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Mrs. George Hitchcock  
Mrs. George Hitchcock

L. E. Perkins  
Notary Public  
~~Mobile~~ County, Alabama  
Baldwin

This claim having been  
paid in full, is hereby  
cancelled, released and  
discharged, this 7th day  
of September, 1953.  
Mrs. George Hitchcock  
By J. B. Blackburn  
as her Attorney in Fact.

Mrs. George Hitchcock  
Fairhope, Alabama

July 8, 1953

To: Estate of Frank Mancini  
c/of Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Executor

For professional services rendered to Mr. Frank Mancini, deceased  
by Mrs. George Hitchcock, R. N.

For period from July 4, 1953  
to July 8, 1953 - 4 days @ \$5.00 per day - - - - - \$20.00

Exhibit "A"

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Filed Aug. 25, 1953

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W. R. Stuart

Judge of Probate NS

STATE OF Alabama

COUNTY OF Baldwin

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Mrs. T. K. Jackson  
of Fairhope, Alabama, does hereby make, constitute and  
appoint \_\_\_\_\_,  
her true, sufficient, and lawful attorney for her and in her  
name and stead to cancel on the records of the Probate Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama that certain claim filed by Mrs. T. K. Jackson  
against the Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, in the  
amount of Forty four and 00/00 Dollars  
which claim is recorded in Book entitled "Claims Filed Against Estates",  
and to do and perform all acts necessary to effect the cancellation of this  
claim in as full and ample a manner as she might do.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said Mrs. T. K. Jackson has  
executed this instrument by causing her name to be hereto signed hereunder  
this 29th day of August, 1953.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Filed Sept 24, 1953 M

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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate 40

Mrs. T. K. Jackson

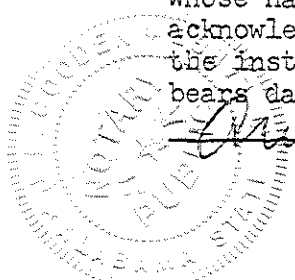
STATE OF Alabama

COUNTY OF Baldwin

I, J. E. Goodman, a Notary Public in and

for said County in said State, hereby certify that Mrs. T. K. Jackson,  
whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me,  
acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of  
the instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same  
bears date. Given under my hand and official seal this 29th day of  
August, 1953.

J. E. Goodman  
NOTARY PUBLIC, Baldwin County, Ala.  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MARCH 15, 1954



IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.  
IN EQUITY.

ARTHUR MANCI, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED:

Q. Is this Arthur Manci?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are the son of Mary E. Mancý?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. She is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and over the age of 21 years?

A. Yes.

Q. Mary E. Mancini is the widow of Frank Mancini, your father, who died July 8, 1953?

A/ Yes, s r.

Q. Did your father die leaving a will?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And letters testamentary were issued on said estate more than 20 days ago?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And your father, Frank Mancini, left personal property, including money, of more than \$1,000.00?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have there been any appraisers or commissioners appointed in this estate?

A. Yes, sir there was.

Q. Are there any now?

A. No, that is finished.

Q. Now the next of kin of your father, are yourself, Arthur Manci, Etheridge Manci, Frank Manci, Jr. Orlando J. Manci, Julia M. Batchelder, Amelia M. Breitling, Antonia M. Edmonds



Carolyn M. Ray and Alvera M. Trione.

Q. Who is the Executor of this estate?

A. Merchants National Bank.

Q. Of Mobile?

Yes

A. ~~Yes~~ sir.

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STATE. OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the testimony taken by me in said case on the 23rd day of April, 1954, before Hon. Hubert M. Hall, Judge of said Court.

This 23rd day of April, 1954.

Louise Deschamps  
Court Reporter

PHONE 2-4511

MOBILE 7, ALA.

P. O. Box 123

Estate of:

Mr. Frank Mancini

## Higgins Mortuary, Inc.

GOVERNMENT ST. AT WASHINGTON AVE.

CITRONELLE, ALA.  
PHONE 2091

FOLEY, ALA.  
PHONE 46

FAIRHOPE, ALA.  
PHONE 2181

Funeral of Mr. Frank Mancini  
July 8, 1953

Casket and Services	\$426.00
Underclothes, Hose, Other & Tax	6.59
Alabama Sales Tax	12.78
Flower Car	10.00
Newspaper Notices	8.75
Wilbert Vault and Tax	154.50
Open, Close Grave;	
Remove Dirt	15.00
Slab and Tax	15.45

Total ..... \$649.07

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
Filed Aug. 28, 1953 M  
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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate HD

ESTATE OF ) IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED. ) \*  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MOTION

TO THE HONORABLE PROBATE COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, AND TO  
THE HONORABLE W. R. STUART, JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, the Executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, respectfully shows unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. On, to-wit, the 14th day of July, 1953, it filed in this court a petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, and the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, but requested that no date be set for hearing the said petition, in order that it could have an opportunity to obtain waivers from the heirs of the said decedent.

2. Petitioner has obtained and files herewith acceptances of service and waivers of notice of Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini, Frank Mancini, Jr., Orlando J. Mancini, Amelia M. Breitling, Alvera M. Trione, Antonia M. Edmonds and Carolyn M. Ray. It has not obtained waivers from Etheredge Mancini and Julia M. Batchelder.

WHEREFORE, the said Merchants National Bank moves the court to make and enter a proper order or decree setting a date for hearing the petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, and giving notice thereof in the form and manner prescribed by law to Etheredge Mancini and Julia M. Batchelder.

Respectfully submitted,

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
A National Banking Association,

By J. T. Blackburn  
As its Attorney.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate

ESTATE OF	)	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
	*	
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.	)	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
	*	
	)	IN EQUITY

PETITION TO REMOVE ADMINISTRATION TO EQUITY COURT  
TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY:

Now comes The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a  
National Banking Association, and respectfully represents unto the  
court and your Honor as follows:

1. It is a national banking association, organized and  
existing under the laws of the United States, with its principal  
place of business at Mobile in Mobile County, Alabama.

2. It was heretofore appointed, qualified and is now  
acting as executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of  
Frank Mancie, Deceased, the administration of which estate is now  
pending in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

3. Because of the broader powers of this court, the ad-  
ministration of the said estate can be better handled in this court  
than in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays that the court will make and  
enter a proper order or decree removing the administration of this  
estate from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to the  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, sitting in Equity. Pe-  
titioner further prays that such other orders be made and decrees  
rendered as may be requisite and proper in the premises.

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
A National Banking Association,  
As Executor of and under the Last Will  
and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased,

By



As its Trust Officer.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
MOBILE COUNTY )

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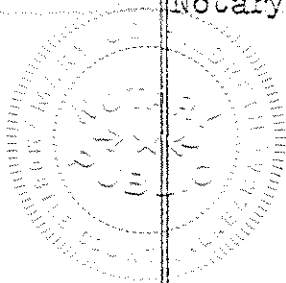
Before me, the undersigned authority, within and for said County in said State, personally appeared GARET V. ALDRIDGE, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says:

That he is one of the Trust Officers of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, which has been appointed, qualified and is now acting as executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased; that he has read over the foregoing petition and that the facts stated therein are true.

Garet V. Aldridge

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 14 day of October, 1953.

Murray D. Liddell  
Notary Public, Mobile County, Alabama



# THE JORDAN CLINIC

115 SECTION STREET  
FAIRHOPE, ALABAMA

## COPY OF THE BILL FOR ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI, DAPHNE, ALABAMA

5 - house calls in April	@ \$10.00	\$50.00
6 - house calls in May	@ 10.00	60.00
1 - Office Call in May	@ 3.00	3.00
4 - House calls in June	@ 10.00	40.00
4 - house calls in July	@ 10.00	40.00
Medication on these last 4 calls.		10.00
Total		\$203.00

I, Norvin O. Guest, Business Manager for Jordan Clinic, do hereby certify that the above statement is a true and correct statement as due the said Jordan Clinis by Frank Mancie, Deceased, and that the amount shown is still due and unpaid.

Norvin O. Guest  
Norvin O. Guest  
Business Manager, Jordan Clinic.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 26th day of August 1953.

L. J. Glover  
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Ala.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
Filed Aug 26, 1953  
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W. R. Stewart  
Judge of Probate

JIMMY FAULKNER  
PUBLISHER

# THE BALDWIN TIMES

## BALDWIN COUNTY

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BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA

### Legal Notice

#### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, Deceased  
In The Probate Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama

Letters Testamentary upon the Estate  
of said decedent having been granted  
to the undersigned on the 17th day of  
August, 1953, by the Honorable W. R.  
Stuart, Judge of the Probate Court of  
Baldwin County, notice is hereby given  
that all persons having claims against  
said estate are hereby required to pre-  
sent the same within time allowed by  
law or the same will be barred.

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL  
BANK OF MOBILE,  
Executor.

J. B. Blackburn  
Attorney for Executor.

31-3tc.

### AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

Jimmy Faulkner being duly sworn, deposes and says  
that he is the PUBLISHER of THE BALDWIN TIMES, a Weekly Newspaper pub-  
lished at Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama; that the notice hereto attached of

Est. Frank Mancie, Dec.

#### COST STATEMENT

97 WORDS @ 5 cents 4 \$ 85

I hereby certify this it correct, due and unpaid (paid).

Jimmy Faulkner  
Publisher.

was published in said newspaper for 7 consecutive weeks in the following issues:

Date of 1st publication Aug 20, 1953 Vol. 64 No. 31

Date of 2nd publication Aug 27, 1953 Vol. 64 No. 32

Date of 3rd publication Sept 3, 1953 Vol. 64 No. 33

Date of 4th publication \_\_\_\_\_, 1953 Vol. \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn before the undersigned this 3 day of Sept, 1953

Dorothy Martin  
Notary Public, Baldwin County.

Jimmy Faulkner  
Publisher.

Filed 9/9/53  
W.R. Stuart, Judge  
HP

COUNTY OF MOBILE )

Notary Public in and for said State and County Mary J. DeGruy

referred to, is a correct statement of the claim which she

Frank Mancini deceased, for One Hundred and Eight Dollars, that

the amount claimed is justly due from the Estate of Frank Mancini,

deceased, to Mary J. DeGruy after allowing all

proper credits, and now constitutes a subsisting demand for One Hundred and Eight

Dollars, and that affiant is duly authorized to make the affidavit.

✓ Mary J. De Gruy  
Mary J. De Gruy

Sworn to and subscribed before

me this 21 day of August, 1958

Anna S. Loding  
Notary Public  
Mobile County, Alabama

This claim having  
been paid in full  
is hereby cancelled  
released and discharged  
this 9th day of  
September 1985  
Mary J. Le Gruey  
By J. B. Blackburn  
as her attorney in fact

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate



Mrs. Mary J. De Gruy  
1102 Elmira St.,  
Mobile, Ala.

July 13, 1953

To: Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased  
c/of Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Executor

For professional services rendered by Mrs. Mary J. De Gruy R.N.  
to Mr. Frank Mancini:

From June 27th, 1953 through  
July 8th, 1953 - 12 days @ \$9.00 per day - - - - - \$108.00

Exhibit "A"

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Filed Aug 25, 1953 M

Recorded Claims book 2 page 29

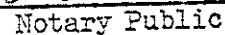
W.R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate HS

Personally appeared before me

who, upon oath, deposes and says, that Exhibit A, hereto attached, and now referred to, is a correct statement of the claim which she

Mrs. T. K. Jackson

me this 20 day of August, 1953.



~~Mobile~~ County, Alabama

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MARCH 15, 1954

This claim having been paid  
in full, is hereby cancelled,  
released and discharged  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 1953  
Mrs. J. H. Jackson  
By J. B. Blackburn  
As her attorney in fact

Mrs. T. K. Jackson,  
Fairhope, Ala.

To: Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased  
c/of Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Executor

For professional services rendered by Mrs. T. K. Jackson, R. N.  
to Mr. Frank Mancini:

From July 4th, 1953 to  
July 8th, 1953 - 4 days @ \$11.00 per day - - - - - \$44.00

Exhibit "A"

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
Filed Aug. 25, 1953  
Recorded Claims book 2 page 29  
W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate HS

STATE OF Alabama  
COUNTY OF Mobile

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Mary J. DeGruy  
of Mobile, Alabama, does hereby make, constitute and  
appoint J. B. Blackburn, of Bay Minette, Alabama,  
her true, sufficient, and lawful attorney for her and in her  
name and stead to cancel on the records of the Probate Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama that certain claim filed by Mary J. DeGruy  
against the Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, in the  
amount of One hundred and Eight and 00/100 Dollars

which claim is recorded in Book entitled "Claims Filed Against Estates",  
and to do and perform all acts necessary to effect the cancellation of this  
claim in as full and ample a manner as she might do.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said Mary J. DeGruy has  
executed this instrument by causing her name to be hereto signed hereunder  
this 1st day of Sept., 1953.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
Filed Sept. 9, 1953  
Recorded Claims book 2 page 29  
W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate HS

Mary J. De Gruy

Notary Public, Mobile County, Alabama  
My Commission Expires August 16, 1954

STATE OF Alabama  
COUNTY OF Mobile

I, Mary J. De Gruy, a Notary Public in and  
for said County in said State, hereby certify that Mary J. DeGruy,  
whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me,  
acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of  
the instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same  
bears date. Given under my hand and official seal this 1st day of  
Sept., 1953.

Mary J. De Gruy  
NOTARY PUBLIC, Mobile County, Ala.

