed, and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, excepting as to matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters, he believes it to be true.

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate

Stephen Fuller

Filed this 24.....day of
Jan.....A. D. 1902
HEMAN BLACKMER,
Judge of Probate.

Affidavit of Publication.

State of Minnesota,

County of Freeborn.

} ss.

M. Halvorsen
came before me personally, and being duly sworn, on oath says, that the annexed printed copy of
Order for Hearing Proof of Will
was taken from The Albert Lea Enterprise, a weekly newspaper, which during the whole time of
the publication of said Order

therein was, and for more than one year
immediately prior thereto has been, printed and published and generally circulated in the English
language in the City of Albert Lea and County of Freeborn, in said State, in which it is
dated on Wednesday of each week, and was so printed, published and regularly delivered at each
publication to more than 240 paid subscribers in said County for more than one year preceding the
date of the first publication of said Order

That during all of said time and the time of the publication herein referred to, said newspaper was a
collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, said matter consisting of general and local
news, comments and miscellaneous literary items, and was printed on Wednesday of
each week at an established office and known place of business, equipped with the necessary ma-
terials and skilled workmen for preparing and printing the same, and consisted of the equivalent
in space of four pages or more, of five columns or more to each page, each column not less than
seventeen and three-quarters inches long, and was not a duplicate of any other newspaper, nor
made up wholly of patents or plates, patents and advertisements, nor either of them; and was a
legal newspaper as the same is defined in Chapter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1893, as
amended by Chapter 121 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, and as amended by Chapter
285 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1897. That the publishers of said newspaper have filed
with the County Auditor of said County an affidavit setting out the facts above stated, which con-
stitute said newspaper a legal newspaper for the publication of legal notices as required by Chap-

ter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1893. That said Order

was duly printed and published in said newspaper in the English language, once in
each week for three successive weeks on Wednesday of each
week, commencing on the 8th day of January
1902 on which day it was first published, and then on the 15th day of
January, 1902 and ending on the 22d day of January
1902 on which day last mentioned it was last published; upon which days of publication
aforesaid said newspaper was regularly printed and published; and that during the whole time of
said publication deponent was one of the printers and publishers of said newspaper.

M. Halvorsen
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day
of January 1902
O. B. Kella Notary Public,
Freeborn County, Minn.

Order for Hearing Proof of Will.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Freeborn.
In Probate court, Special Term, Decem-
ber 31st, 1901.
In the matter of the estate of Stephen Fuller,
deceased.
Whereas, An instrument in writing, purport-
ing to be the last Will and Testament of Stephen
Fuller, deceased, late of said County, has
been presented to this Court;
And whereas, Wilbur Fisk has filed
therewith his petition, representing among
other things, that said Stephen Fuller died in
said County on the 25th day of December, 1901,
testate and that said petitioner is the sole execu-
tor named in said last Will and Testament, and
praying that the said instrument may be ad-
mitted to probate, and that letters testamentary
be to him issued thereon.
It is ordered, That the proofs of said instru-
ment and the said petition, be heard before
this Court at the Probate office in said County,
on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock
in the forenoon, when all persons interested
may appear for or contest the probate of said
instrument.
And it is further ordered, That notice of the
time and place of said hearing be given to all per-
sons interested, by publishing this order once
in each week for three successive weeks prior
to said day of hearing, in the Albert Lea Enter-
prise, a weekly newspaper printed and pub-
lished at Albert Lea in said county.
Dated at Albert Lea the 31st day of Decem-
ber, 1901. By the Court,
(L. S.) HEMAN BLACKMER,
Jan. 8, 15, 22, '02. Judge of Probate.

Affidavit of Publication.

State of Minnesota,

County of Freeborn.

ss.

Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Freeborn, ss.—In Probate court, Special Term, December 31st, 1901.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen Fuller, deceased.

Whereas, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Stephen Fuller, deceased, late of said County, has been delivered to this Court;

And whereas, Wilbur Fisk has filed therewith his petition, representing among other things, that said Stephen Fuller died in said County on the 25th day of December, 1901, testate and that said petitioner is the sole executor named in said last Will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be to him issued thereon;

It is ordered, That the proofs of said instrument, and the said petition, be heard before this Court at the Probate office in said County, on the 28th day of January, A.D. 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument.

And it is further ordered, That notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Albert Lea Enterprise, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Albert Lea in said county.

Dated at Albert Lea the 31st day of December, 1901. By the Court. (L. S.) HEMAN BLACKMER, Judge of Probate.

M. Halverson came before me personally, and being duly sworn, on oath says, that the annexed

Order for Hearing Proof of Will was taken from The Albert Lea Enterprise, a weekly newspaper, which during

the publication of said Order

therein was, and for immediately prior thereto has been, printed and published and generally circulated in the City of Albert Lea and County of Freeborn, in said County, on Wednesday of each week, and was so printed, published and regularly published to more than 240 paid subscribers in said County for more than one

date of the first publication of said Order

That during all of said time and the time of the publication herein referred to, said collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, said matter consisting of news, comments and miscellaneous literary items, and was printed or published each week at an established office and known place of business, equipped with typesetters and skilled workmen for preparing and printing the same, and consisted of in space of four pages or more, of five columns or more to each page, each column seventeen and three-quarters inches long, and was not a duplicate of any other publication made up wholly of patents or plates, patents and advertisements, nor either of the legal newspaper as the same is defined in Chapter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota amended by Chapter 121 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, and as amended by Chapter 285 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1897. That the publishers of said newspaper with the County Auditor of said County an affidavit setting out the facts above stated to constitute said newspaper a legal newspaper for the publication of legal notices as required by Chapter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1893. That said

Order

was duly printed and published in said newspaper in the English language

each week for three successive weeks on Wednesday

week, commencing on the 8th day of January

1902 on which day it was first published, and then on the 15th day of

January, 1902 and ending on the 22nd day of January

1902 on which day last mentioned it was last published; upon which days aforesaid said newspaper was regularly printed and published; and that during the said publication deponent was one of the printers and publishers of said newspaper

M. Halverson
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th

of January 1902

C. B. Kella Notary Public

Stephen Fuller

Filed this *1* ^{at} day of
March A. D. 190*2*
HEMAN BLACKMER,
Judge of Probate.

Affidavit of Publication.

State of Minnesota,

County of Freeborn.

} ss.

M. Halvorsen
came before me personally, and being duly sworn, on oath says, that the annexed printed copy of
Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.
was taken from The Albert Lea Enterprise, a weekly newspaper, which during the whole time of
the publication of said Order

therein was, and for more than one year
immediately prior thereto has been, printed and published and generally circulated in the English
language in the City of Albert Lea and County of Freeborn, in said State, in which it is
dated on Wednesday of each week, and was so printed, published and regularly delivered at each
publication to more than 240 paid subscribers in said County for more than one year preceding the

date of the first publication of said Order

That during all of said time and the time of the publication herein referred to, said newspaper was a
collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, said matter consisting of general and local
news, comments and miscellaneous literary items, and was printed on Wednesday of
each week at an established office and known place of business, equipped with the necessary ma-
terials and skilled workmen for preparing and printing the same, and consisted of the equivalent
in space of four pages or more, of five columns or more to each page, each column not less than
seventeen and three-quarters inches long, and was not a duplicate of any other newspaper, nor
made up wholly of patents or plates, patents and advertisements, nor either of them; and was a
legal newspaper as the same is defined in Chapter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1893, as
amended by Chapter 121 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, and as amended by Chapter
285 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1897. That the publishers of said newspaper have filed
with the County Auditor of said County an affidavit setting out the facts above stated, which con-
stitute said newspaper a legal newspaper for the publication of legal notices as required by Chap-

ter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1893. That said

Order

was duly printed and published in said newspaper in the English language, once in
each week for three successive weeks on Wednesday of each
week, commencing on the 12th day of February

1902 on which day it was first published, and then on the 19th day of
February, 1902 and ending on the 26th day of February

1902 on which day last mentioned it was last published; upon which days of publication
aforesaid said newspaper was regularly printed and published; and that during the whole time of
said publication deponent was one of the printers and publishers of said newspaper.

