

Sept 18 - 1961

Dear Glendon + Family -
I thought I would tell you
that I ~~had~~ had a letter
from Helen the last of the
week and this is one of
the things she said "verbatim"

I suppose you have received
a notice along with a copy
of the will that is not valid
since Uncle Tom had told Aunt
Emma there was nothing for
her to do so she did not have
it probated. I think according
to law, Aunt Emma's heirs
would be the only ones to share
the Estate but Mary Chandler,
Mary Shirley, Helen Seeds and
Uncle Ott's girls as well as
myself feel that the will

Should be followed as much as
the law will permit. I have
told Marlin that I want him
to file a claim to reimburse
him for all the help he gave
both of them after Uncle Tom
took sick and he was always
helping Aunt Emma.

In fact he and Bernice were
the only ones that really did
much for them. of course

Nothing can be done until
after the 26th "unquote"

Helen painted walls in
the hall and stairway to-day
I will paint walls in ^{+ shelves} Closets.

Can't know how long it will
take me, as I will work at
it as the spirit moves me, but

I went to Lacy + Okeene
yesterday afternoon to visit
Herschel's World / Buddie,
who is in hospital in Okeene
I picked ~~him~~ his wife up at
their home at Lacy and took
her along. On the way home
I stopped at Gladys and
stayed until after supper.
I took Mama to Church in
the fore noon.

Gladys Paulsen told me
yesterday that Jay Miller Roberts
was expecting the Stock in
October.

Boyd got back in the field again
to day for the first time since
last Monday. How is everyone
getting along in School?
Love Arlene.

divided as follows: second
I give and bequeath to our five nieces; two hundred dollars (\$200.) each
namely: Irene Hebbe Case of Galesburg Ill, Ethel Hebbe Morrissey of
Galesburg Ill; Mary Otie Hebbe of St. Joseph Mo., Evelyn Hebbe Conway of
Kansas City Mo; Beola Hebbe Blackwell of Chateau Oklahoma.

Third

I give, devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate
to the following nieces, nephews and the First Church of Christ
Scientist of Topeka; to share and share alike:
The names and addresses of our nieces and nephews are as follows:

- Marlin Stalons of Topeka Kansas
- Roy Stalons of Mission Kansas
- Veora Lyda of Topeka Kansas
- Edna Searls of Vally Falls Kansas
- Grace Hamblin of Sea Side Calif.
- Mary Chandler of Cincinnati Ohio
- Chris Cavanagh of Niles Calif.
- Irene Cline of Dover Oklahoma
- Helen Stein of Topeka Kansas
- Wm. A Stein of Topeka Kansas

fourth

I have intentionally omitted all heirs who are not specifically
mentioned herein, and to all persons whomsoever claim to be or
may be lawfully determined to be my heirs at law, except as other-
wise mentioned in this will, I hereby give one dollar (\$1.00) in lieu
of any other interest or share in my estate to such person or
persons. I also leave the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) to my beneficiaries
contesting or opposing the probate of this will, in lieu of any
interest or share to which he or she may be entitled under the terms
of this will

sixth fifth

I hereby nominate and appoint Mr Roy Stalons and Helen M Stein
as executors hereof to serve without bond.

In witness whereof, I hereto have set my hand and seal this 6 day
of ~~August~~ August 1956.
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T. F. Stalons
Emma Stalons

THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT, was at the date hereof, by the said
T.F. Stalons, signed, published and declared by him to be his LAST WILL
and TESTAMENT, in the presence of each other, subscribed our names
as witnesses.

Carl H Paulson
residing at
1413 Plass Ave
Topeka Kansas

Clara C. Paulson
residing at

1413 Plass Ave
Topeka Kansas

Note
This will was not offered for
probate within the time provided
by the statutes of the state of Kansas
Harry R. Logan attorney

In the Matter of the Estate of
EMMA STALONS, Deceased,

Number 26744

ANSWER AND CROSS PETITION

Comes now Veora Lyda, a resident of Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas, and for her answer to the petition for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Emma Stalons, filed herein by Helen Stein, admits all of the allegations contained in said petition, except those hereinafter specifically denied.

Further answering respondent specifically denies that the deceased, Emma Stalons, left property which is subject to administration, and further answering denies that there is a need for the appointment of an administrator.

WHEREFORE respondent prays that the petition of Helen Stein for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Emma Stalons, deceased, be denied.