STATE OF Alabama  
COUNTY OF Baldwin

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Mrs. George Hitchcock  
of Fairhope, Alabama, does hereby make, constitute and  
appoint J. R. Blackburn, of Bay Minette, Ala.,  
her true, sufficient, and lawful attorney for her and in her  
name and stead to cancel on the records of the Probate Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama that certain claim filed by Mrs. George Hitchcock  
against the Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, in the  
amount of Twenty and 00/100 Dollars  
which claim is recorded in Book entitled "Claims Filed Against Estates",  
and to do and perform all acts necessary to effect the cancellation of this  
claim in as full and ample a manner as she might do.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said Mrs. George Hitchcock has  
executed this instrument by causing her name to be hereto signed hereunder  
this 1st. day of Sept., 1953.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
Filed Sept. 9, 1953  
Recorded both page  
W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate HD

Mrs. George Hitchcock.

STATE OF Alabama  
COUNTY OF Baldwin

I, G. E. Perkins, a Notary Public in and  
for said County in said State, hereby certify that Mrs. George Hitchcock,  
whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me,  
acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of  
the instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same  
bears date. Given under my hand and official seal this 1st. day of  
September, 1953.

G. E. Perkins  
NOTARY PUBLIC, Baldwin County, Ala.

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED.

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

TO AMELIA M. BREITLING, DEMOPOLIS, ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, filed in this court on this date its petition, praying for authority to sell and convey all right, title and interest owned by the decedent at the time of his death in the joint ventures or partnerships known as Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, at private sale to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione, and that the said petition has been set for hearing and will be heard at ten o'clock A. M. on the 19 day of November, 1953.

You are further notified that you may appear on the said date and contest the same if you choose to do so.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 1953.

Reice J. Smith  
Register

Received in Sheriff's Office  
this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Nov 1953  
TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff

ORIGINAL NOTICE TO  
AMELIA M. BREITLING

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

Effectuated by giving  
a Copy of within  
To  
Amelia Breitling  
of Demopolis Ala  
This 5 day of Nov 1953  
T. Wilmer Shieff  
Sheriff  
By C. L. Bedsale D.S.  
of Marengo Co

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

FINAL DECREE IN THE MATTER OF THE EXEMPTIONS OF  
PERSONAL PROPERTY IN FAVOR OF MARY E. MANCI, AS  
WIDOW OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

This being the day regularly appointed by the court to hear and pass upon  
the setting aside of personal property to Mary E. Mancini, the widow of Frank  
Mancini, deceased.

It appearing to the court that testimony in this matter was taken  
orally before this court on the 23rd day of April, 1954, and by this  
testimony the petitioner proved the allegations in her petition.

It appearing to the court that notice of the date set for this final  
hearing has been given by Registered mail to Antonia M. Edmonds, and Carolyn  
M. Ray, and has been given by personal service upon Etheredge Mancini, Julia  
M. Batchelder, and Amelia M. Ereitling; that Alvera M. Trione, Orlando J.  
Mancini, Frank Mancini, Jr., Arthur Mancini, and the Merchants National Bank of  
Mobile, as Executor of the Estate of Frank Mancini deceased, have waived  
notice of the day set for this hearing.

And it further appearing to the court that no exceptions to this  
exemptions have been filed and sustained.

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the court that all  
the averments and allegations contained in said verified petition are true;  
that Mary E. Mancini, as widow of Frank Mancini, deceased, is entitled to have  
ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS of the personal estate of Frank Mancini  
exempted to her from the administration thereof.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that ONE THOUSAND  
(\$1000.00) DOLLARS of the personal property of the estate of Frank Mancini,  
deceased, is hereby exempted from the administration thereof. That Mary  
E. Mancini as the widow is entitled to the same. The Executor of this estate  
is hereby ordered to pay Mary E. Mancini, the sum of ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00)  
DOLLARS upon the proper receipt for the same.

Done this the 25 day of May, 1954.

Hubert M. Hall  
JUDGE



RECORDED

Filed 5-25-64  
Reice French  
Representative

JIMMY FAULKNER  
PUBLISHER

# THE BALDWIN TIMES

## BALDWIN COUNTY

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### NOTICE OF PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

In the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, In Equity.  
ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

To Antonina M. Edmonds, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida; Carolyn M. Ray, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida; and to all other persons, firms and corporations interested in this proceeding:

Notice is hereby given that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, filed in this court on this date its petition, accounts and vouchers for a partial settlement of this said estate.

Notice is further given that June 7, 1955, at ten o'clock A. M. has been appointed by the court as the date for examining, auditing and stating the said account, notice of which is hereby given to all parties interested to appear on said date and contest the same, if they think proper.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I

have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the court on this the 17th day of May, 1955.

ALICE J. DUCK,  
As Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in Equity.

J. B. BLACKBURN,  
Attorney for Executor.

13-3tc

### AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

E. R. Moussette, Jr., being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the ~~PUBLISHER~~ of THE BALDWIN TIMES, a Weekly Newspaper published at Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama; that the notice hereto attached of

Est. Frank Mancie

### COST STATEMENT

DS @ 5 cents 11 <sup>30</sup>  
is it correct, due and unpaid (paid).

E. R. Moussette Jr.  
Editor Publisher.

was published in said newspaper for 3 consecutive weeks in the following issues:

Date of 1st publication May 19, 1955 Vol. 66 No. 18

Date of 2nd publication May 26, 1955 Vol. 66 No. 19

Date of 3rd publication June 2, 1955 Vol. 66 No. 20

Date of 4th publication \_\_\_\_\_, 195\_\_\_\_ Vol. \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn before the undersigned this 2 day of June, 1955

Daneston Mouton  
Notary Public, Baldwin County.

E. R. Moussette Jr.  
Editor Publisher.



FILED  
JUN 3 1955  
ALICE J. DUCK, Registrar

RECEIVED BY REGISTER

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

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)  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

REQUEST FOR ORAL EXAMINATION OF WITNESSES

Now comes The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, and files this, its written request that the testimony of the witnesses named below be taken orally in open court in the manner prescribed by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended, on the hearing of the said cause that has been set for ten o'clock A. M. on November 19, 1953.

The witnesses to be used are as follows:

Garet V. Aldridge  
Leslie C. Bambarger  
D. S. Pennington  
V. R. Pritchard  
*Arthur Mancie*

Dated this 19th day of November, 1953.

*J. B. Blackburn*  
Solicitor for The Merchants National Bank, as Executor as aforesaid.

REQUEST FOR ORAL EXAMINATION OF  
WITNESSES

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

DECREE SETTING DATE FOR PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted on the petition of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, praying for a partial settlement of this estate, upon consideration of all of which it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. The said petition for partial settlement shall be and the same is hereby set for hearing at ten o'clock A. M. on June 7, 1955.

2. Notice of the date set for hearing the said petition shall be given by publication once a week for three successive weeks in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published at Bay Minette in Baldwin County, Alabama, and notice by personal service shall be given to all of the heirs of the said decedent named in the said petition for partial settlement who reside in the State of Alabama.

3. On a hearing of the said petition the testimony of all witnesses for the petitioner shall be taken in open court in the manner prescribed by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 17 day of May, 1955.

Hubert M. Hall  
Judge

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

DECREE SETTING DATE FOR PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted on the petition of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, praying for a partial settlement of this estate, upon consideration of all of which it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. The said petition for partial settlement shall be and the same is hereby set for hearing at ten o'clock A. M. on June 7, 1955.

2. Notice of the date set for hearing the said petition shall be given by publication once a week for three successive weeks in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published at Bay Minette in Baldwin County, Alabama, and notice by personal service shall be given to all of the heirs of the said decedent named in the said petition for partial settlement who reside in the State of Alabama.

3. On a hearing of the said petition the testimony of all witnesses for the petitioner shall be taken in open court in the manner prescribed by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 17 day of May, 1955.

J. Hubert M. Hall  
Judge

PROOF OF WILL.

(Box 324-2)

MARSHALL &amp; BRUCE, NASHVILLE

The State of Alabama, BALDWIN County

## PROBATE COURT

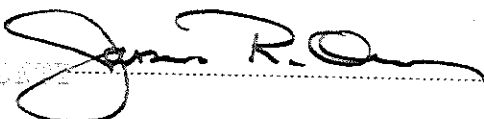
August 17, 1953.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased.Present, Hon. W. R. Stuart, Judge of Probate.Before me, W. R. Stuart, Judge of Probate, in and for said County, personally appeared in open Court James R. Owen

who, having been by me first duly sworn and examined, did depose and say on oath, that he is a subscribing witness to the instrument of writing now shown to him and which purports to be the last will and testament of Frank Mancini, deceased, late an inhabitant of this County, that said Frank Mancini signed and executed said instrument on the day the same bears date, and declared the same to be his last will and testament, and that affiant set his signature thereto on the day the same bears date as a subscribing witness to the same in the presence of said Frank Mancini, J. B. Blackburn, and Mary Lou Blackburn her and that such other witness subscribed ~~his~~ name as a witness in his presence and in the presence of said Frank Mancini and J. B. Blackburn

That said Frank Mancini was of sound mind and disposing memory, and in the opinion of the deponent fully capable of making his will at the time the same was so made as aforesaid. Affiant further states that said Frank Mancini was on the day of the said date of said will of the full age of twenty-one years and upwards.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY



(L. S.)

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W. R. StuartJudge of Probate WRS

(L. S.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of August, 1953.

Judge of Probate.



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# The State of Alabama,

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County.

## PROBATE COURT

Estate of

FRANK MANCI,

Deceased.

## PROOF OF WILL

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 witness to the instrument of writing now shown to ~~him~~ and which purports to be the last will and testament  
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STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Mary Lou Blackburn (L. S.)Recorded Will book 1 page 44

(L. S.)

W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate MS

(L. S.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of August, 1953.W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate.

# The State of Alabama,

.....BALDWIN.....County.

## PROBATE COURT

Estate of

.....FRANK MANCI,.....

.....Deceased.

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ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

TO JULIA M. BATCHELDER, 5113 EIGHTH TERRACE STREET, BIRMINGHAM,  
ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, has filed its petition, account and vouchers for a partial settlement of this said estate.

You are further notified that ten o'clock A. M. on June 7, 1955, has been set as the date for hearing the said petition, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper so to do.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the court on this the 17th day of May, 1955.

Reice L. Wicks  
Register of the Circuit Court of  
Baldwin County, Alabama, in Equity.

Received in Sheriff's Office  
File 17 day of May 19 1955  
TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff

EXECUTED this the MAY 19 1955  
day of leaving a copy of the within with  
Julia M. Batchelder  
HOLT A. McDOWELL, Sheriff  
Jefferson County, Alabama  
W. B. Davis D.S.

NOTICE TO JULIA M. BATCHELDER  
ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

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ESTATE OF  
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
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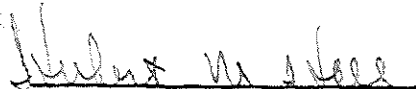
DECREE SETTING DATE FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted for a decree setting a date for the final settlement of this estate upon the petition, account and vouchers of the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, which have been filed in this Court on this day, upon consideration of all of which it is ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court as follows:

1. December 12, 1956, at ten o'clock A. M. shall be, and the same is hereby set as the date for final settlement of this estate.

2. Notice of the filing of the petition for final settlement and of the day set for hearing the same shall be given by publication once a week for three successive weeks, in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published at Bay Minette in Baldwin County, Alabama, the first of which shall be made on to-wit, November 22, 1956. Notice by personal service shall also be given to the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of said decedent who reside in the State of Alabama in the form and manner prescribed by law.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 20th day of November, 1956.

  
Judge.

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DECREE SETTING DATE FOR FINAL  
SETTLEMENT

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY.

Filed 11-21-56  
Heinz J. Leuch  
clerk

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER OF NOTICE

We, the undersigned, Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini and Frank Mancini, Jr., do each hereby waive notice of the filing of the Petition for Final Settlement of this Estate and of the date set for hearing the same and do each hereby consent and agree that said matter be set for hearing and heard at ten o'clock A. M. on December 12, 1956, without further notice to us, all of which is hereby expressly waived.

DATED this 30th day of November, 1956.

Mary E. Mancini  
Mary E. Mancini

Arthur Mancini  
Arthur Mancini

Frank Mancini, Jr.  
Frank Mancini, Jr.

WITNESS to signature of Mary E. Mancini:

J. B. Blackburn

WITNESS to signature of Arthur Mancini:

J. B. Blackburn

WITNESS to signature of Frank Mancini, Jr.:

J. B. Blackburn



ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER  
OF NOTICE OF MARY E. MANCI,  
ARTHUR MANCI AND FRANK MANCI, JR.

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY.

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER OF NOTICE

I, the undersigned Etheredge Mancie, do hereby waive notice of the filing of the Petition for Final Settlement of this Estate and of the date set for hearing the same and do hereby consent and agree that said matter be set for hearing and heard at ten o'clock A. M. on December 12, 1956, without further notice to me, all of which is hereby expressly waived.

DATED this 14 day of December, 1956.

Etheredge Mancie  
Etheredge Mancie.

WITNESS:

D. J. Mancie

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER  
OF NOTICE OF ETHEREDGE MANCI.

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to serve a copy of the following notice on the party named therein, whose place of residence is shown below.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this the 26th day of November, 1956.

*Alice J. Duck*  
 Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
 Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
 Alabama, in Equity.