M. Halvorsen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this First day
of March 1902

A. B. Kelley Notary Public,
Freeborn County, Minn.

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Freeborn,
In Probate Court, Special Term, Febru-
ary 4th, 1902.
In the matter of the estate of Stephen Fuller,
deceased.
Letters of testamentary on the estate of
Stephen Fuller, deceased, late of the County
of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, being
granted to Wilber Fisk.
It is ordered, That six months be and the
same is hereby allowed from and after the date
of this order in which all persons having claims
or demands against the said deceased are re-
quired to file the same in the Probate Court of
said County, for examination and allowance,
or be forever barred.
It is further ordered, That the 11th day of
August, 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M., at a special
term of said Probate Court to be held at the
Probate Office in the Court House in the city of
Albert Lea in said county, be and the same
hereby is appointed as the time and place when
and where the said Probate Court will examine
and adjust said claims and demands.
And it is further ordered, that notice of such
hearing be given to all creditors and persons
interested in said estate by forthwith publish-
ing this order once in each week, for three suc-
cessive weeks in the Albert Lea Enterprise, a
weekly newspaper printed and published in
said county.
Dated at Albert Lea this 4th day of Febru-
ary, A. D. 1902. By the Court:
(L. S.) HEMAN BLACKMER,
Feb. 12-19-26. Judge of Probate

Affidavit of Publication.

State of Minnesota,

County of Freeborn.

} ss.

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Freeborn, ss—In Probate Court, Special Term, February 4th, 1902.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen Fuller, deceased.

Letters of testamentary on the estate of Stephen Fuller, deceased, late of the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, being granted to Wilber Fisk.

It is ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, That the 11th day of August, 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M., at a special term of said Probate Court to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the city of Albert Lea in said county, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Albert Lea Enterprise, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Albert Lea this 4th day of February, A. D. 1902. By the Court: (L. S.) HEMAN BLACKMER, Judge of Probate

M. Halvorsen
came before me personally, and being duly sworn, on oath says, that the annexed Order for Hearing on Claims was taken from The Albert Lea Enterprise, a weekly newspaper, which during the publication of said Order

therein was, and for immediately prior thereto has been, printed and published and generally circulated in the City of Albert Lea and County of Freeborn, in said County, on Wednesday of each week, and was so printed, published and regularly published to more than 240 paid subscribers in said County for more than one date of the first publication of said Order

That during all of said time and the time of the publication herein referred to, said collection of reading matter in columns and sheet form, said matter consisting of news, comments and miscellaneous literary items, and was printed each week at an established office and known place of business, equipped with materials and skilled workmen for preparing and printing the same, and consisted in space of four pages or more, of five columns or more to each page, each column seventeen and three-quarters inches long, and was not a duplicate of any other made up wholly of patents or plates, patents and advertisements, nor either of legal newspaper as the same is defined in Chapter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota amended by Chapter 121 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1895, and as amended 285 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1897. That the publishers of said newspaper with the County Auditor of said County an affidavit setting out the facts above stated substitute said newspaper a legal newspaper for the publication of legal notices as

Chapter 33 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1893. That said Order

was duly printed and published in said newspaper in the English language each week for three successive weeks on Wednesday week, commencing on the 12th day of February 1902 on which day it was first published, and then on the 19th February, 1902 and ending on the 26th day of February 1902 on which day last mentioned it was last published; upon which day aforesaid said newspaper was regularly printed and published; and that during the said publication deponent was one of the printers and publishers of said newspaper

M. Halvorsen
Subscribed and sworn to before me this Ten of March 1902
B. Kella
Freeborn

No.

In Probate Court,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the matter of the estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Petition for Setting Apart Home-
stead and Personal Property.

Filed this *28th* day of

March A. D. 190*2*

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

IN PROBATE COURT.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

To the Probate Court in and for said County:

THE PETITION of Elizabeth Fuller of the Town of Fullon in the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, respectfully shows:

That your petitioner is the surviving wife of the above named Stephen Fuller deceased.

That the names and ages of the children of said deceased, surviving him are as follows:

That the said deceased, at the time of his death was the owner of a homestead, and that such homestead consists of the following described real estate, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, viz.: That tract or parcel of land situate and being in the of in the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, described as follows:

That your petitioner claims that said real estate, with its appurtenances, shall be set apart and descend to your petitioner as the homestead of said deceased, by virtue of her right to the same as the surviving wife of said deceased.

That the following is a description of the personal property of said deceased, which is desired to be selected by your petitioner, and the value thereof, according to the appraisements, viz.:

1. FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS:

Description

VALUE.

75 00

2. WEARING APPAREL AND ORNAMENTS:

3. STOCK IN BANKS AND OTHER CORPORATIONS:

Description

4. MORTGAGES, BONDS, NOTES and OTHER WRITTEN EVIDENCE OF DEBT:

Description

5. OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY:

Description

One Cow
One Buggy
Leash

VALUE.

● Cts.

25 00

15 00

1400 00

1540 01

YOUR PETITIONER THEREFORE PRAYS That an order be made by this Court setting apart the real estate herein above described, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, to your petitioner, as the homestead of said deceased, which has descended to your petitioner during the term of her natural life; remainder to the said children of said deceased, viz:

YOUR PETITIONER THEREFORE PRAYS That an order be made by this Court setting apart the real estate herein above described, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, to your petitioner, as the homestead of said deceased, which has descended to your petitioner during the term of her natural life; remainder to the said children of said deceased, viz:

YOUR PETITIONER ALSO PRAYS That this Court allow the selection of the personal property herein above described to your petitioner.

Dated the 28th day of March A. D. 1902

Elizabeth M. Fuller

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
COUNTY OF FREEBORN. } ss.

The person who made the foregoing petition, being duly sworn, says that the same is true to her own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on her information and belief, and as to those matters that she believes them to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

28th day of }
March A. D. 1902 }

Elizabeth M. Fuller

Heman Blackman Judge of Probate.