CROSS PETITION

Comes now Veora Lyda, and for her cross petition herein, alleges and states:

That she is a resident of Shawnee County, Kansas, and that her post office address is 817 Watson, Topeka, Kansas; and further alleges

That T.F. Stalons, a resident of Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas, and a resident of the United States and a citizen thereof, died testate on the 15th day of February, 1957; that the said T.F. Stalons was survived by his wife Emma Stalons, who was the only heir of the said T.F. Stalons, who would inherit under the laws of descent and distribution.

That the said T.F. Stalons had no spouse, or children, or adopted children, or issue of deceased children, natural or adopted, who survived him, other than the person named above.

Cross petitioner files herewith an instrument in writing, dated the 6th day of August, 1956 and alleges that the same is the last will and testament of T.F. Stalons and that the said will was duly executed according to law on the date it bears and is genuine and valid; that at the time of the execution of said will, the testator was of sound mind and not under any restraint; and that said will was in full force and effect at the time of the death of the testator.

That Emma Stalons, wife of T.F. Stalons consented to said will.

That the said T.F. Stalons was survived by the following named persons who are all of the legatees and devisees under his will:

Emma Stalons, his wife, who died at Topeka, Kansas, on August 5, 1961.

Irene Hebbe Case, whose residence and address is 368 North Henderson, Galesburg, Illinois.

Ehtel Hebbe Morrisey, whose residence and address is 147 North Ivan, Galesburg, Illinois.

Mary Otie Hebbe, whose residence and address is 509 Mitchell Avenue, St. Joseph, Missouri.

Evelyn Hebbe Conway, whose residence and address is 2601 E. 12th Street, Kansas City, Missouri.

Leola Hebbe Blackwell, whose residence and address is Chauteau, Oklahoma.

Marlin Stalons, whose residence and address 1111 Polk Street, Topeka, Kansas.

Roy Stalons, whose residence and address is 6710 West 66th Street, Overland Park, Kansas.

Veora Lyda, whose residence and address is 817 Watson Street, Topeka, Kansas.

Edna Searls, whose residence and address is Valley Falls, Kansas.

Grace Hamblin, whose residence and address is Sea Side, California.

Mary Chandler, whose residence and address is 164 Escalon Avenue, Cincinnati 16, Ohio.

Chris Cavanagh, whose residence and address is Niles, California.

Irene Cline, whose residence and address is Dover, Oklahoma.

Helen Stein, whose residence and address is 110 Kendall, Topeka, Kansas.

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Kansas.

Wm. A. Stein, whose residence and address is Topeka, Kansas.

First Chruch of Christ Scientiest located at Topeka, Kansas.

Cross petitioner further alleges and states that the said will was
in the possession of the widow of T.F. Stalons, Emma Stalons; that the
said Emma Stalons, knowingly withheld said will from the Probate Court
Of Shawnee County, Kansas, the court having jurisdiction, for more than
one year after the death of the testator; that cross petitioner had no
knowledge of the existence of said will until after the death of the

said Emma Stalons on the 5th day of August, 1961; that a period of 90 days has not expired since the date of the death of the said Emma Stalons, when cross petitioner first obtained knowledge of the existence of said will, and a period of 5 years has not expired since the date of the death of said T.F. Stalons.

That the general character and probable value of decedent's estate:

Real Estate having an estimated value of	\$ 13,000.00
Personal Property having an estimated value	22,000.00

That this cross petitioner has an interest in said estate as one of the heirs at law of T.F. Stalons, deceased and as a devisee and legatee in the said will.

That the appointment of an executor of the will is necessary for the conservation, collection and administration of said property according to law and the terms of said will; and that Roy Stalons and Helen M. Stein are named as executors in the said will and are suitable and proper persons to whom to grant letters testamentary.

WHEREFORE, cross petitioner prays that the will of T.F. Stalons, dated the 6th day of August, 1956, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to Roy Stalons and Helen M. Stein, as executors thereof, without bond.

Veora Lyda - Cross Petitioner

Attorneys for cross-petitioner.

STATE OF KANSAS, SHAWNEE COUNTY, ss:

Veora Lyda, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, states:

That she is the respondent and cross petitioner above named; and that she has read the above and foregoing answer and cross petition and knows the contents thereof; that the statement made therein are true and

That this cross petitioner has an interest in said estate as one of the heirs at law of T.F. Stalons, deceased and as a devisee and legatee in the said will.

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Veora Lyda, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, states:

That she is the respondent and cross petitioner above named; and that she has read the above and foregoing answer and cross petition and knows the contents thereof; that the statement made therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Veora Lyda

Subscribed and sworn to, before me this 18th day of September, 1961.

Notary Public

My commission expires _____