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ESTATE OF		IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
FRANK MANCI,		BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
Deceased.		IN EQUITY.

TO: ETHEREDGE MANCI,  
 BELFOREST, ALABAMA

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, filed in this Court on the 20th day of November, 1956, its Petition, Account and Vouchers for a final settlement of this said Estate.

You are further notified that December 12, 1956, at ten o'clock A. M. has been set as the date for hearing the said Petition, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you should elect so to do.

WITNESS my hand this 26th day of November, 1956.

*Alice J. Duck*  
 Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
 Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
 Alabama, in Equity.

No. 3122

NOTICE

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

Received 26 day of Nov 1956

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By service on

TAYLOR W. L. L. S.

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ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

TO AMELIA M. BREITLING, DEMOPOLIS, ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank, of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, has filed its petition, account and vouchers for a partial settlement of this said estate.

You are further notified that ten o'clock A. M. on June 7, 1955, has been set as the date for hearing the said petition, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper so to do.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the court on this the 17th day of May, 1955.

*Alice L. Smith*

Register of the Circuit Court of  
Baldwin County, Alabama, in Equity.

Received in Sheriff's Office  
this 17 day of May 1955  
TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff

Accepted by  
giving a check  
for \$100.00  
to Mrs. Breittling  
this 17 day of  
May 1955  
T. L. M. Shield  
Sheriff

By C. L. Bedsole  
D.S.  
Hernapolis  
Ala  
Marney Co

NOTICE TO AMELIA M. BREITLING

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY 3/22

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

TO MARY E. MANCI, DAPHNE, ALABAMA; ARTHUR MANCI, DAPHNE, ALABAMA;  
ETHEREDGE MANCI, BELFOREST, ALABAMA; FRANK MANCI, JR., FAIRHOPE,  
ALABAMA; ORLANDO J. MANCI, BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA; AND ALVERA M.  
TRIONE, DAPHNE, ALABAMA:

You and each of you are hereby notified that The Merchants  
National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor  
of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank MancI, Deceased,  
has filed its petition, account and vouchers for a partial settle-  
ment of this said estate.

You are further notified that ten o'clock A. M. on June 7,  
1955, has been set as the date for hearing the said petition, at  
which time you may appear and contest the same, if you think proper  
so to do.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and af-  
fixed the seal of the court on this the 17th day of May, 1955.

*[Signature]*  
Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama, in Equity.



Received 19 day of May 1955  
and on 20 day of May 1955

I served a copy of the within Notice

on Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini

Etheredge Mancini, Frank Mancini

By service on Alvera M. Trione

TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff  
By W. Leigh Steadler D.S.

Received 17 day of May 1955

and on 18 day of May 1955

I served a copy of the within Notice

on \_\_\_\_\_

By service on Orlando J. Mancini

TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff  
By J. D. Adams D.S.

NOTICE TO MARY E. MANCI, ARTHUR  
MANCI, ETHEREDGE MANCI, FRANK  
MANCI, JR., ORLANDO J. MANCI,  
AND ALVERA M. TRIONE.

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY 3122

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ESTATE OF	)	IN THE
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FRANK MANCI,	)	CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY,
	)	
Deceased.	)	ALABAMA. IN EQUITY.
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MR. BLACKBURN, REPRESENTING THE EXECUTOR OF SAID ESTATE:

TESTIMONY TAKEN IN OPEN COURT, BEFORE HON. HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE  
OF SAID COURT, ON DECEMBER 12, 1956.

MR. GARET V. ADLDRIDGE, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. Are you Mr. Gareth V. Aldridge?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Mr. Aldridge, what is your connection with the Merchants  
National Bank of Mobile?

A. I am Trust Officer of the Merchants National Bank.

Q. As such Trust Officer have you handled for the Merchants  
National Bank the affairs of Frank Mancie, deceased?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Have you heretofore signed and filed in this Court a  
petition for final settlement?

A. Yes sir.

Q. I will ask you, Mr. Aldridge, if you are familiar with the  
last will and testament of Frank Mancie, particularly with  
respect to the residuary devisees and legatees which  
are named in paragraph 11 in the will?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Are the residuary legatees and devisees in the will the only persons now interested in this estate?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Mr. Aldridge, I will ask you if The Merchants National Bank at this time is chargeable on this settlement with the sum of \$29,578.86?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Has it expended, and is it entitled to credit of \$21,891.20?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Leaving a balance to be accounted for of \$7,687.66?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Now I will ask you too, Mr. Aldridge, if the Merchants National Bank, as Executor of this estate, is entitled to additional statutory commissions in the amount of \$147.99?

A. Yes, that is correct.

Q. I will ask you too if all of the Attorneys fees due me, except \$350.00 has been paid?

A. Yes sir.

Q. That is to say I am due a balance of \$350.00 on the settlement?

A. Yes sir, that is what I understand.

Q. I will ask you if you have furnished to all of the residuary devisees and legatees complete information about this entire settlement?

A. Yes sir.

Q. In addition to that are all of the allegations set out in  
(page 2)

the petition for final settlement true and correct, except the mistake I made in the paragraph relative to those who were entitled to share in this final settlement?

A. Well you say those entitled to share - there is no mistake as to those who are to share.

Q. In the petition I set out some that were not residuary devisees and legatees - that is what I'm talking about.

A. Yes sir, all of the other allegations are true.

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C E R T I F I C A T E:

I hereby certify that the foregoing, pages 1 to 3 both inclusive, correctly sets forth a true and correct transcript of the testimony taken in open Court, before Hon. Hubert M. Hall, Judge of said Court, in the above styled cause.

This 12th day of December, 1956.

Louise S. Sweeney  
Court Reporter

August 18, 1953

3/22

Receipt is hereby acknowledged from The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, as Executor of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased, of all of the household goods, furnishings, and fixtures bequeathed to me under Item Two of the Will of Frank Mancini deceased and in consideration of this delivery to me, will hold said bank as Executor or otherwise harmless from any liability be reason thereof.

Mary E. Mancini  
Mary E. Mancini

# 39

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

This day came The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and filed in this court its petition, in writing and under oath, for authority to accept an offer made by Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione to purchase all right, title and interest owned by the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased, in the businesses conducted under the trade names of Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, and for authority to sell the said interest owned by the said estate of Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione at private sale, and for authority to make, execute and deliver proper conveyance thereof: upon consideration of all of which, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. The 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1953, at ten o'clock A. M., shall be and the same is hereby appointed and set as a time for hearing the said petition.

2. Ten days notice of the filing of the said petition and of the date set for hearing same shall be given by the Register of this court to all of the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, which parties are all of his heirs, which notice shall be given to those of the said devisees and legatees who are residents of the State of Alabama by personal service, and to those who are non-residents of the State of Alabama by service by registered mail.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 2nd day of  
November, 1953.

Hubert M Hall  
Judge

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

BOOK 001 PAGE 421

We, the undersigned Mary E. Manci, Arthur Manci, ~~Etheredge Manci~~, Frank Manci, Jr., and Alvera M. Trione, do each hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of Frank Manci, Deceased, and of the date set for hearing same, and do each hereby consent and agree that the said petition be heard and a decree rendered admitting the said Will to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, without further notice to us.

Dated this 27 day of July, 1953.

Mary E. Manci  
Mary E. Manci

Arthur Manci  
Arthur Manci

Etheredge Manci

Frank Manci, Jr.

Alvera M. Trione  
Alvera M. Trione

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, J. B. Blackburn, a Notary Public, within and for said ~~County in said~~ State, hereby certify that Mary E. Manci, Arthur Manci, ~~Etheredge Manci~~, Frank Manci, Jr., and Alvera M. Trione, whose names are signed to the foregoing instrument and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal on this the 27th day of July, 1953.

J. B. Blackburn  
State 2  
Notary Public, ~~Baldwin County~~, Alabama,  
at Large.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Filed July 28, 1953 M

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W.R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate 15

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

REPORT OF SALE BY EXECUTOR

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY:

Now comes The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and respectfully represents unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. Petitioner, as said executor, has complied in all respects with the decree rendered in this cause authorizing the sale of the decedent's interest in joint ventures or partnerships, which decree is dated November 19, 1953, has conveyed the said property described in the said decree to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione for the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000), which said amount has been paid to it, as said executor, and has made, executed and delivered a proper conveyance to the said purchasers conveying the said property.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays that its actions in selling and conveying the said property in the manner provided in and by the said decree be fully and completely ratified and confirmed.

Petitioner further prays that such other orders be made and decrees rendered as may be requisite and proper in the premises.

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
A National Banking Association,  
As Executor of and under the Last Will and  
Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased,

By

*Garret V. Allen*

As its Trust Officer.



STATE OF ALABAMA )  
                          \*  
BALDWIN COUNTY     )

Before me, the undersigned authority, within and for said County in said State, personally appeared Garet V. Aldridge, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says:

That he is one of the Trust Officers of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association; that he has read over the foregoing report and that the facts stated therein are true.

Garet V. Aldridge

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 28 day of April, 1954.

Mary Lou Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

ESTATE OF ) IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED. )  
\* ) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
TO ETHEREDGE MANCI, BELFOREST, ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, filed in this court on the 14th day of July, 1953, an instrument in writing signed by Frank Mancie, and attested by Mary Lou Blackburn, James R. Owen and J. B. Blackburn, subscribing witnesses, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, petitioning the court to probate the same.

You are further notified that the 17th day of August, 1953, at ten o'clock A. M., has been set for the hearing of the said petition, on which day you may appear and contest the same, if you choose to do so.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1953.

*W. R. Stuart*

Probate Judge.

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BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

(JUL 29 1953)  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

*Handwritten notes:*  
Etheredge Mancie  
J. B. Blackburn  
Mary Lou Blackburn  
James R. Owen

*Executed by personal  
service. 2-31-53  
A.P. Sanderson, H.S.*

(Original)

NOTICE TO ETHEREDGE MANCI  
ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

Date June 9 - 1955

BOOK 020  
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The undersigned, a residuary legatee named in the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, deceased, acknowledges to have received from The Merchants National Bank of Mobile as Executor of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased, the sum of \$2,000.00, to apply on distributive share of the undersigned in said Estate as ordered by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama on Partial Settlement of said Estate.

Orlando J. Mancini  
Orlando J. Mancini

JUN 10 1955

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

BOOK 001 PAGE 418

I, the undersigned Orlando J. Manci, do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of Frank Manci, Deceased, and of the date set for hearing same, and do hereby consent and agree that the said petition be heard and a decree rendered admitting the said Will to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, without further notice to me.

Dated this 20 day of July, 1953.

Orlando J. Manci

Orlando J. Manci

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, Mary Lou Blackburn, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Orlando J. Manci, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal on this the 20 day of July, 1953.

Mary Lou Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Filed July 28, 1953 M

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W. R. Stuart

Judge of Probate

MARSHALL & BRUCE

(Box 500-3)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Baldwin } Court of Probate.  
COUNTY.

THE WILL OF Frank Mancì

having been duly admitted to record, in said County, LETTERS TESTAMENTARY are hereby granted to

The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

the Executor named in said Will, who has complied with the requisitions of the law, and is hereby  
authorized to take upon itself the execution of such Will.

Witness my hand and dated this 17th day of August, 1953.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

*W. R. Stuart*

Code 1940, Title 61, Sec. 70.

Judge of Probate.

Recorded *Pro + Min*  
*W. R. Stuart*

READ CAREFULLY

The law requires Administrators and Executors to file an inventory within two months from appointment and to make annual settlements. Failure to do either subjects you to a penalty. (Code 1940, Title 61, Sec. 194 and 206).

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,.....COUNTY.

I,....., Judge of the Probate Court in and for.....

County, Alabama, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Letters Testamentary heretofore issued out of the Probate Court of.....County, Alabama, on the LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of the said....., deceased, to

.....as the Execut..... thereof, as the same appears on file and of record in this office and are still in full force and effect.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this the.....day of....., 19.....

Judge of the Probate Court.

The State of Alabama

County.

PROBATE COURT

ESTATE OF

Deceased.

Execut.....

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

Issued.....day of.....

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

PETITION OF MARY E. MANCI FOR PERSONAL  
PROPERTY EXEMPTION

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN  
COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY SITTING:

Comes now Mary E. Mancini and shows unto your Honor as follows:

1.

That she is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and over the age  
of twenty-one years.

2.

That she is the widow of Frank Mancini, deceased; that the said Frank  
Mancini died a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, on to-wit, July 8, 1953,

3.

That the said Frank Mancini left a last will and testament which was duly  
probated in Baldwin County, Alabama, on August 17, 1953, and that Letters  
Testamentary were granted on his estate August 17, 1953; that it has been  
more than twenty days since the grant of administration.

4.

That the said Frank Mancini left a personal estate, which included cash,  
in excess of ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS.

5.

Your Petitioner comes now and by this petition exercises her right of  
exemption under Title 7, Section 665 of the Alabama Code of 1940 as amended  
and selects as the personal property exempt to her under this Section,  
ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS cash.

6.

~~That the Will of Frank Mancini exempted his executor from filing an~~  
appraisement; that the court has not appointed appraisers nor commissioners  
and in the belief of your Petitioner it is not necessary to appoint apprais-  
ers or commissioners.

7.