Stephen Fuller's Estate

Cash Account

	Paid out	Rec'd in
Three promissory notes of Wilbur Fisk \$200, \$250, \$250.		700.00
Interest on above notes		42.50
Feb. 3 rd 1902 Received of A. D. Seovill on note		41.18
" 8 " Received of F M Snyder in payment of note		78.05
" 13 " Paid Personal Property taxes	21.31	
April 1 " Paid F M Snyder butter bill	21.08	
" 11 " Paid Mrs Lizzie M. Fuller by order of Court as her share of personal property amounting to \$500.00 one cow valued at \$25. one Buggy \$15. Cash	460.00	
June 1902 Received of Samuel J Fuller principal of note		300.00
" " Interest on above note		18.50
July 25 " Interest on Nolan's note		60.00
" " " Paid Mrs. Fuller for living expenses six months at \$15. per month, from Feb 3 rd to Aug 3	90.00	
Aug 9 1902 J. L. Gibson's note principal and interest		208.30
" 12 Paid back to Mrs Fuller money advanced for funeral expenses	55.00	
Aug 12 1902 Paid Mrs Fuller one mo. liv. expenses from Aug 3 to Sep 3	15.00	
" " " Paid Mr Halvorsen for printing notices	15.00	
" " " Paid Rev. H. Fisk Mr. Fuller's subscription to his ser.	15.00	
" " " Paid H. Fisk for 3 cords poplar wood \$35.00 per cord	10.50	
" " " Paid myself for services as administrator	11.50	
" 15 " Rec'd of Mrs. Fuller money dep. in bank belonging to estate		300.00
Sep 4 " Paid Mrs. Fuller's note given her by her husband	63.00	
	777.39	1749.03
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Balance in Hand	Cash	971.64
Nolan's note with discount of 2 per cent		995.00
Alvin Fuller's note with interest		430.75
Amount of Dr Head's note No. 1		312.60

Amount of Dr Heads note, No 2	210.00
Amount of Marion Devell's note	59.91
Amount of John Luther's note	80.45
" " A D Devell's note	<u>136.50</u>
Total to pay Requests	3196.25

Amounts willed.	Amts each one gets
Mrs Lizzie M. Fuller \$ 600	\$ 532.708
Cyrus " 400	355.13
Alvin " 500	443.92
Stephen " 500.	443.92
Mrs. Luella (Fuller) Whitman 500	443.92
Lyle Scovill 450	399.53
Elsie " 50	44.39
Mrs. Winnifred Fuller 200	177.57
Milton P. " 100	88.78
Ladie " 100	88.78
Myretta " 100	88.78
Congregational Ch. 100	88.78
Total 3600)	3196.25 (8878

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 3196.25 \\
 \underline{288} \\
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At a Probate Court, held at the office of the Judge of Probate in Albert Lea, Minnesota, in and for the County of Freeborn on the 11th day of Sept A. D. 1902

Present, Herman Blackmun Judge of Probate.

PROBATE COURT, FREEBORN COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Settlement of the Final Account of Wilbur Fisk Executor of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

The Judge of Probate of the County of Freeborn makes and records this summary statement of the account of Wilbur Fisk Executor of deceased, as finally allowed and settled by the said Probate Court.

THE DEBIT SIDE OF SAID ACCOUNT.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Whole amount of Inventory (\$3764.56), The increase of said Inventory (\$115.00), and a total of \$3879.56.

THE CREDIT.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Expenses of Administration (\$22.50), Expenses the last sickness, Funeral expenses (\$55.00), Amount paid widow and minor children by order of court (\$606.00), The debts of testate (\$203.83), Taxes Paid here (\$21.81), and a total of \$3879.56.

PROBATE COURT, FREEBORN COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Settlement of the Final Account of Wilbur Fisk Executor of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

On this 11th day of Sept 1902 at the office of Judge of Probate for the said County, the citation issued by the said Judge of Probate on the petition of Wilbur Fisk - Executor deceased, being returned duly served, publication and the said Executor appearing in proper person.

Whereupon the said Probate Court proceeded to examine the said.....
.....upon oath, and the inventory of the estate which
was produced before the said court, and the vouchers and accounts of the said.....

And it appearing that the said Exeutor
.....has accounted for every part of the said estate, and that no profit has
been made by him of any increase in the inventory, and the accounts of the said Exeutor
.....having been finally settled and adjusted, and a summary statement of the same as
finally settled, allowed and adjusted by this court having been above and herewith recorded: On motion
of Exeutor..... Ordered, that the said accounts be and the same are
finally settled and allowed as filed and adjusted in and by this court.

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

Order Allowing Final Account.

Recorded in Book 11
of Order in page
152.

Filed this 11th day
of September 1902.

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Certificate of Proof of Will.

Filed this *28th* day of

January A. D. 190*2*

and recorded in Book *A* of

Wills on page *496 + 498*

Amos Blackman

Judge of Probate.

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE.

State of Minnesota,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

}
SS.
}

IN PROBATE COURT,

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Be It Remembered,

That on the day of the date hereof, at a *Special*

Term of said Probate Court, pursuant to notice duly given, the Last Will and Testament of

Stephen Fuller

late of said County of Freeborn deceased, bearing

date the *1st* day of *June* 190*1*, and being the annexed written instrument, was duly proved before the Probate Court in and for the County of Freeborn

aforsaid; and was duly allowed and admitted to probate by said Court, according to law, as and for the

Last Will and Testament of said *Stephen Fuller*

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 the said Court at Al-

bert Lea in said County, this *28th* day of *Jan*

A. D. 190*2*

Heenan Blackmun

Judge of Probate.

Stephen Fuller Will

Recorded in Book "A"
page 496 -

I Stephen Fuller of Freeborn Freeborn Co Minn.
by occupation a farmer make this my last will
and testament. I give and bequeath my estate
as follows: To Milton P., Sadie and Myrtelle
Fuller children of Howard J Fuller, my oldest son
I give One Hundred Dollars (\$100.-) each. I give
to Winnifred Fuller widow of Henry C. Fuller, my
second son, Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.-). To my
next son Cyrus L Fuller I give Four Hundred Dol-
lars (\$400.-), To my son Alvin S. Fuller Five
Hundred Dollars (\$500.-) To my grandson Lyle W.
Scovill son of Sophronia J Fuller, my daughter, deceased
Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$450.-) To Elsie
M. Scoville Fifty Dollars \$50.-, To my daughter
Mrs Luella G Whitman I give Five Hundred Dollars
(\$500.-) To Stephen W. Fuller Five Hundred Dollars
(\$500.-) I give to my wife Six Hundred Dollars
(\$600.-) with the homestead on the village of Free-
born consisting of house and barn and nine acres
of land and also the household furniture whatever
there may be. I also give to the Congregational
Church of Freeborn One Hundred Dollars for the
purpose of placing new seats in the church pro-
viding a like amount is raised by the church for
the same purpose

If any property should be more or
less than the above amounts aggregate. I desire that
each one's share shall be increased or diminished
pro rate according as there shall be more or less
in the sum total than the amounts herein named.
It is my desire that Rev. Wilbur Fisk shall act as
executor of this will.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed
and sealed this instrument and declared the
same to be my last will and testament. Done at
Freeborn on this 1st day of June 1901

Stephen Fuller

At Freeborn on this 1st day of June 1901
the above named Stephen Fuller signed and sealed
this instrument and declared the same to be the same
and for his last will; and we in his presence
and in presence of each other have hereunto sub-
scribed our names as witnesses.

L J Scott
A. E. Gilmore
Wilbur Fisk

No.....

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Stephen Buller
Deceased.

Order Limiting Time for
Settlement of Estate.

Filed this *4th* day of
February A. D., 190 *2*
Recorded in Book *9* of Orders,
on page *322*
Harman Blackmun
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

SS.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, Feb 4th 1902

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Stephen Fuller Deceased.

LETTERS Testamentary on said
estate being this day duly granted

unto Wilbur Fisk of said county;

IT IS ORDERED, And by virtue and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided,

this Court does hereby order, that the said Wilbur Fisk be,

and he is hereby allowed 12 months from and after the date hereof,

for the settlement of the estate, and no longer, unless the time above limited shall be extended by order of this Court for cause shown.

Dated at Albert Lea, Minnesota, the 4th day of

February A. D. 1902

By the Court,

Herman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.....

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Order for Hearing on Claims

Filed this *4th* day of

February A. D. 1902

Recorded in Book *13* of

Orders, on page *56*

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

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

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special TERM, February 4th 1902

In The Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller }
Deceased. }

LETTERS of Testamatory on the estate
of Stephen Fuller deceased, late of the County
of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, being granted
to Wilbur Fisk

IT IS ORDERED, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the 11th day of August 1902,

at 10 o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate office in the Court House in the city of Albert Lea in said County, be and the same hereby

appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Albert Lea Enterprise a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Albert Lea this 4th day of February A. D. 1902

By the Court:

Herman Blackmun
Judge of Probate.

No.....

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

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

**Order for Appointment
of Appraisers.**

Filed this *4th* day of

February A. D. 190*2*

Recorded in Book *13* of

Orders, on page

298
Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

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

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special TERM, February 11th 1902

In The Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller }
Deceased. }

LETTERS Testamentary

being this day granted unto Wilbur Fisk

of said County, on the estate of said deceased; and it appearing from the proofs this day heard and considered that said deceased left goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate within this County, and that it is necessary that the same be duly appraised; and on application of

Executor

aforsaid to have two or more disinterested persons

appointed to appraise said estate:

IT IS ORDERED, That

O.S. Gilmore

and

J.H. Leath

of said County, be, and

they are hereby, appointed such appraisers.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That such appraisers, before entering upon their duties, be sworn to the faithful discharge of their duties, and that the appraisal by them made, of all the estate and effects of the said deceased, be returned to the said Executor

as aforesaid, to be by him returned to the Probate Court.

Dated at

Albert Lea

the

14th

day of

February

A. D. 1902

By the Court:

Amman Blackman

Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to O. S. Gilmore and S. H. Leath

of said County, GREETING:

Whereas, Stephen Fuller late of the County of Fullon in said State, lately died testate, leaving real estate, and also goods, chattels, rights and credits, within said County, the administration whereof has been granted to Wilbur Fisk of the County of Fullon in said State, of said estate, and whereas we are desirous that said estate be duly appraised, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided:

Therefore, Trusting in your integrity and disinterestedness, we have appointed, and do by these presents appoint you appraisers of all the estate and effects of said deceased, which may be in said County; and being severally duly sworn to the faithful discharge of your duties, and having procured from the said

Wilbur Fisk

a true inventory of the real estate, and of all the goods, chattels, rights and credits of said deceased, and the said real estate, goods, chattels, rights and credits, being shown and exhibited to you by the said

Executor

you are hereby required to class the different items under their respective heads, to faithfully and impartially appraise the same, setting down opposite to each item in said inventory distinctly, in figures, the value thereof in money, as by you determined; and to foot up the amount of each class; and the said inventory and appraisal so made, you will certify and subscribe, and together with this warrant, deliver without delay, to the said Executor Hereof fail not.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of the Probate Court of said County to be hereunto affixed.

Witness: The Hon. Herman Blackmy Judge of Probate, at Albert Lea

in said County, this 4th day of

February A. D. 1902

Herman Blackmy

Judge of Probate.

OATH OF APPRAISERS.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

O. S. Gilmore and J. H. Seath

being duly sworn each for himself, deposes and says, that I will honestly, faithfully and impartially discharge and execute the duties and trust of appraiser of the real estate, and of all the goods, chattels, rights and credits of *Stephen Fuller* late of the County of *Freeborn* in said State, according to the best of my knowledge, judgment and ability. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

Eleventh day of

February A. D. 1912

O. S. Gilmore

J. H. Seath

A. E. Gilmore
~~Judge of Probate.~~
Notary Public

No.

In Probate Court,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Warrant to Appraisers.

Filed the *13th* day

of *February* A. D. 1912
Amos Backlund

Judge of Probate.

No.

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of *Frederick*

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

EXECUTOR'S OATH.

Filed the *28th* day of

January A. D. 1*902*

Herman Blackmer
Judge of Probate.

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

I Do Solemnly Swear That I will well and truly execute the last will and testament of Stephen Fuller deceased, by paying, first, the debts, and then the legacies mentioned therein, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend, and the law charge me; and that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels, rights, credits and effects as may come to my hands or knowledge, belonging to the estate of said deceased, and render a fair and just account of my executorship, when thereunto required by law, to the best of my knowledge and ability. So help me God.

Wilbur Fisk

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the 28th day of January
 A. D. 1892, at Albert Lea in said County.

Human Blackman

Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

**Petition for Settlement of Administration
of Account.**

Filed this *11th* day

of *Aug* A. D. *1902*

Herman Blackman

Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

IN PROBATE COURT,

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

TO THE PROBATE COURT IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY:

The Petition of *Wilbur Fisk Executor*
of said *Stephen Fuller* deceased, respectfully represents that said estate
has been fully administered, as will appear by the final account of administration,
filed with this Court.

Your petitioner..... would therefore pray that an order be made fixing a time and place in which this
Court will examine, settle and allow said final account and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to
the parties entitled thereto, by law.

Dated at *Albert Lea* this *11th* day of
August A. D. *1902*
Wilbur Fisk

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

Wilbur Fisk

the person who made the foregoing petition being duly sworn, says that the same is true to h^{is} own
knowledge except as to those matters stated on h^{is} information and belief, and to those matters that
he..... believe..... them to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

11th day of *Aug* *1902*
Human Blackman
Judge of Probate.

Wilbur Fisk

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

IN PROBATE COURT,

In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.
Wilbur Fisk

being duly sworn, says that he is..... the claimant

in the annexed itemized claim against said.....

deceased; that the amount due thereon is Twenty five + 50 DOLLARS.

\$15. Subscription, 3 cords of wood 10.50

That the same is just and true; that no payments have been made thereon which are not credited; and that there are no offsets to the same to the knowledge of affiant.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

11th day of
August A. D. 1902

Judge of Probate

Wilbur Fisk

State of Minnesota,
 COUNTY OF FREEBORN, } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT, TERM.
 In the Within Entitled Matter.
 STATEMENT.

Amount of Claim, - - - \$
 ITEMS DISALLOWED. \$
 OFFSETS ALLOWED. \$

\$
 \$
 \$
 \$
 Total, - - - \$
 Interest on claim to date, - - - \$
 Final Balance against Estate, - - - \$

It is Ordered, That the foregoing be the amounts of allowance and disallowance on the within claim, and on the offsets thereto, and the final balance thereon against said estate.

Dated at the day of A. D. 190.....
 By the Court, Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,
 COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller
 Deceased.

ITEMIZED

Claim and Verification

OF

Elizabeth Fuller

Amount, \$ *6180*
6330

Nature of Claim

Filed this *28th* day of

March A. D. 190*2*
Anna Blackma
 Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota, }
COUNTY OF FREEBORN, } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

State of Minnesota, }
COUNTY OF FREEBORN, } ss.