That the said Frank Mancini left surviving him, his widow, the Petitioner  
and the following next of kin:



Arthur Manci, a son, Daphne, Alabama.  
 Etheredge Manci, a son, Belforest, Alabama.  
 Frank Manci, Jr., a son, Fairhope, Alabama.  
 Orlando J. Manci, a son, Bay Minette, Alabama.  
 Julia M. Batchelder, a daughter, C/o Motel Birmingham, Route 11,  
 Box 9, Birmingham, Alabama.  
 Amelia M. Breitling, a daughter, Demopolis, Alabama.  
 Antonia M. Edmonds, a daughter, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida.  
 Carolyn M. Ray, a daughter, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida.  
 Alvera M. Trione, a daughter, Daphne, Alabama.

## PRAYER FOR PROCESS

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Petitioner prays that your Honor will by proper process make the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Alabama, a national banking association, Arthur Manci, Etheredge Manci, Frank Manci, Jr., Orlando J. Manci, Julia M. Batchelder, Amelia M. Breitling, Antonia M. Edmonds, Carolyn M. Ray, Alvera M. Trione, parties Respondent to this petition and require them each to plead, answer, demur and except, to the same within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

## PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Your Petitioner prays that Your Honor will set a day for the taking of testimony in this matter; and upon due proof of this petition will set aside ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS of the estate of Frank Manci, deceased, as exempt from the administration thereof and order the Executor to pay the same over to your Petitioner.

Your Petitioner prays that if she be mistaken in the relief prayed for that Your Honor will grant him such other, further, different and general relief to which she may be entitled, premises considered.

Mary E. Mancini  
 Petitioner

STATE OF ALABAMA  
 BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, Arthur M. Brantley, a Notary Public, in and for said State and County, personally came and appeared Mary E. Mancini, who, being, first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that the averments and allegations contained in the foregoing petition are true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of Feb, 1954.

Arthur M. Brantley  
 Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

Service accepted and further notice  
is hereby waived, this 17th day of  
February 1954

Michaela National Bank  
of Portland, Oregon  
and its branches  
Manny Blackwell  
137 S. B. Street  
Attest



FILED  
FEB 17 1954

ALICE J. DUCK, Register

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ESTATE OF ) IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED. ) \*  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE

On the 14th day of July, 1953, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, filed in this court its petition in writing, duly verified by oath, praying the court to admit to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, an instrument in writing that purports to be his Last Will and Testament, which was filed in this court on the said date with the said petition in this cause. On, to-wit, July 28, 1953, written waivers of notice of the filing of the said petition and of the date set for hearing same, signed by Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini, Frank Mancini, Jr., Alvera M. Trione, Carolyn M. Ray, Antonia M. Edmonds, Amelia M. Breitling and Orlando J. Mancini, the widow and all of the children of the said decedent, except Etheredge Mancini and Julia M. Batchelder, were filed in this court. On, to-wit, July 28, 1953, this court, on motion of the said Petitioner, made and entered an order setting ten o'clock A. M. on August 17, 1953, as the date for hearing the said petition to probate the said Will, notice of which was given by personal service to Etheredge Mancini and Julia M. Batchelder more than ten days prior to this date.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that all of the heirs at law of the said Frank Mancini have either waived notice of the filing of the petition in this cause and of the date set for hearing same, or have been served with notice in the manner provided above, the court does now hear the said petition.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court by the testimony of Mary Lou Blackburn, and James R. Owen, witnesses examined in open court, that on the 13th day of September, 1949, in the presence of the said witnesses and J. B. Blackburn, the said decedent did sign his name in writing to the instrument in writing that purports to be his Last Will and Testament and which was propounded for probate and record in this court on the 14th day of July, 1953, and that

at the time of the signing of the said Will the said Frank Mancini was over the age of twenty-one years and of sound mind, and that he signed the said instrument as and for his Last Will and Testament; that at the time and place of signing, said Mary Lou Blackburn, James R. Owen and J. B. Blackburn did sign their names to the said instrument in writing as attesting witnesses thereto at the request of the said Frank Mancini, and in the presence of each other and in his presence, and that the said Frank Mancini died on or about the 8th day of July, 1953, and that he was an inhabitant of Baldwin County, Alabama at the time of his death:

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that the petition in this cause be and the same is hereby granted and the instrument in writing, which was propounded for probate and record on the 14th day of July, 1953, which purports to be the Last Will and Testament of the said Frank Mancini, Deceased, which is dated the 13th day of September, 1949, signed by the said Frank Mancini and attested by the said Mary Lou Blackburn, James R. Owen and J. B. Blackburn, be and the same is hereby declared to be the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and that it be and it is hereby admitted to probate and record in this court as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said Frank Mancini, Deceased. It is further ordered that the Last Will and Testament of the said Frank Mancini, with the proof thereof, be recorded.

The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, having been named as executor in the said Will, without bond, Letters Testamentary shall be and they are hereby issued to it, as such Executor.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 17th day of August, 1953.

W. R. Stuart  
Probate Judge

STATE OF ALABAMA

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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate

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STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to serve a copy of the following notice on the party named therein, whose place of residence is shown below.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this the 26th day of November, 1956.

Alice J. Duck  
Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, in Equity.

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NOTICE

ESTATE OF		IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
FRANK MANCI,		BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
Deceased.		IN EQUITY.

TO: ETHEREDGE MANCI,  
BELFOREST, ALABAMA

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, filed in this Court on the 20th day of November, 1956, its Petition, Account and Vouchers for a final settlement of this said Estate.

You are further notified that December 12, 1956, at ten o'clock A. M. has been set as the date for hearing the said Petition, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you should elect so to do.

WITNESS my hand this 26th day of November, 1956.

Alice J. Duck  
Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, in Equity.

Witness, in Equity,  
Official Clerk of Baldwin County,  
State of Georgia, as Registrar of the  
*[Signature]*

Witness at New York City on November, 1920.

Not appearing since so to do.

Notation, as after time you may appear and confess the same, it

ordered, N. Y. and New York as the date for hearing the said

For the Court and the Court, as the date for hearing the said

Account and Account for the settlement of this said Estate.

In this Court on the 24th day of November, 1920, the Defendant,

and the Plaintiff, as the Court, deceased, being

of the County of Baldwin, Georgia, as executor of and in-

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased,  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY.

Deceased,  
FRANK MANCI,

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

Deceased,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

IN EQUITY.

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Witness, in Equity,

Official Clerk of Baldwin County,  
State of Georgia, as Registrar of the

*[Signature]*

the 24th day of November, 1920.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the

seal of said

Court at New York City, on the 24th day of November, 1920.

For the Court and the Court, as the date for hearing the said

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BALDWIN COUNTY

STATE OF ALABAMA

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

TO MARY E. MANCI, DAPHNE, ALABAMA; ARTHUR MANCI, DAPHNE, ALABAMA;  
ETHEREDGE MANCI, BELFOREST, ALABAMA; FRANK MANCI, JR., FAIRHOPE,  
ALABAMA; ORLANDO J. MANCI, BAY MINETTE, ALABAMA; and ALVERA M.  
TRIONE, DAPHNE, ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank MancI, Deceased, filed in this court on this date its petition, praying for authority to sell and convey all right, title and interest owned by the decedent at the time of his death in the joint ventures or partnerships known as MancI's Farms, MancI's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, at private sale to Arthur MancI and Angelo F. Trione, and that the said petition has been set for hearing and will be heard at ten o'clock A. M. on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1953.

You are further notified that you may appear on the said date and contest the same if you choose to do so.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1953.

Alvin J. Welch  
Register



Received in Sheriff's Office  
this 2 day of Nov, 1953  
TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff

# 312-2

Received 2 day of Nov, 1953  
and on 2 day of Nov, 1953  
served a copy of the within Mary E. Mancini  
Arthur Mancini, Etheredge Mancini  
Frank Mancini Jr., Alvera M. Trione  
by service on and Alvera M. Trione

TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff  
By W F Hall D.S.

ORIGINAL NOTICE TO  
MARY E. MANCI, ARTHUR  
MANCI, ETHEREDGE MANCI,  
FRANK MANCI, JR., ORLANDO J.  
MANCI, AND ALVERA M. TRIONE

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

TO JULIA M. BATCHELDER, C/o MOTEL BIRMINGHAM, ROUTE 11, BOX 9,  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, filed in this court on this date its petition, praying for authority to sell and convey all right, title and interest owned by the decedent at the time of his death in the joint ventures or partnerships known as Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, at private sale to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione, and that the said petition has been set for hearing and will be heard at ten o'clock A. M. on the 19 day of November, 1953.

You are further notified that you may appear on the said date and contest the same if you choose to do so.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1953.

W. J. Rouse  
Register

Received in Sheriff's Office  
this 21 day of Nov 1953  
TAYLOR WATKINS, Sheriff

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ORIGINAL NOTICE TO  
JULIA M. BATCHELDER  
R7D 11. Box 9

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

EXECUTED this 3 day of Nov 1953  
by leaving a copy of the within with

Julia M. Batchelder  
HOLT A. McDOWELL, Sheriff  
Jefferson County, Alabama  
By M. Hallin D.S.

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FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased,

ESTATE OF.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

DECREE REMOVING ADMINISTRATION TO EQUITY COURT

And now comes the Merchants National Bank, as Executor of the Estate of Frank Mancie, Deceased, and files in this Court a Decree from the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, ordering that the above styled cause be transferred to the said Circuit Court;

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that the above styled cause, being Probate File Number 3246, be, and the same hereby is, in its entirety, transferred and delivered to the Circuit Court, Equity Division, Baldwin County, Alabama.

Witness my hand this the 21st day of October 1953.



Judge of Probate.

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Mr. James R. Owen, Attorney

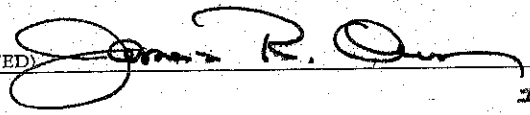
DATE August 25, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2.50  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

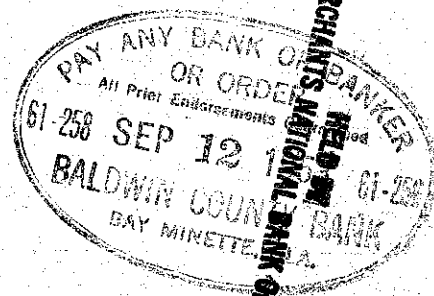
Reimbursement to James R. Owen, Attorney and associate of J. B. Blackburn,  
Attorney for Estate for direct cost to him of copies of Plans of Various  
Subdivisions of Real Estate mentioned in will of Frank Mancini, deceased.

FROM: ESTATE OF FRANK MANCINI #1305

PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING

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Mrs. Mary J. DeGray

DATE August 27, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 100.00

In full payment for professional nursing services rendered  
Frank Mancini, deceased, during last illness as per claim filed  
in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK MANCINI #1305

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(SIGNED)

Mary J. DeGray #2

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Mrs. George Hitchcock

DATE August 27, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF - - - - \$ 20.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

In full payment for professional nursing services rendered  
Frank Mancini, deceased, during last illness as per claim filed  
in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI #1305

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(SIGNED)

✓ Mrs. George Hitchcock  
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THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE  
FIELD BY

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T T COMPANY  
PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

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BANK OF FAIRHOPE

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PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

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BANK OF FAIRHOPE

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Mrs. E. K. Jackson

DATE August 27, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 45.00

In full payment for professional nursing services rendered  
Frank Mancini, deceased, during last illness as per claim filed  
in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK MANCINI #1305

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(SIGNED)

Mrs. E. K. Jackson

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TRUST COMPANY  
PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

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BANK OF FAIRHOPE

61- Fairhope, Ala. -461

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Mr. James R. Owen, Attorney

DATE Sept. 1, 1953

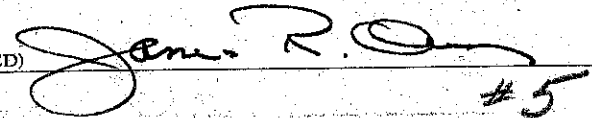
ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 4.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For reimbursement to Mr. James R. Owen, Attorney and Associate of Mr.  
J. B. Manderson, Attorney for the Estate of Frank Manti, for direct cost  
to him of copies of plats of various subdivisions of Real Estate mentioned in  
will of Frank Manti, deceased.

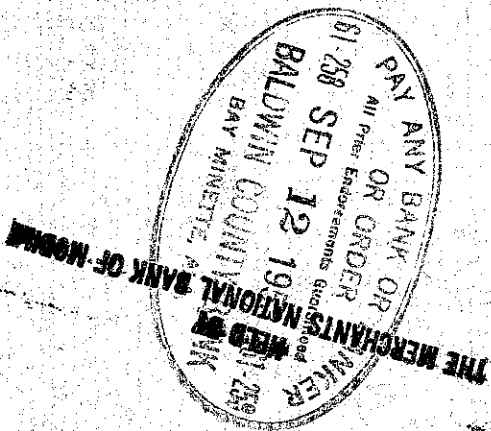
FROM: ESTATE OF FRANK MANTI, #1305

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(SIGNED)

  
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PAY TO THE ORDER OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY BANK  
THE S. KAHALLEY STORE



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THAMES, JACKSON, HARRIS CO.

DATE Sept. 3, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 67.80  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Prepaid rate 8/31/53 on \$3,000 fire & ext. cov. ins. on barn,  
property of Frank Hanci, dec'd

FROM: #105 EXT. FRANK HANCI

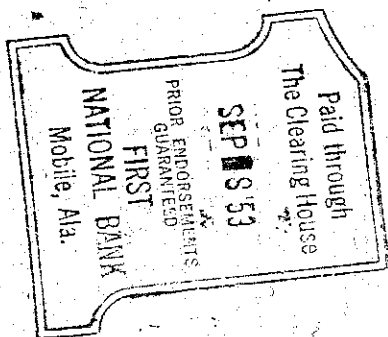
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THAMES, JACKSON, HARRIS CO.