Elizabeth Fuller

being duly sworn, says that he is the claimant

in the annexed itemized claim against said

deceased; that the amount due thereon is Sixty one + 80/100 DOLLARS.

as per the annul account

That the same is just and true; that no payments have been made thereon which are not credited; and that there are no offsets to the same to the knowledge of affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

28th day of March A. D. 1906

Amos Blackman

Judge of Probate.

Elizabeth M. Fuller

No. 328

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

Order Discharging Executor
or Administrator.

Filed this 11th day of

August 1892,

Recorded in Book 9 of Orders,

on Page 365.

Heman Blackmy
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF FREEBORN,

SS.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, Aug. 11th 1892.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller }
Deceased.

The final account of Milber Trisk executor
of the estate of Stephen Fuller
deceased, having been examined, allowed and approved by this Court in the form and manner provided by
law for the examination of his administration account, pursuant to due notice given and served;
and such final account having been made upon
the heirs by publication

IT IS ORDERED, That the said Milber Trisk
as such executor of the estate of
Stephen Fuller
deceased, be forever discharged from all the duties, powers and liabilities of the trust of
executor
of the estate of Stephen Fuller deceased.

Dated at Albert Lea the 11th day of

August A. D. 1892

By the Court: Aman Blackmer Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

IN PROBATE COURT,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

ss.

Account of *Wilbur Fisk*

In the Matter of the Estate of *Stephen Fuller* Deceased

The said Estate in Account with.....

DR.

DOLLARS	CENTS
3764	56
115	00
<u>3879</u>	<u>56</u>

To Personal Estate, as per Inventory and Appraisal.....
 Increase of Personal Estate, sold as per order (see report).....
 Receipts on Sale of Personal Estate, not inventoried.....
 Receipts on Claims, etc., deemed bad and not appraised.....
 Receipts on Sale of Real Estate, sold per order (see report).....
 Receipts from Rent of Real Estate for the year.....
 Receipts from Produce of Farm for year.....
 Receipts from Interest on.....

CR.

DOLLARS	CTS.
THE SAME	
1. EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION.	
By Paid Probate Fees, as per Voucher No. 1.....	
	Paid Appraiser, as per Voucher No. 2.....
15	00 ✓
Paid Printer, as per Voucher No. 3.....	
Paid Labor on Farm.....	
Paid Improvements on Real Estate.....	
7	50 ✓
22	50
2. TAXES.	
By Paid Taxes for the year 19....., Voucher No.....	
21	31 ✓
Paid Taxes for the year 19....., Voucher No.....	
43	81
Total Taxes Paid.....	
Total Expenses of Administration.....	
3. EXPENSES OF LAST SICKNESS.	
Paid by Services, as per Voucher No.....	
Paid for Medicines, as per Voucher No.....	
Paid for Services as per Voucher No.....	
Total Expenses of Last Sickness.....	
4. NECESSARY FUNERAL EXPENSES.	
By Paid for Coffin, as per Voucher No.....	
55	00
Paid for Services, as per Voucher No.....	
Paid for Services, as per Voucher No.....	

Amount Forward.....

No.

In Probate Court.

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Hull

Deceased.

ORDER SETTING APART HOMESTEAD AND PER- SONAL PROPERTY.

Filed this *28th* day of
March A. D. 190*2*

Recorded in Book *A.* of

Orders, on page *146*

Human Blackmer
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
COUNTY OF FREEBORN, } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, March 28th 1902

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller }
Deceased. }

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of Elizabeth Fuller
the surviving wife of Stephen Fuller deceased, for the setting apart of the
homestead of said deceased and for the allowance to her of the personal property therein selected by her :

IT IS OREDRED, That the following described real estate, with the appurtenances thereunto
belonging, be, and the same is, set apart to, the said Elizabeth Fuller
as the homestead of said Stephen Fuller deceased, viz: That tract or
parcel of land situate and being in the _____ of _____ in the
County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, described as follows:

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the personal property selected by the said
Elizabeth Fuller be set apart and allowed as the personal property of
the said Elizabeth Fuller and that the items so selected be entered
upon the inventory of the goods, chattels, rights and credits of said
Stephen Fuller deceased, made and returned in this Court by the
Executor of said deceased, and that said items so selected shall
not be deemed assets in the hands of said Executor
but be forthwith delivered by said Executor to the said
Elizabeth Fuller

Dated at Albert Lea the 28th day of March 1902

By the Court:
Herman Blackmun Judge of Probate.

No.

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of *Freeborn*

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

PETITION OF WIDOW FOR ALLOWANCE
TO MAINTAIN FAMILY DURING
SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE.

Filed this *28th* day
of *March* 18*92*
Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

IN PROBATE COURT.

County of Freeborn

In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

TO THE PROBATE COURT WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF Freeborn
IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

The Petition of Elizabeth Fuller
of the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, respectfully shows
and states that she is the widow of Stephen Fuller
late of said County of Freeborn deceased. That said deceased
died on the 25th day of December 1891.
That on the 5th day of February 1892, Letters
Testamentary upon the estate
of said Stephen Fuller were duly issued by this Court
to Wilbur Cook of said County of Freeborn

That said deceased left him surviving your petitioner, who is his widow, and the following
named children, viz.: no

That said ~~children all reside with your petitioner~~, in the town
of Freeborn in the County of Freeborn
State of Minnesota and that said children and your petitioner constitute the
family of said deceased.

That said family are entirely dependent upon said estate for their maintenance during the
settlement of said estate. That the sum of \$ 15.00 per month is a reasonable sum for the
support and maintenance of said family during the settlement of said estate.

Wherefore, Your petitioner prays that this Court issue its order allowing to said widow and
children constituting the family of said deceased the sum of \$ 15.00 per month during the
settlement of said estate.

Elizabeth M. Fuller

Dated March 28th A. D. 1892

State of Minnesota,

ss.

County of Freeborn

Came personally before me Elizabeth M. Fuller and being
duly sworn doth depose and say: That she is the above named petitioner; that she has heard the
foregoing Petition read, and that the same is true of her own knowledge, except as to the matters
therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters that she believes the same to be
true.

Subscribed and sworn to this 28th
day of March 1892, } Elizabeth M. Fuller
before me.

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate

No.

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of *Fillmore*

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

ORDER FOR MAINTENANCE of FAMILY
OF DECEASED DURING SETTLE-
MENT OF ESTATE.

Filed this *28th* day of
March A. D. *1902*

Recorded in Book *11* of Orders, on
page *7*

Simon Blackman
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,
County of Wabasha } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, March 28th 1802

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller }
Deceased.

Whereas, Elizabeth Fuller widow of
Stephen Fuller late of the County of
Wabasha in the State of Minnesota deceased, has

this day filed in this Court her petition, praying, for reasons therein set forth, that the sum of
Fifteen DOLLARS per month be allowed
for the support and maintenance of the widow and children constituting the family of said
deceased, during the settlement of said estate. And it appearing to the Court that said sum of
Fifteen Dollars is a reasonable and necessary
amount for the support and maintenance of said family of said deceased during the settlement of
said estate,

On motion of said petitioner,

It is Ordered, That the sum of Fifteen DOLLARS
per month be, and the same hereby is, allowed to the said widow for the support and mainten-
ance of said widow and children constituting the family of said deceased, during the settlement
of said estate, said allowance to commence on the 5th day of
February 1802, and continue thereafter until said estate shall be fully
settled, unless said estate shall be insolvent, in which case said allowance shall continue only for the
period of one year from said 5th day of February
1802.