(SIGNED)

*B. H. Harris* #6

PAY TO THE ORDER OF  
Any Bank, Banker or Trust Co.  
All Prior Endorsements Guaranteed  
THAMES, JACKSON, HARRIS CO.  
MOBILE, ALA.



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THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE

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H. R. Stuart, Judge of Probate

DATE Sept. 10, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 27.10

Court costs in matter of probate of will of Frank Nanci, deceased

FROM:

#1302 INT. FRANK NANCI

PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING

(SIGNED)

H. R. Stuart Probate Judge  
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THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE

PAY ANY BANK OR BANKER  
OR ORDER  
All Prior Endorsements Guaranteed  
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BALDWIN COUNTY BANK  
BAY MINETTE, ALA.

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Sept. 18, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ .50  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Reimbursement expenses Garet Aldridge trip to Bay Minette, Ala. 9/10/53  
Re: estate matters.

FROM: EST. FRANK HANCE, #1303

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK  
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OF MOBILE

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Sept. 10, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ .50  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Reimbursement expenses Garet Aldridge trip to Bay Minette, Ala. 9/10/53  
Re: estate matters.

FROM: EST. FRANK HANCE, #1305

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK  
PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING  
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*La Brown*

AUDITOR #8

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Sept. 23, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ .50

For reimbursement expenses to Garth Aldridge, Truck Officer, trip to  
Bay Minette, Ala. on 9/22/53 - Terminal Tolls .50

FROM: ESTATE OF FRANK HANGL, #1305

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK  
OF MOBILE  
BEFORE DEPOSITING  
PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW

(SIGNED)

*Carroll* #9

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State of Alabama, Bureau of Vital Statistics

DATE Sept. 23, 1933

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ .50  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For cost of certified copy of the death certificate of Mr. Frank Nanci.

FROM: EST. OF FRANK NANCE, #1305

PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING

(SIGNED) SEE REVERSE

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF  
STATE TREASURER  
STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

PAY TO THE ORDER OF  
ANY BANK, BANKER OR TRUST CO.  
PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

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SIDVL POOL, TREASURER

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Merchants National Bank

DATE Sept. 22, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2.52  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Reimbursement Travel Tolls and Misc. expenses Carol Aldridge, T.O., trip to Bay Minette  
& Dauphin, Ala. 9/22/53 - 69¢ - and proportionate share, Travel Tolls, Gasoline and Misc.  
expenses trip to Panama City, Fla. 9/25/53 re. Estate matters \$1.92.

FROM: EST. FRANK MARCI, #1305

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK  
PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING  
OF MOBILE

(SIGNED) BY

*Car Brown*

AUDITOR //



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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Sept. 30, 1953

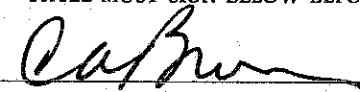
ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF - - - - - \$ .79  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:Reimbursement to Bank for cost of telephone call by  
Carol Albridge to Arthur Manci, Mobile, Ala. 8/18/53  
88/18/53 Re: Note of Frank Manci

FROM:

ALICE ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI

Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Ala.  
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(SIGNED)



AUDITOR # 12

# 13

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Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Oct. 1, 1933

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:Reimbursement for expenses of Carol Aldridge Trip to Daphne, Ala. on 9/29 and 9/30  
for Hotel Billings

FROM: ESTATE OF JAMES HARRIS, #1305

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK  
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(SIGNED)

By

C. A. Brown

AUDITOR # 13

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Oct. 14, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ .90  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Reimbursement for expenses of Carol Aldridge Trip to Bayona, Ala. and return on  
10/6/53 - Re. Estate Matters - Travel, tolls & Misc.

FROM:  
EST. OF FRANK MANGI, #1305

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK  
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OF MOBILE

(SIGNED BY

*C. Brown*

AUDITOR # 14

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Mr. D. S. Pennington

DATE Oct. 14, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF

\$ 100.00

IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For services in connection with appraisal of assets of Estate of Frank Marci,  
Deceased.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MARCI, #1305

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(SIGNED)

*D. S. Pennington*

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Mr. Leslie C. Bamberger

DATE Oct. 14, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 100.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For services in connection with appraisal of Assets of Estate of Frank Menel,  
Deceased.

FROM:  
EST. FRANK MENEL, #1303

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(SIGNED)

Leslie C Bamberger  
#16

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Mr. J. E. Gooden

DATE Oct. 14, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 100.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:  
For services in connection with appraisal of Assets of Estate of Frank Manci,  
Deceased.

FROM: EST. FRANK MANCI, #1305

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(SIGNED)

*J. E. Gooden*

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE October 19, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2.99  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:Reimbursement for cost of Telephone calls to Bay Minette  
and Fairhope, Ala. on 9/1/53 and 9/8/53 by Garret Aldridge  
Per Invoice dated

FROM:

ALICE BECK OF FRANK HANCI

THE PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING  
THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE(SIGNED) *by*

By

*7/10/53 #18*

ASST. AUDITOR

#19

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Mr. J. S. Blackburn, Attorney

DATE Oct. 22, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 26.40  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Reimbursement for cost of Federal Revenue Bond Tax Stamps to be attached to Deed  
from Merchants National Bank as Executor under Will of Frank Mondl to Arthur Mondl  
and Angelo F. Trione, dated October 22, 1953

FROM: EST. FRANK MONDL, #1305

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(SIGNED)

J. S. Blackburn  
Attorney #19



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The Jordan Clinic

DATE Oct. 23, 1959

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 205.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Expenses incident to last illness of Frank Harrel, deceased, in accordance with  
claim as filed in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

FROM:

EST. FRANK HARREL, #1305

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(SIGNED)

The Jordan Clinic  
By J. S. 2. #20

TRUST COMPANY  
PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

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61- Fairhope, Ala. -461

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Higgins Mortuary, Inc.

DATE Oct. 23, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 649.07  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Funeral Expenses of Frank Hugel, deceased, in accordance with claim as filed in  
Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

FROM:

EST. FRANK HUGEL, #1305

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(SIGNED)

Higgins Mortuary, Inc.  
By Viola F. Loebs #21

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ENDORSEMENT C. THIS DRAFT AND EXECUTION OF THIS RECEIPT REQUIRED

Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Nov. 20, 1933

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1.98  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

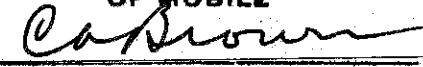
Reimbursement to Ernest Abirdge, T.O., expenses of trip to Bay Minette, Ala. and  
return on Nov. 19th, No. 10 Court Hearing - Sale of Business Interest - Estate  
of Frank Mendi - Travel Reim. \$0 and Caroline \$1.48.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MENDI, #1305

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(SIGNED) By



AUDITOR

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M. H. Wilkins, Tax Collector

DATE December 2, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$368.30

Payment of 1953 State, Baldwin County and Town of Daphne taxes  
assessed against Frank Handl.

FROM:

#1305 Estate of Frank Handl

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(SIGNED)

M. H. Wilkins

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PAY ANY BANK OR BANKER  
OR ORDER  
All Prior Endorsements Guaranteed  
61-258 DEC 4 1953 61-2  
BALDWIN COUNTY BANK  
BAY MINETTE, ALA

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ENDORSEMENT OF THIS DRAFT AND EXECUTION OF THIS RECEIPT REQUIRED

Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE December 2, 1953

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 13.02  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

To reimburse for cost of various long distance telephone calls to  
attorneys, appraisers and members of family during September and  
October, 1953 concerning estate matters.

FROM:

#1305 Estate of Frank Masol

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(SIGNED)

The Merchants National Bank  
F. B. [Signature]

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V. R. Pritchard & Co., C.P.A.'s

DATE Jan. 15, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 30.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For professional services in matter of preparation of final Federal and State of Ala.  
Income Tax Returns of Frank Nunn, deceased, and in connection with appearances in  
Chancery Court of Mobile County, Ala. in matter of Petition of Executor heard  
11/19/53.

FROM: FRANK NUNN, DECEASED

PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING

(SIGNED)

*V. R. Pritchard* C.P.A.  
V. R. PRITCHARD & CO. #25  
MOBILE, ALABAMA

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MOBILE, ALA.  
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R. H. WILDMAN, JR., Cashier

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State of Alabama, Department of Revenue

DATE Jan. 19, 1934

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2.34  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:  
Income taxes due under final return to State of Alabama, joint return Mrs. Mary  
Mancil and Frank Mancil, deceased.

FROM: EST. FRANK MANCIL, 1905

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STATE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

(SIGNED)

J. F. Anderson

#26

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FOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED

JAN 25 '54 00000

SIEYL POOL, TREASURER

61-99 STATE OF ALABAMA 61-99

PAY TO  
STATE TREASURER  
STATE DEPT. OF REVENUE  
STATE TAX COMMISSION  
STATE INCOME TAX DIVISION

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Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE

Feb. 3, 1934

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2.56  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:  
Reimbursement for costs long distance calls to Bay Minette 11/12/33 and Fairhope  
on 11/9 and 11/10/33 - Bay State Matters.

FROM:

231. FRANK HANCK #1305

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(SIGNED)

C. Brown

AUDITOR

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J. B. Blackburn, Attorney

DATE Feb. 24, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 500.00

On account of professional service rendered in connection with the Probating of  
the Will and Administration of the Estate of Frank Mursi, deceased.

FROM: FRANK MURSI, 1954

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(SIGNED)

J. B. Blackburn  
Attorney #28

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V. R. Pritchard & Co.

DATE Feb. 25, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 500.00

IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For professional service rendered as C.P.A. in connection with audit of business enterprises known as "Hussel's Farm", "Hussel's Service Station" and "Optima Cleaners", Dayton, Alabama in connection with administration of the Estate of Frank Hussel, deceased.

FROM: EST. FRANK HUSSEL, 21305

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(SIGNED)

V. R. Pritchard & Co.  
By V. R. Pritchard #29

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Mary E. Manel

DATE August 9, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Payment from assets of Estate of Frank Manel, deceased, in  
accordance with terms of Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, dated May 15, 1954, in the matter of Exemptions of  
personal property in favor of Mary E. Manel as widow of  
Frank Manel, deceased

FROM:

Estate of FRANK MANEL

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(SIGNED)

Mary E. Manel

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61- Fairhope, Ala. -461

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61- Fairhope, Ala. -461

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T. R. Fritchard & Co.

DATE Aug. 27, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 50.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For professional services re verification of Estate Tax return  
and in advising should question arise with the Internal  
Revenue Service

FROM:

1304 ST. FRANK NANCY

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(SIGNED)

*T. R. Fritchard*  
*By T. R. Fritchard*  
*Member of Firm*

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Frank Mancini, Jr.

DATE Aug. 26, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 3,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Cash bequest under Item Fourth of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased.

FROM: EST. FRANK MANCINI, 71305

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(SIGNED)

Frank Mancini, Jr.  
#32

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61- Fairhope, Ala. -461

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61- Fairhope, Ala. -461

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Julia M. Batchelder

DATE Aug. 25, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Cash bequest under Item Seventh of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MANCINI, 1930

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(SIGNED)

Julia M. Batchelder

#33

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OR THROUGH THE B'HAM CLEARING HOUSE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 35201

WOODLAWN, ALA. 35201

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK  
OF ATLANTA

BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 35201

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Carolyn M. Ray

DATE Aug. 25, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Cash bequest under Item Eighth of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MANCINI, WILL

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(SIGNED)

Carolyn M. Ray

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Amelia M. Breitling

DATE Aug. 25, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Cash bequest under Item Ninth of the Will of Frank Hanel, deceased.

FROM:

EST. FRANK HANEL, #1305

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(SIGNED)

✓ Amelia M. Breitling ✓  
#35

Paid through  
The Clearing House

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NATIONAL BANK  
Mobile, Ala.

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E. B. Stuart, Judge of Probate, Baldwin Co.

DATE Aug. 30, 1934

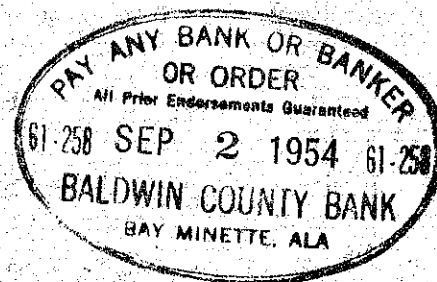
ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 5.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

For certified copy of Will of Frank Manci

FROM: ALICE M. FRANK MANCI

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(SIGNED) *MR Stuart Probate Judge*  
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Director of Internal Revenue

DATE Sept. 3, 1954

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 2,574.07

Estate taxes due to U. S. Treasury as per Estate Tax Return dated  
September 3, 1954

FROM: ~~EST. BANK NO. 11305~~

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*George Hattum*

DIRECTOR

12 #37

61-19 PAY TO THE ORDER OF 61-19  
ANY BANK, BANKER OR TRUST  
OR THROUGH  
THE B' HAM CLEARING HOUSE

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61-19 PRICE ENCLOSURE GUARANTEED  
BIRMINGHAM BRANCH  
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK  
OF ATLANTA  
BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 61-19

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE

November 11, 1934

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ .66

Reimbursement for telephone call to Mr. Brantley, Atty., Bay Minette,  
Mo. (8/9/34) re estate matters.