Ordered, Further, That the Willis Fish Executor of
deceased, be, and he is hereby, directed and required to deliver and pay to the said widow
the amount herein allowed for the purposes herein specified, during the time allowed and limited by
this order.

Dated at Albert Lea the 28th day of
March A. D. 1802

By the Court:

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That we, Wilbur Fisk

as principal,
and O. S. Gilmore F. M. Snyder

J. H. Seath

are held and firmly bound unto Human Blackmer as sureties,
Judge of Probate

of the County of Freeborn, State of Minnesota, in the sum of

Six thousand DOLLARS, lawful money of the United States,

to be paid to the said Judge of Probate, or to his successors in office; for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Signed with our hands and sealed with our seals this 30th day of January A. D. 1902

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the above bounden

Wilbur Fisk
letters testamentary upon the estate of Stephen Fuller
late of Freeborn County, Minnesota

deceased, being to him granted, shall and will, well and faithfully, execute the trust reposed in him as executor of all and singular the goods, chattels, credits and estate of said deceased; and shall make and return into the Probate Court of the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, within three months, a true and perfect inventory of all the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of said deceased, which shall come to his possession or knowledge, or to the possession of any other person for him; and shall administer according to law, and the will of the said deceased, all the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of said deceased which shall at any time come to his possession, or to the possession of any other person for him, and out of the same shall pay and discharge all debts, legacies and charges chargeable on the same, or such dividends thereon as shall be ordered and decreed by said Court; and shall render a true and just account of his administration to said Court within one year, and at any other time when required by said Court; and shall perform all orders and decrees of said Court by him to be performed in the premises, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

O. S. Gilmore
C. A. Peters

Wilbur Fisk Seal.

O. S. Gilmore Seal.

F. M. Snyder Seal.

J. H. Seath Seal.

Seal.

Seal.

Seal.

Seal.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
COUNTY OF FREEBORN, } ss.

BE IT KNOWN, That on this

30th day of January

A. D. 1902, personally appeared before me

F. M. Snyder and O. S. Gilmore
and J. H. Seath

to me well known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Bond, and they severally acknowledged the same to be their own free act and deed, and that they executed the same for the uses and purposes herein expressed.

C. A. Peters

Judge of Probate,
Town Clerk

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

O. S. Gilmore, F. M. Snyder, J. H. Seath

being duly sworn, each for himself, deposes and says that he is a freeholder, and resident of the State of Minnesota, and is worth the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, over and above all just debts, liabilities and responsibilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

O. S. Gilmore
F. M. Snyder J. H. Seath

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

30th day of

January

A. D. 1902

C. A. Peters

Judge of Probate,
Town Clerk

I do hereby approve the within Bond.

Dated this

1st

day of

February

A. D. 1902

Amos Blackman

Judge of Probate.

NO.

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fowler
Deceased.

Executor's Bond.

Filed and approved this

1st day of February, 1902

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }

County of Freeborn. }

I hereby certify that the within

Executor's Bond was duly recorded

this 6th day of

February A. D. 1902

in Book C of Bonds, page 334

of the Probate Records.

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the matter of the estate of

Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY.

Filed this *4th* day of

February A. D. 190*2*
Amos Blackmun
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn. } ss.

I certify that the within Letters
Testamentary were duly recorded this

6th day of *Feb*
A. D. 190*2*, in Book "*67*" of Letters
Testamentary, on page *676*.

Amos Blackmun
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to all to whom these Presents shall come or may concern, and especially to Wilbur Fisk

of the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, GREETING:

KNOW YE, That whereas Stephen Fuller late of the County of Freeborn and State of Minnesota, lately died testate, and being at the time of his decease an inhabitant of said County, by means whereof the proving and recording his last Will and Testament, and granting administration of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate whereof he died possessed, and also the auditing, allowing and finally discharging the account thereof, is within the jurisdiction of the Probate Court of said County of Freeborn.

AND WHEREAS, On the 4th day of February A. D. 1902 at Albert Lea, in said County, before the Hon. Amos Blackmun Probate Judge of said County, the last Will and Testament of the said Stephen Fuller (a copy whereof is hereunto annexed) was proved, allowed and admitted to probate;

AND WHEREAS, Wilbur Fisk execut named and appointed in and by said last Will and Testament, ha given bond, as required by law, for the faithful execution of said trust, which said bond has been approved by said Judge, and filed in the aforesaid Probate Court;

WE, THEREFORE, Reposing full confidence in your integrity and ability, have granted, and by these presents do grant, the administration of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of the said deceased, and any way concerning h said last Will and Testament, unto the said Wilbur Fisk

execut or aforesaid; hereby authorizing and empowering you to take and have possession of all the real and personal estate of said deceased; and to receive the rents, issues and profits thereof, until said estate shall have been settled, or until delivered over by order of said Court to the heirs or devisees of said deceased; and to demand, collect, recover and receive all and singular the debts, claims, demands, rights and choses in action, which to the said deceased while living and at the time of his death did belong; and requiring you to keep in good tenantable repair all houses, buildings and fences on said real estate which may and shall be under your control, and in accordance with your bond, approved and filed as aforesaid, to make and return into the Probate Court of said County of Freeborn within three months, a true and perfect inventory of all the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of the said deceased which shall come to your possession or knowledge, or to the possession of any other person for you; to administer according to law, and to said last Will and Testament, all the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of the said deceased which shall at any time come to your possession, or to the possession of any other person for you, and out of the same to pay and discharge all debts, legacies and charges chargeable on the same, or such dividends thereon as shall be ordered and decreed by said Court; to render a just and true account of your administration to said Court within one year, and at any other time when required by said Court; and to perform all orders and decrees of said Court by you to be performed in the premises.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the seal of our Probate Court to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: The Hon. Amos Blackmun Judge

of Probate, at Albert Lea, in said County, this 4th day of

February A. D. 1902

Amos Blackmun
Judge of Probate,

No.

IN PROBATE COURT,

County of *Willam*

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE

Filed this *28th* day
of *January* *1901*, and
recorded in Book *5* of Orders,

page *214*

Heman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

In Probate Court,

County of Fillmore

ss.

Special Term,

January 28th 1892

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of this Court made in the above entitled matter, on the 31st day of December 1891, the hearing of the proofs of that certain instrument bearing date the 1st day of June 1891, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Stephen Fuller deceased, came on this day; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the notice directed in that order aforesaid to be given, has been given; thereupon Wilbur Fuller

duly sworn and examined on behalf of the proponent thereof his testimony reduced to writing, subscribed by him and filed. And it appearing to the Court after a full hearing and examination of the testimony in said matter that said Stephen Fuller died on the 25th day of December 1892 testate, in said County of Fillmore and that he was at the time of his death a resident of said County, and left assets therein; and said instrument offered for probate as and for the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, was duly executed as his Last Will and Testament by said testator according to law; and said testator, at the time of executing the same, was of sound mind, of lawful age and under no restraint, and that the same is valid and genuine; and no adverse appearance or objection being made,

Now, Therefore, It is ordered, adjudged and decreed, that said instrument be and hereby is established and allowed as the Last Will and Testament of said Stephen Fuller deceased, and that the same hereby is admitted to probate. Ordered, further, that said Last Will and Testament, with a certificate of the probate thereof, be recorded.