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK HANCI NO. 1305

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Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Mo.

(SIGNED)

*Capron*

AUDITOR

#38

Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Ala.

*La Brown*  
AUDITOR

TOM  
HEARD

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Allen J. Dunk, Register

DATE Dec. 14, 1936

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 30.65

Court costs in matter of Final Settlement of Estate of Frank  
Hunt, deceased, as per decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama, dated December 12, 1936.

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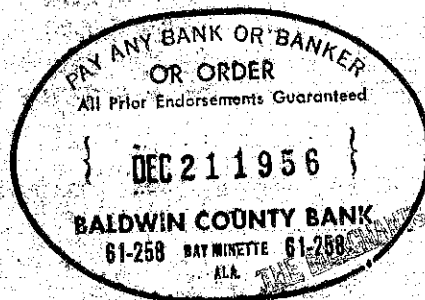
ALSO LEGAL OF FRANK HUNT, DECEASED

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*Alfred Hunt*

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The Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE Dec. 14, 1936

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 147.99

Balance of Executor's Commission - Matter of Estate of Frank Mani,  
deceased, as allowed by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, dated December 12, 1936.

PAID

FROM:

FRANK MANI, DECEASED

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THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE

(SIGNED)

*[Signature]*

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J. B. Blackburn, Attorney

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 350.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Balance due for Attorney's fees through and including Final  
Settlement of the Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, as allowed  
by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, dated  
December 12, 1956.

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK MANCINI, DECEASED

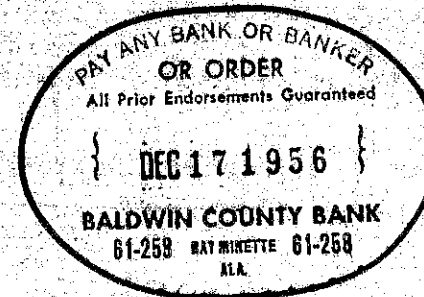
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(SIGNED)

J. B. Blackburn  
Attorney

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Orlando J. Mancini

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,022.72  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Final payment on distributive share from assets of Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, as directed by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, on Final Settlement of Estate dated December 12, 1956.

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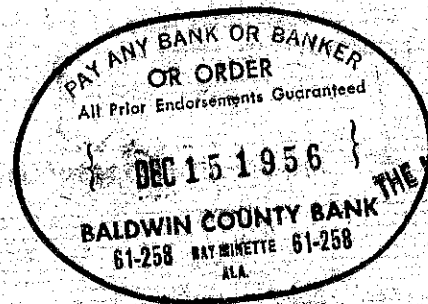
71305 ESTATE OF FRANK MANCINI, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Orlando J. Mancini

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Antonina M. Edwards

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,022.72  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Final payment on distributive share from assets of Estate of Frank  
Hank, deceased, as directed by Decree of Circuit Court of Indian  
County, Kansas, on Final Settlement of Estate dated December 12,  
1956.

FROM:

1305 ESTATE OF FRANK HANK, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Antonina M. Edwards

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MOBILE CLEARING HOUSE  
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FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
MOBILE ALABAMA 61-26

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Carolyn M. Ray

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 1,022.72

Final payment on distributive share from assets of Estate of Frank  
Hank, deceased, as directed by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama, on Final Settlement of Estate dated December 12,  
1956.

FROM:

1905 ESTATE OF FRANK HANK, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Carolyn M. Ray

(58)

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MOBILE CLEANSING HOUSE  
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PRIOR ENDORSEMENTS GUARANTEED  
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Julia M. Batchelder

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 1,022.72

Final payment on distributive share from assets of Estate of Frank  
Mori, deceased, as directed by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama, on Final Settlement of Estate dated December 12,  
1956.

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK MORI, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Julia M. Batchelder

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 OF ALABAMA  
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Amelia M. Breitling

IN FULL PAYMENT OF

PAID TO ORDER OF Amelia M. Breitling, Trustee of Estate of Frank Mancini, Decedent of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Georgia, Settlement of Estate dated December 12, 1958.

FROM:

FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Amelia M. Breitling

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Arthur Mamet

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,022.71  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Final payment on distributive share from assets of Estate of Frank  
Mamet, deceased, as directed by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama, on Final Settlement of Estate dated December 12,  
1954.

FROM:

ESTATE OF FRANK MAMET, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Arthur Mamet

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61- FAIRHOPE, ALA. -461

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Frank Mani, Jr.

DATE Dec. 14, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1,000.71  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Final payment on distributive share from assets of Estate of Frank  
Mani, deceased, as directed by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin  
County, Alabama, on Final Settlement of Estate dated December 12,  
1956.

FROM:

1305 ESTATE OF FRANK MANI, DECEASED

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(SIGNED)

Frank Mani, Jr.

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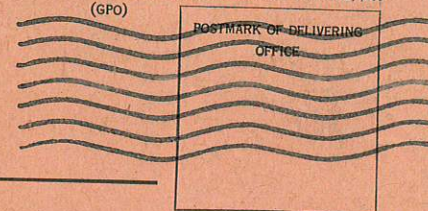
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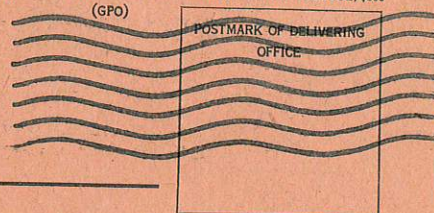
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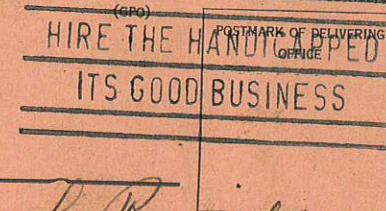
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(NAME OF SENDER)

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REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 326 Post Office Bay Minette

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STATE OF ALABAMA )  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

BOOK 001 PAGE 422

We, the undersigned ~~Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini, Etheredge Mancini and Alvera M. Friene~~, do each hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and of the date set for hearing same, and do each hereby consent and agree that the said petition be heard and a decree rendered admitting the said Will to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, without further notice to us.

Dated this 15 day of July, 1953.

Mary E. Mancini

Arthur Mancini

Etheredge Mancini

Alvera M. Friene

Frank Mancini Jr.  
Frank Mancini, Jr.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, Marian Bluthardt, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that ~~Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini, Etheredge Mancini and Alvera M. Friene~~, whose names ~~are~~ signed to the foregoing instrument and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, ~~they~~ executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal on this the 15th day of July, 1953.

M. Bluthardt

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

July 28, 1953  
W. R. Stewart  
Judge of Probate



STATE OF ALABAMA )  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

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Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

July 28, 1953  
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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

TO JULIA M. BATCHELDER, C/O MOTEL BIRMINGHAM, ROUTE 11, BOX 9,  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, filed in this court on the 14th day of July, 1953, an instrument in writing signed by Frank Mancie, and attested by Mary Lou Blackburn, James R. Owen and J. B. Blackburn, subscribing witnesses, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, petitioning the court to probate the same.

You are further notified that the 17th day of August, 1953, at ten o'clock A. M., has been set for the hearing of the said petition, on which day you may appear and contest the same, if you choose to do so.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1953.

*W. R. Stuart*

Probate Judge.

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN THE PROBATE COURT

FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

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NOTICE TO JULIA M. BATCHELDER

(copy)

28:11:23

(Copy)  
 NOTICE TO JULIA M. BATCHELDER  
 ESTATE OF  
 FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
 BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

*Bham Mail  
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1953 JUL 20 AM 11:30

EXECUTED this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1953  
 by leaving a copy of the within with

*Julia M Batchelder*  
 HOLIF A. McDOWELL, Sheriff  
 Jefferson County, Alabama

By *McLellan* D.S.

signed and sealed

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as of second day of

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Circuit Court, Baldwin County, Alabama

DATE June 8, 1955

\$ 121.30

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Court costs incurred in the matter of the Partial Settlement of the Estate of Frank  
Mural, deceased, as ordered by Decree of Court, dated June 7, 1955.

FROM: FRANK MURAL, SING

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(SIGNED)

Alice J. Wierck  
Circuit Clerk

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PAY ANY BANK OR BANKER  
OR ORDER  
All Prior Endorsements Guaranteed  
61-258 JUN 22 1955  
BALDWIN COUNTY BANK  
BAY MINETTE, ALA.

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Orlando J. Marini

DATE June 8, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF

\$ 2,000.00

IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

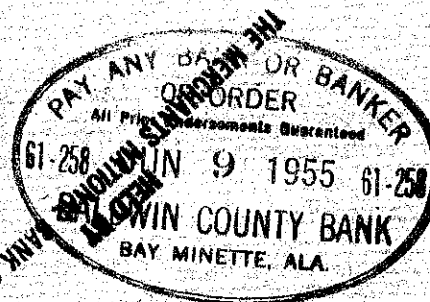
Partial distribution from assets of Estate of Frank Marini, deceased, to apply on distributive share in said Estate as per Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama dated June 7, 1955 in matter of Partial Settlement of said Estate.

FROM: ESTATE OF FRANK MARINI, DECEASED

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(SIGNED) *Orlando J. Marini*

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Antonia M. Edmond

DATE June 6, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF - - - - \$ 2,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Partial distribution from estate of Estate of Frank Ward, deceased, to apply on  
distribution share in said Estate as per Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama dated June 7, 1955 in matter of Partial Settlement of said Estate.

FROM:

EST. FRANK WARD, #1505

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(SIGNED)

X Antonia M. Edmond X

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63-35 NATIONAL BANK OF 63-35  
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Julia M. Batchelder

DATE June 6, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Partial distribution from assets of Estate of Frank Hanci, deceased, to apply on  
distributive share in said Estate as per Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama dated June 7, 1955 in matter of Partial Settlement of said Estate.

FROM:

EST. FRANK HANCI, #1305

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Julia M. Batchelder

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**FIELD OFFICIAL BANK OF AMERICA**

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Carolyn M. Ray

DATE June 8, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

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distributive share in said Estate as per Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama dated June 7, 1955 in matter of Partial Settlement of said Estate.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MANCINI, #1305

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Carolyn M. Ray

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Amelia M. Breitling

DATE June 8, 1955

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IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Partial distribution from assets of Estate of Frank Menel, deceased, to apply on  
distributive share in said Estate as per Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
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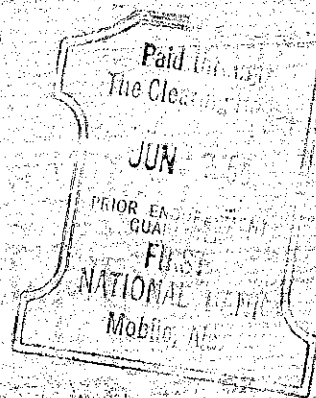
FROM:

FRANK MENEL, #1305

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(SIGNED) x Amelia M. Breitling

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Arthur Mancini

DATE June 8, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Partial distribution from assets of Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, to apply on distribution share in said Estate as per Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama dated June 7, 1955 in matter of Partial Settlement of said Estate.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MANCINI, #1309

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(SIGNED)

Arthur Mancini

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BANK OF FAIRHOPE

61 - Fairhope, Ala. - 461

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61 - Fairhope, Ala. - 461

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Frank Mancini, Jr.

DATE June 8, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Partial distribution from assets of Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, to apply on  
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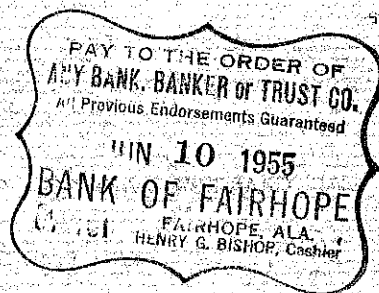
FROM: MRS. FRANK MANCINI, #1305

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(SIGNED)

X Frank Mancini Jr. X

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THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE  
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Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE June 8, 1935

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

\$ 1,052.66

For commission and special expensation allowed by Decree of the Circuit Court of  
Baldwin County, Alabama dated June 7, 1935 on Partial Settlement of the Estate,

FROM:

EST. FRANK HANCE, AL305

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MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK

(SIGNED)

of MOBILE, ALA.

By

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J. B. Blackburn

DATE June 9, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 2,000.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

On account of legal services in the matter of the administration of the Estate  
of Frank Marshall, deceased.

FROM:

EST. FRANK MARSHALL, #1305

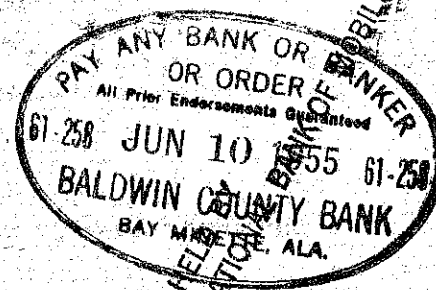
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(SIGNED)

J. B. Blackburn

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Merchants National Bank of Mobile

DATE August 3, 1955

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 1.32  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Reimbursement for cost of telephone call to Bay Minette, Alabama 5/13/55  
re Estate Administration matters

FROM:

14302 - ESTATE OF FRANK MARCI

(49)

(SIGNED)

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MERCHANTS NA BANK

of MOBILE, ALA.

*[Signature]*

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State of Alabama  
State Department of Revenue  
Estate Tax Division

DATE October 3, 1956

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF

\$ 87.84

IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

Estate tax due the State of Alabama on recomputation as per report of  
Federal Examining Officer dated 9/21/56 - \$78.43 plus interest of \$9.41.

FROM:

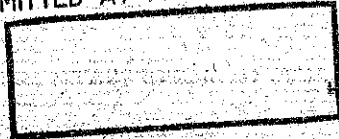
Estate of Frank Mancini (130)

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STATE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
(SIGNED) M. Lockridge

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THIS CHECK IS IN PAYMENT OF  
A STATE TAX AND MUST BE  
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N. P.  
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THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, MOBILE, ALA.

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District Director of Internal Revenue  
Birmingham, Alabama

DATE Oct. 15, 1936

ACKNOWLEDGES TO HAVE RECEIVED THE SUM OF \$ 4,828.00  
IN FULL PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING:

The balance of Estate tax due from the Estate of Frank Mandl, deceased,  
being deficiency on recomputation as per report of Federal Examining  
Officer dated 9/21/36 - \$4,303.77 plus interest in the amount of \$524.23  
as per letter statement dated 10/11/36.

FROM:

#1303 Estate of Frank Mandl, deceased

PAYEE MUST SIGN BELOW BEFORE DEPOSITING

(SIGNED)

*George H. Patterson*  
DIRECTOR 7/11/36

(51)

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, MOBILE, ALA.  
HELD BY

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BANK OF AMERICA TRUST CO

THROUGH  
THE SHAM CLEANING HOUSE

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BIRMINGHAM BRANCH

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

OF ATLANTA

61-19

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

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Date June 10 1955

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Antonia M. Edwards  
Antonia M. Edwards

JUN 13 1955

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Julia M. Batchelder  
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Date

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\* Amelia M. Breitling \*  
Amelia M. Breitling

JUN 17 1955

Date 7-7-55

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X Arthur Mancini X  
Arthur Mancini

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Frank Mancini, Jr.

Frank Mancini, Jr.

JUN 13 1955

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF MOBILE

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_ a Notary Public, in and for said  
State and County M. H. Radney who, upon oath, deposes and says, that Exhibit  
A, hereto attached, and now referred to, is a correct statement of the claim which he  
asserts and files against the estate of Frank Mancini, deceased for  
\$649.07 Dollars, that the affiant has a personal knowledge of the correctness  
of said claim; that the amount claimed is justly due from the estate of Frank Mancini  
deceased to Higgins Mortuary, Inc. after allowing all proper credits, and now  
constitutes a subsisting demand for \$649.07 Dollars, and that affiant is duly autho-  
rized to make this affidavit.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25th day  
of August, 19 53.

Violet C. Radney Notary Public

Mobile County, Alabama

Higgins Mortuary, Inc.

Secy.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

Ø IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
Ø BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

PETITION OF MARY E. MANCI FOR PERSONAL  
PROPERTY EXEMPTION

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN  
COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY SITTING:

Comes now Mary E. Mancí and shows unto your Honor as follows:

1.

That she is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and over the age  
of twenty-one years.

2.

That she is the widow of Frank Mancí, deceased; that the said Frank  
Manci died a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, on to-wit, July 8, 1953,

3.

That the said Frank Mancí left a last will and testament which was duly  
probated in Baldwin County, Alabama, on August 17, 1953, and that Letters  
Testamentary were granted on his estate August 17, 1953; that it has been  
more than twenty days since the grant of administration.

4.

That the said Frank Mancí left a personal estate, which included cash,  
in excess of ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS.

5.

Your Petitioner comes now and by this petition exercises her right of  
exemption under Title 7, Section 665 of the Alabama Code of 1940 as amended  
and selects as the personal property exempt to her under this Section,  
ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS cash.

6.

That the Will of Frank Mancí exempted his executor from filing an  
appraisement; that the court has not appointed appraisers nor commissioners  
and in the belief of your Petitioner it is not necessary to appoint apprais-  
ers or commissioners.

7.

That the said Frank Mancí left surviving him, his widow, the Petitioner  
and the following next of kin:

Arthur Manci, a son, Daphne, Alabama.  
Etheredge Manci, a son, Belforest, Alabama.  
Frank Manci, Jr., a son, Fairhope, Alabama.  
Orlando J. Manci, a son, Bay Minette, Alabama.  
Julia M. Batchelder, a daughter, C/o Motel Birmingham, Route 11,  
Box 9, Birmingham, Alabama.  
Amelia M. Breitling, a daughter, Demopolis, Alabama.  
Antonia M. Edmonds, a daughter, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida.  
Carolyn M. Ray, a daughter, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida.  
Alvera M. Trione, a daughter, Daphne, Alabama.

PRAYER FOR PROCESS

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Petitioner prays that your Honor will by proper process make the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Alabama, a national banking association, Arthur Manci, Etheredge Manci, Frank Manci, Jr., Orlando J. Manci, Julia M. Batchelder, Amelia M. Breitling, Antonia M. Edmonds, Carolyn M. Ray, Alvera M. Trione, parties Respondent to this petition and require them each to plead, answer, demur and except, to the same within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Your Petitioner prays that Your Honor will set a day for the taking of testimony in this matter; and upon due proof of this petition will set aside ONE THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS of the estate of Frank Manci, deceased, as exempt from the administration thereof and order the Executor to pay the same over to your Petitioner.

Your Petitioner prays that if she be mistaken in the relief prayed for that Your Honor will grant him such other, further, different and general relief to which she may be entitled, premises considered.

Mary E. Mancini  
Petitioner

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, Robert M. Brandy, a Notary Public, in and for said State and County, personally came and appeared Mary E. Mancini, who, being, first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that the averments and allegations contained in the foregoing petition are true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of Feb, 1954.

Robert M. Brandy  
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

FOR REGISTERED ARTICLE No. 838

4-23, 1954  
(Date)

aid 1  
None

Return receipt fee 07  
Special delivery fee 20

Restricted delivery  
(Accepting employee will place  
initials in proper space)

in person

or order

Fee paid

Miss J. Duck etc  
(Sender)

Box 210  
(Post office and State)

Miss Carolyn M. Ray  
(Address)

Box St. Petersburg Fla  
(Post office and State)

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FOR REGISTERED ARTICLE No. 839

4-23, 1954  
(Date)

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None

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in person

or order

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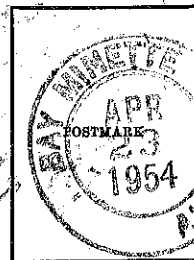
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

NOTICE TO NEXT OF KIN

TO: Etheredge Manci, Daphne, Alabama; Julia M. Hatchelder, C/O Hotel  
Birmingham, Rt. 11, Box 9, Birmingham, Alabama; Amelia M. Breitling,  
Alabama; Antonia M. Edmonds, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida;  
M. Ray, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida;

This day came Mary E. Manci, Petitioner in the above styled cause and  
presented her petition and took testimony to prove herself entitled to the  
relief sought thereby.

By This Petition Mary E. Manci shows herself to be entitled, as the  
widow of Frank Manci, deceased, to a personal property exemption of ONE  
THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS, a copy of this petition and testimony are on  
file in this cause in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, and subject to your inspection.

You will take notice that a further hearing of this matter is set on  
the 23rd day of May, 1954; and unless you file exceptions thereto this  
exemption will be granted and become final on this day.

A. J. J. J.  
Circuit Clerk.

*Handwritten signature/initials*

*Handwritten signature/initials*

NOTICE TO AMELIA M. BREITLING  
I have executed the within  
Notice on Amelia M. Breitling  
Breitling this the 15 day  
of May 1954.

FILED  
APR 23 1954  
ALICE J. ROOK, Register

#3122

Received 23 day of April 1954  
and on 6 day of May 1954  
I served a copy of the within

on Mrs. Amelia M. Breitling  
By service on Taylor Wilkins

TAYLOR WILKINS, Sheriff  
By Handwritten signature S.

T. Wilmer Shields Sheriff  
New Bedford D.S.

# RECEIPT

The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

Nº 2626

Equity Division, Circuit Court.

Case No. 3172

Date 6-9, 1955

RECEIVED OF H. Hedrick (Estate of Frank Mancie)  
the sum of one hundred twenty-one <sup>38</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Trial Tax	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$

Deirdre J. Smith  
As Register, Baldwin County, Ala.

Total \$ 121.38

By \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile, Ala., July 11, 1955

Estate of Frank Manci, Deceased

to The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, DR.

TRUST DEPARTMENT

TRUST No. 1305

DATE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
6/9/55	Statutory commissions through and including May 17, 1955 as authorized by Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama on Partial Settlement dated June 7, 1955	852.66
6/9/55	Compensation for special services by executor in accordance with Decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama dated June 7, 1955.	1,000.00
	<b>PAID</b> 6-9-55	
	Total	1,852.66
	THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE TRUST DEPARTMENT MOBILE, ALABAMA By: <i>[Signature]</i>	

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

DECREE CONFIRMING SALE

This cause coming on again to be heard on this date is submitted on the sworn petition of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, from which it appears that the said executor has complied in all respects with the decree heretofore rendered in this cause and dated November 19, 1953; that it has sold and conveyed the property described in the said decree to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione, and has collected the full amount due for the said property upon the conveyance thereof, upon consideration of all of which it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court that the sale by the said executor of the interest owned by the said decedent at the time of his death and that owned by his estate and all persons interested therein in the joint ventures or partnerships described in the said decree, namely: Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione shall be and the same is hereby fully and completely ratified and confirmed.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1954.

Arthur M. Trione  
Judge

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

} IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
}  
} BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
}  
} IN EQUITY

DECREE ON FINAL SETTLEMENT

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted for a decree finally settling this said estate upon the petition, account and vouchers filed in this cause on the 20th day of November, 1956, by The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent; the decree of this court dated November 20, 1956, setting the date for hearing the said petition for final settlement and prescribing the notice to be given to the parties interested therein; order of publication; proof of publication; personal service on Amelia M. Breitling and Julia M. Batchelder, residents of Alabama for more than ten days prior to this date; the acceptance of service and waiver of notice of Mary E. Mancini, Arthur Mancini, Frank Mancini, Jr., Etheredge Mancini and O. J. Mancini, who is also known as Orlando J. Mancini; the testimony of the witness for the petitioner taken in open court on this date in the manner prescribed by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended; upon consideration of all of which, the court is of the opinion and finds as follows:

A. Notice in the form and manner prescribed by law has been given to or waived by all parties interested in this proceeding and this cause is now ready for final settlement. Orlando J. Mancini, Antonina M. Edmonds, Julia M. Batchelder, Carolyn M. Ray, Amelia M. Breitling, Arthur Mancini and Frank Mancini, Jr., the residuary devisees and legatees named in Paragraph Eleventh of the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, are the only persons now interested in this proceeding and are the only persons entitled to notice of the filing of the said petition for final settlement and of the date set for hearing same.

B. A partial settlement was heretofore had in this cause, as will appear from the decree heretofore rendered in this cause dated June 7, 1955, notice of which was given in the same manner as required by law for final settlements of estates, so that petitioner as said executor, would have the protection afforded by Title 61, Section 315 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, and it is not now necessary to reconsider in this decree the matters disposed of in the said partial settlement.

C. Petitioner, as said executor, is chargeable on this settlement with the sum of \$29,578.86, and is entitled to credit for disbursements of \$21,891.20, leaving a balance of \$7,687.66 to be distributed on this final settlement.

D. The allegations of the said petition for final settlement are true and petitioner, as said executor, is entitled to the relief prayed for by it therein.

Upon consideration of all of which, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. The account of the said executor, which is set out in detail in the petition for final settlement heretofore filed by it in this cause, shall be and the same is hereby passed and allowed, and the said executor is hereby allowed credit for all disbursements made by it as shown by the said petition for final settlement.

2. Petitioner, as said executor, is entitled to additional statutory commissions in the amount of \$147.99, and it is hereby authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to pay to itself the said sum of \$147.99, take its receipt therefor and file the same in this cause.

3. The said sum of \$350.00 is due to J. B. Blackburn, petitioner's attorney, for services rendered by him to the said executor in connection with the said estate, which amount is hereby determined and fixed as the balance due the said attorney and the said executor is hereby authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to pay to the said J. B. Blackburn the said sum of \$350.00, take his receipt therefor and file the same in this cause.

4. The said executor is hereby authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to pay the court costs incurred in this proceeding, amounting to \$30.65, take a receipt therefor and file the same in this cause.

5. After paying the remaining executor's commissions of \$147.99, the remaining attorney's fees amounting to \$350.00, and the court costs amounting to \$30.65, there will remain in the possession of the said executor the sum of \$7,159.02, which is to be paid on this final settlement to Orlando J. Mancini, Antonina M. Edmonds, Julia M. Batchelder, Carolyn M. Ray, Amelia M. Breitling, Arthur Mancini and Frank Mancini, Jr., who are the residuary devisees and legatees named in Paragraph Eleventh of the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, and which is to be disbursed as follows:

Orlando J. Mancini	\$ 1,022.72
Antonina M. Edmonds	1,022.72
Julia M. Batchelder	1,022.72
Carolyn M. Ray	1,022.72
Amelia M. Breitling	1,022.72
Arthur Mancini	1,022.71
Frank Mancini, Jr.	1,022.71

The said executor is hereby authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to pay the said sum of \$1,022.72 to Orlando J. Mancini; the said sum of \$1,022.72 to Antonina M. Edmonds; the said sum of \$1,022.72 to Julia M. Batchelder; the said sum of \$1,022.72 to Carolyn M. Ray; the said sum of \$1,022.72 to Amelia M. Breitling; the said sum of \$1,022.71 to Arthur Mancini; the said sum of \$1,022.71 to Frank Mancini, Jr., the residuary devisees and legatees, take their receipts therefor and file the same in this cause.