Dated at Albert Lea the 28th day of January A. D. 1892

By the Court,

Heman Blackmy

Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller Deceased.

Order For Executor's Bond.

Filed this *28th* day of

July 18*92*

Recorded in Book *5* of Orders,

on Page *214*

Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF FREEBORN,

} IN PROBATE COURT,
} SS. *Special Term, Jan 28th 1892*

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

} Deceased.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT Of said deceased having been this day admitted to probate by this Court, and *Wilber Dick* named as executor of said Will, having applied for letters testamentary thereon,

IT IS ORDERED, That the said *Wilber Dick* give bond to the Judge of this Court, in the sum of *Five Thousand* Dollars, conditioned that he will faithfully execute the duties of his trust according to law, with sufficient sureties, to be approved by said Judge, and that thereupon letters testamentary be to *him* issued.

Dated at *Albert Lea* the *28th* day of

Jan A. D. 1892

By the Court: *Simon Blackman*
Judge of Probate.

No.....

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

Orders Approving Bond and
to Issue Letters.

Filed this *4th* day of
February A. D., 190*2* and
recorded in Book *9* of Orders,
on page *61*

Amman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,)
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.) SS.

IN PROBATE COURT,

SPECIAL TERM, February 4th 1902

In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

On reading, approving and filing the Executors

Bond of Wilbur Fisk of the County of Freeborn

and State of Minnesota, as principal, and O. S. Gilmore, F. M. Snyder

and J. H. Seath of the said County and State.

as sureties in the sum of

Five thousand DOLLARS,

conditioned according to law.

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED, That the said

Wilbur Fisk be and he is hereby appointed

Executor of the Estate of Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED FURTHER, That Letters Testamentary be to

him issued, and that said Letters and Bond be recorded.

Dated at Albert Lea the 4th day of

February A. D. 1902

By the Court,

Human Blackman
Judge of Probate.

No.

In Probate Court,
County of Freeborn.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Tully
Deceased.

Order to Examine Accounts, Etc.

Filed this 11th day
of August 1902

Recorded in Book 7 of

Orders, on page 428

Human Blackman
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

} SS.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, *August 11th* 1902

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF *Stephen Fuller* Deceased.

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION OF *Wilbur Fisk, Executor*

of the estate of *Stephen Fuller* deceased, representing,

among other things, that *he* has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of *his* administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law:

IT IS ORDERED, That said ^{account} ~~and~~ be examined, and petition heard, by this Court, on

Thursday the *11th* day of *September*
A. D. 1902, at *10* o'clock *a*. M., at the Probate office in the *City of Albert Lea* in said County.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the *Albert Lea Enterprise* a *weekly* newspaper printed and published at *Albert Lea* in said county.

Dated at Albert Lea, Minnesota, the *11th* day of *August* A. D. 1902

By the Court,
Human Blackum
Judge of Probate.

In Probate Court,

FREEBORN COUNTY.

*In the Matter of the Last Will and
Testament of*

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

TESTIMONY OF

Wilbur Fisk

Subscribing Witnesses to Will.

Taken, sworn, subscribed and filed

this 28th day of Jan 1862

Amasa Blackman

Judge of Probate.

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

IN PROBATE COURT.

Special Term Jan 28th 1902

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

Stephen Fuller }
Deceased. }

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

Wilbur Fisk

being duly sworn,
on behalf of the proponent of the will, doth depose and say: that he is one of the subscribing witnesses
to the instrument now shown him, bearing date the 1st day of June
A. D. 1901, and purporting to be the last will and testament of Stephen Fuller
of the County of Freeborn and State of

Minnesota now here presented for probate; that he
knew and was well acquainted with the said Stephen Fuller
deceased, in his lifetime and at the time of his death; that on 1st day of June 1901
the day of the date of said instrument, to-wit, the 1st day of June
A. D. 1901, the said instrument was signed, sealed, executed and then and there acknowledged, pub-
lished and declared by the said Stephen Fuller deceased,
to be his last will and testament, in the presence of deponent and of L. T. Scott
A. E. Gilmore the other subscribing witness thereto, and that deponent
and the said L. T. Scott + A. E. Gilmore

the other subscribing witness did then and there, in the presence of the said
Stephen Fuller deceased, and at his request
severally subscribe said instrument as witnesses thereto.

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

And further Deponent saith not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th
day of January A. D. 1902
Herman Blackman
Judge of Probate.

Wilbur Fisk

No.

In Probate Court.

COUNTY OF FREEBORN.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

ORDER FOR HEARING PROOF OF WILL.

Filed this *31st* day of
December A. D. 190*1*

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Orders, on page *213*

Amos Blackmus

Judge of Probate.

State of Minnesota,

COUNTY OF FREEBORN,

} ss.

IN PROBATE COURT,

Special Term, December 31st 1901

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Stephen Fuller

Deceased.

WHEREAS, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Stephen Fuller deceased, late of said County, has been delivered to this Court;

AND WHEREAS, Wilbur Frick

has filed therewith his petition, representing among other things, that said Stephen Fuller died in said County on the 25th day of December 1901, testate and that said petitioner is the sole executor named in said last Will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be to him issued thereon;

IT IS ORDERED, That the proofs of said instrument, and the said petition, be heard before this Court, at the Probate office in said County, on the 28th day of January A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when all persons interested may appear for, or contest, the probate of said instrument;

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Albert Lea Enterprise a weekly newspaper printed and published at Albert Lea in said County.

Dated at Albert Lea the 31st day of December 1901

By the Court:

Harman Blackmun

Judge of Probate.

Dated at Freeborn this 17 day of February 1902
Wilbur Fisk
Executor of Stephen Fuller Deceased.

We, the Undersigned Appraisers, Do hereby certify that, pursuant to the annexed warrant to us directed, we have appraised all the property described and mentioned in the above inventory, which has been to us exhibited, setting down opposite to each item in said inventory, in figures, the value thereof in money, as by us determined.

Witness our hands this 17 day of February A. D. 1902

O. S. Gilman
S. H. Seath } Appraisers.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Freeborn, } ss.

Wilbur Fisk
being duly sworn, says that he is the Executor of the estate of Stephen Fuller late of said County, deceased, and that the foregoing is a just and true inventory of all the real estate, and of all the goods, chattels, rights and credits belonging to the said Stephen Fuller deceased, which have come to his possession or knowledge; and that upon diligent inquiry he has not been able to discover any other property or estate belonging to the estate of said Stephen Fuller deceased.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17 day of February A. D. 1902

Wilbur Fisk
J. A. Gilman
~~Judge of Probate.~~ Notary Public

NO.

Probate Court,
of Freeborn County.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Stephen Fuller
Deceased.

General Inventory.

Filed and approved this 13th
day of February A. D. 1902
Amos Blackman
Judge of Probate.

M. L. HEAD, M. D.

BREEDER OF

A. J. C. C. JERSEYS.

STOCK FOR SALE.

HARTLAND, MINN.

1-4-1901

Est. Stephen Fuller Dr
To M. L. Head attendance S Fuller

\$10.95

M. L. Head M. D.

Rec of Mrs Fuller

\$55 in full payment of
Casket -

A. L. Nixon

Undertaker

Received of Walter Fick administrator
\$310. Three Hundred and ten dollars - one note
from Dr Head amounting to \$210.00 and
\$100. in cash \$310.00 in all
Stephen W. Fuller

Lizzie M. Fuller

Freeborn Minn Aug. 15. 1802

Received of Wilbur Fisk administrator for
Lyle Scoville one hundred and thirty six
dollars and fifty cents \$ 136.50

A D Scoville

Aug 18. 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk administrator
\$130.09 on my bequest from my
husband,

Lizzie M. Fuller

~~E. T. COFFY~~, PRESIDENT.
E. T. Coffy

~~WARY S. ELDRIKH~~, VICE PRES.
A. Peterson

~~GEO. F. LATTIN~~, TREASURER.
O. S. Gilman

F. M. SNYDER, SECRETARY.

Freeborn Dairy Association

Manufacturers of Fine Separator Butter

F. M. SNYDER, SECRETARY AND MANAGER.

Freeborn, Minn., March 1 1902

	Stephen Tuller Dr	
To	Butter	\$ 20 <u>52</u>
"	Interest on note	56

\$ 21 08
100

Received Payment April 1st 1902
F. M. Snyder Sec

Freeborn Minn Aug 16 1902
Received of Wilbur Fisk, administrator, a note
given by Marion Deselle amounting to
Fifty seven dollars and ninety one cents (\$57.91)
on my bequest from my husband

Lizzie M. Fuller

Freeborn Minn. Aug 15, 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk, administrator, on
my bequest - from my husband a note given
by M. L. Head M.D. amounting to three hun-
dred and twelve dollars (\$312.⁰⁰)

Lizzie M. Haller

Wesce Minn Aug

1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk, administrator, on my request
from my father Four Hundred and Thirty Dollars and
Seventy five cents \$430.75

Alvin S. Fuller

July 25 1902 Received of Wilbur Fisk, admin-
istrator, Forty Eight dollars (\$48.⁰⁰) which
with Forty Two paid in January last makes
Ninety dollars (\$90.⁰⁰) in all,

Lizzie M. Fuller.

St. West City Mo Aug. 22, 1902

Received of Willbur Fisk Freeborn Minn
One Hundred and Eighty One Dollars and Fifty-
two cents (\$181⁵²) which is a legacy
bequeathed to me by my father-in-law the
late Stephen Fisk of Freeborn Minn.

Winifred Fuller

Winifred Fuller

Glennville Public Schools,

Milton Pickett Fuller, Prin.



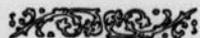
Glennville, Minn., Sept 1902

Rec'd of Mr. Fisk order for \$88.66 Dollars,
from the Stephen Fuller estate,
Milton Pickett Fuller.

Albert Lea, Minn. Aug. 11th 1902

M. Rev. W. Fisk
Adm. Estate Stephen Fuller, et al

In Account with



M. Halvorsen, Pub.

The Albert Lea Enterprise

Fine Commercial and Book Printing

A Large Circulation

and an Excellent Ad-

vertising Medium

2 Publishing Notices
— three kinds — 3 weeks
each in above Estate

15.00

Received Payment

Aug. 11, 1902, by

M. Halvorsen

Per: Oscar Nystrom

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In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Fuller
(DECEASED, WARD OR INCOMPETENT.)

RECEIVED OF Wilbur Fisk admr
(EXECUTOR, ADMINISTRATOR OR GUARDIAN.)

the sum of Eighty Eight and $\frac{66}{100}$ DOLLARS,

in payment of bequest made to Myrtilla Fuller

No.
Myrtilla Fuller
Per Mrs. Ida Fuller

\$ 60

Hartland, Minn.,

Sept 20 1901 No.

On or before Sept 20 1902 for value received
After date, for value received,

I promise to pay Elisabeth M. Hiller or order,

the sum of sixty dollars \$60.00 Dollars,

with interest payable annually at 6 per cent per annum, as well after maturity as before,

and until fully paid. Payable at the **BANK OF HARTLAND**, Hartland, Minnesota. Interest

not paid when due shall draw interest from due till paid at 6 per cent per annum.

P. O.

Freedom

Stephen Hiller

Witness

Clara City Minn Aug. 21st 1802

Received of Wilbur Fisk, administrator, \$100.00 on
the legacy granted me by my father the late Stephen
Fuller of Freeborn Minn

Mrs. Lulla Whitman.

Freeborn Minn Sep 5. 1902

Received from the estate of Stephen Fuller
for my son Lyle by Milburn Fisk admin-
istrator \$263.03

A D Scoville

Freeborn Aug 29 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk \$80.45 from the
estate of my husband, Stephen Fuller

Lizzie M Fuller

Hartland, Minn. 1-4

1899

Mr Stephen Fuller est

In Account with

Hartland Drug Co.

To Drugs

8⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Waseca, Sep. 9, 1902

Received of Rev. W.
Fisk Thurston (13) and
~~170~~ dollars, balance
due me from my
father's estate.

Alvin S. Fuller

Sept. 6th 1902.

Received of Wilbur Fisk, adminis-
trator, from my father's estate
\$143.12

Lucella Whitman.

Sioux City Ia 8/30 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk Administrator
of my father's estate (\$200.00) Two Hun-
dred Dollars to apply on the bequest
made to me

Cyrus L Feeller

— — — — —
Sep 1st 1902
— — — — —

Received of Wilbur Fish, administrator,
of my father's estate \$ 200⁰⁰ Two Hun-
dred Dollars

Luella Whitman
— — — — —

Freeborn Minn Sep 5, 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk adminis-
trator for Stephen Fuller jr \$133.82

Lizzie M. Fuller

Albert Lea, Minn.

Aug. 28, 1902.

Received of Mr. Wilbur
Fisk, \$88.00 from the
Stephen Fuller estate.
value received.

Sadie E. Fuller

Freeborn Aug 12 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk administrator, for casket - -	\$ 55, 00
For my living	15
Total	<u>\$ 70, 00</u>

Mrs Lizzie M Fuller

Treasurer's Office, Freeborn County, Minn.

FEB 14 1902

\$ 21 ³/₁₀₀

Albert Lea, Minn.,

ORIGINAL.

Received of

Stephen Fuller
Twenty one & 3/100

the sum of

DOLLARS,

for Taxes on Personal Property and special dog tax in the County of Freeborn, for

the year 1901. Town of

Freeborn

SERIES O.

No.

3278

B. W. Anderson

COUNTY TREASURER.

April 11th 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk Executor
of will of Stephen Fuller, my
husband, (\$460 $\frac{00}{100}$) Four Hundred
and Sixty Dollars

Mrs. Gezzie M. Fuller

Albert Lea Sep 23 - 1902

Received of Wilbur Fiske administrator
Money Order of 41 cents which with former
Order and including fees and postage makes
the amount \$88.78 received from the
Stephen Fuller estate Freeborn Minn.
Sadie E. Fuller.

Freeborn Sep 5th 1902

Received from the estate
of Stephen Fuller for my
daughter Elsie by William
Fish administrator, \$44.39

A D Scoville

Freeborn Minn Sep 6 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk
administrator \$15-24

Lizzie M. Fuller

Sioux City Iowa 9/6 1902

Received of Wilbur Fisk,
administrator, from my
father's estate \$~~145.65~~
154.65-

Cyrus L. Fuller