6. Upon compliance with all of the terms and provisions of this decree, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, shall be and it is hereby relieved of and discharged from all other and further liability because of its administration and handling of this said estate.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 12th day of December, 1956.

Robert M. Lee  
Judge



ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED

} IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
}  
}  
} BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
}  
} IN EQUITY

DECREE ON PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

This cause coming on again to be heard on this date is submitted for a decree partially settling this estate upon the petition for partial settlement filed in this cause on May 17, 1955, by The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as executor of this said estate; the decree of this court dated May 17, 1955, setting this date for the hearing of the said petition for partial settlement and ordering the testimony of the witnesses for the petitioner to be taken orally in the manner provided by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended, and proof of publication of the notice of the date set for partial settlement of this estate; upon consideration of all of which the court finds as follows:

A. The petition for partial settlement filed in this cause on May 17, 1955, by the said executor of this said estate contains a full and correct account of all receipts and disbursements of the said executor up to this date. The said executor is chargeable on this settlement with the following: Cash receipts, \$41,596.40.

The said executor is entitled to credit for all of the disbursements heretofore made by it up to this date amounting to the sum of \$12,510.00.

The remaining cash balance to be accounted for by the said executor on this settlement is \$29,086.40.

B. The sum of \$3,000 which was devised and bequeathed by the said decedent to Frank Mancini, Jr., in Paragraph Fourth of his Last Will and Testament has been paid.

The sum of \$1,000, which was devised and bequeathed by the said decedent to Julia M. Batchelder in Paragraph Seventh of his Last Will and Testament, has been paid.

The sum of \$1,000, which was devised and bequeathed by the said decedent to Carolyn M. Ray in Paragraph Eighth of his Last Will and Testament, has been paid.

The sum of \$1,000, which was devised and bequeathed by the said decedent to Amelia M. Breitling in Paragraph Ninth of his Last Will and Testament, has been paid.

C. The said amount of \$29,086.40, for which the said executor is accountable on this partial settlement, after the deduction of necessary fees and charges of administration and a residue to be held for attorney's fees and for any additional estate taxes which may be assessed as hereinafter provided, shall belong to the residuary devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, namely: Orlando J. Mancini, Antonina M. Edmonds, Julia M. Batchelder, Carolyn M. Ray, Amelia M. Breitling, Arthur Mancini and Frank Mancini, Jr., share and share alike.

D. Notice of the filing of the petition for partial settlement was given at the request of the said executor in the manner and for the purposes provided by Title 61, Section 315 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, and was published once a week for three successive weeks in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published at Bay Minette in Baldwin County, Alabama, which notice appeared in the issues of said paper of May 19, 1955, May 26, 1955, and June 2, 1955.

Notice of the filing of the said petition for partial settlement was personally served on all of the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent who reside in the State of Alabama more than ten days prior to this date.

E. It is necessary that the said executor retain a part of the cash assets of this said estate for the purpose of paying any additional estate taxes and any other expenses, including attorney's fees, which may accrue before final settlement of this estate, a reasonable sum for which said purpose is \$13,112.36.

F. The remaining averments of the said petition for partial settlement are true and the petitioner is entitled to the relief prayed for therein:

WHEREFORE, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. The account contained in the petition for partial settlement filed in this cause shall be and it is hereby in all respects passed and allowed as stated. The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, as executor as aforesaid, is hereby allowed credit for all funds and assets disbursed as shown by the said petition for partial settlement.

2. The sum of \$13,111.36 having been determined to be a reasonable amount to be held by the said executor for the payment of taxes, attorney's fees and other expenses which may hereafter accrue in connection with the administration of this said estate, the said executor is hereby authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to hold the said sum to be used for the said purposes.

3. The said sum of \$852.66 is hereby fixed and allowed to the said executor as the statutory commissions due to it for services rendered by it through and including May 17, 1955. The said executor is authorized, empowered and directed to pay to itself the sum of \$852.66, take a proper receipt therefor and file it in this cause.

4. The said executor is authorized, empowered and directed to pay to itself the sum of \$1000.00, which is hereby allowed to it as compensation for special and extraordinary services rendered by it to this estate up to the time of the filing of the said petition for partial settlement. The said executor is authorized and empowered to pay to itself the said sum of \$1000.00, take a proper receipt therefor and file it in this cause.

5. The said executor is authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to pay the court costs incurred in this proceeding, amounting to \$121.38 to date, take a receipt therefor and file it in this cause.

6. The said executor is hereby authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to pay to the residuary devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, namely Orlando J. Mancini, Antonina M. Edmonds, Julia M. Batchelder, Carolyn M. Ray, Amelia M. Breitling, Arthur Mancini and Frank Mancini, Jr., the sum of \$2,000.00 for each of them to apply on their distributive

shares in this estate on this partial settlement. The said executor shall take a receipt from each of the said parties for the said payments made to them and file the said receipts in this cause.

7. The said executor having requested that notice of this partial settlement be given in the same manner as required by law in cases of final settlement of estates for the purpose of affording it the protection provided by Title 61, Section 315 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, and such notice having been so given, this decree is final and conclusive as to all matters of receipts and disbursements and all other transactions and matters shown herein and as to all fees and compensation fixed as allowed herein, and any appeal taken from this decree must be taken in the manner and within the time provided for taking appeals from decrees finally settling estates.

8. Jurisdiction of this cause is reserved for the purpose of making such other and further orders or decrees as may be or become necessary and proper in the premises.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 7th day of June, 1955.

Hubert M. Hall  
Judge.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
 \*  
 BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, the undersigned, Orlando J. Mancini, do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition for personal property exemption by Mary E. Mancini, wife of Frank Mancini, deceased, of the date set for the hearing thereof, and of the date set for hearing exceptions thereto.

Orlando J. Mancini  
 Orlando J. Mancini

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
 \*  
 BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, Mary Lou Blackburn, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Orlando J. Mancini, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 22nd day of February, 1954.

Mary Lou Blackburn  
 Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

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SEP 23 1954  
ALICE J. BUCK, Registrar

From 4 of

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to serve a copy of the following notice on the party named therein, whose place of residence is shown below.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this the 20th day of November, 1956.

*Alice J. Duck*  
Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, in Equity.

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N O T I C E

ESTATE OF		IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
FRANK MANCI,		BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
Deceased.		IN EQUITY.

TO: AMELIA M. BREITLING  
DEMOPOLIS, ALABAMA

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, filed in this Court on the 20th day of November, 1956, its Petition, Account and Vouchers for a final settlement of this said estate.

You are further notified that December 12, 1956, at ten o'clock A. M. has been set as the date for hearing the said Petition, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you should elect so to do.

WITNESS my hand this 20th day of November, 1956.

*Alice J. Duck*  
Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, in Equity.

#3122  
Original  
NOTICE

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

STATE OF ALABAMA  
MARENGO COUNTY

I have executed a copy of the  
within, on

Amelia Priddy  
28 day of November 19

J. Wilmer Shields Sheriff  
by Troy Spence D S

THE SHERIFF CLAIMS 36  
MILES AT 10¢ PER MILE FOR A  
TOTAL OF \$ 3.60

J. WILMER SHIELDS, SHERIFF



ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.)  
)  
)IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER OF NOTICE

I, the undersigned Orlando J. Mancini, do hereby waive notice of the filing of the Petition for Final Settlement of this Estate and of the date set for hearing the same and do hereby consent and agree that said matter be set for hearing and heard at ten o'clock A. M. on December 12, 1956, without further notice to me, all of which is hereby expressly waived.

DATED this 30th day of November, 1956.

O. J. Mancini  
Orlando J. Mancini.

WITNESS:

Glen L. Miller

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND  
WAIVER OF NOTICE OF ORLANDO  
J. MANCI.

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ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

FILED

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED.

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

DECREE REMOVING ADMINISTRATION TO EQUITY COURT

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted on the sworn petition filed in this cause on this date by The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, from which it appears that the said executor has been appointed, qualified and is now acting as such executor, the administration of which said estate is now pending in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, and that because of the broader powers of the said Equity Court, the administration of the said estate can be better handled in this court; upon consideration of all of which, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court as follows:

1. The administration of this said estate shall be and it is hereby removed from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in Equity.

2. The Register of this court shall deliver a copy of this decree to the Probate Judge of Baldwin County, Alabama, who shall transmit all of the relevant proceedings in connection with the administration of the said estate to this court.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 20 day of October, 1953.

  
Judge

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

BOOK 001 PAGE 419

I, the undersigned Amelia M. Breitling, do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and of the date set for hearing same, and do hereby consent and agree that the said petition be heard and a decree rendered admitting the said Will to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, without further notice to me.

Dated this 21 day of July, 1953.

Amelia M. Breitling

Amelia M. Breitling

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
MARENGO COUNTY )

I, Julia M. Massey, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Amelia M. Breitling, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal on this the 21 day of July, 1953.

Julia M. Massey

Notary Public, Marengo County, Alabama

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate Ho

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

BOOK 001 PAGE 420

We, the undersigned Antonia M. Edmonds and Carolyn M. Ray, do each hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition to probate the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and of the date set for hearing same, and do each hereby consent and agree that the said petition be heard and a decree rendered admitting the said Will to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, without further notice to us.

Dated this 17 day of July, 1953.

Antonia M. Edmonds  
Antonia M. Edmonds

Carolyn M. Ray  
Carolyn M. Ray

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
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ESCAMBIA COUNTY )

I, J. F. Miller, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Antonia M. Edmonds and Carolyn M. Ray, whose names are signed to the foregoing instrument and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and official seal on this the 17 day of July, 1953.

J. F. Miller

AFFIX SEAL

Notary Public, Escambia County, Florida

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

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W. R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate

Notary Public, State of Florida at large  
My commission expires Jan. 23, 1955.  
Bonded by Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co.

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

DECREE ORDERING ORAL EXAMINATION OF WITNESSES

The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, having filed in this court its written request that the testimony of its witnesses, namely, Garet V. Aldridge, Leslie C. Bambarger, D. S. Pennington ~~and~~ V. R. Pritchard, *and Arthur Mancie* be taken orally in open court in the manner provided by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended, at the hearing that has been set in this cause for ten o'clock A. M. on November 19, 1953, it is Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed by the court that the testimony of the said witnesses be taken orally in open court in the manner provided by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1953.

*Hubert M. Hall*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

DECREE ORDERING ORAL EXAMINATION  
OF WITNESSES  
ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

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BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED.

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
)  
) IN EQUITY

TO CAROLYN M. RAY, 805 EAST LEE STREET, PENSACOLA, FLORIDA, and  
ANTONINA M. EDMONDS, 805 EAST LEE STREET, PENSACOLA, FLORIDA:

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, filed in this court on this date its petition, praying for authority to sell and convey all right, title and interest owned by the decedent at the time of his death in the joint ventures or partnerships known as Mancie's Farms, Mancie's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, at private sale to Arthur Mancie and Angelo F. Trione, and that the said petition has been set for hearing and will be heard at ten o'clock A. M. on the 19 day of November, 1953.

You are further notified that you may appear on the said date and contest the same if you choose to do so.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1953.

*Amie J. ...*  
Register

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ORIGINAL NOTICE TO  
CAROLYN M. RAY AND  
ANTONINA M. EDMONDS.

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

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ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

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IN THE

CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY

ALABAMA. IN EQUITY NO. 3122

MR. ALDRIDGE, A WITNESS FOR THE PETITIONER, BEING FIRST  
DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. Mr. Aldridge, what is your occupation at this time?

A. Trust officer of the Merchants National Bank of  
Mobile, Alabama.

Q. Is the Merchants National Bank of Mobile Executor  
of the last will and testament of Frank Mancie, deceased?

A. Yes sir.

Q. I will ask you if you handled this matter from the  
time the will was probated?

A. Yes sir.

Q. More than six months have expired since the will was  
admitted to Probate and record?

A. Yes sir.

Q. I will ask you whether or not all claims against the  
Estate other than the Executor's Commission and Attorney's  
fees have been paid?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Have you filed an estate tax return?

A. Yes sir.

Q. I will ask you if you have paid the estate tax due as shown by the return?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Now those who take under the will of Mr. Frank Mancini are set out in paragraph five of the petition for a partial settlement, and are as follows: Mary E. Mancini, widow, Arthur Mancini, Frank Mancini, Jr., Orlando J. Mancini, Julia M. Batchelder, Amelia Breitling, Antonina M. Edmonds, Carolyn M. Ray and Alvera M. Trione?

A. Yes sir.

Q. They are the ones that take under the will of Mr. Frank Mancini, deceased?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Now all of those with the exception of the widow, are children of Mr. Frank Mancini, are they not?

A. Yes sir.

Q. And all over 21 years of age and of sound mind?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Now explain to the court, Mr. Aldridge, in your own way, what complications you have had in connection with the handling of this estate, and what additional work has been done by the Bank as Executor because of these things?

A. Well we had the estate appraised and it ran about \$94,000

or \$95,000.00 according to the estate tax return; this included some \$11,000.00 in bonds, which we had to handle; they were not a part of the Probate Estate. It was necessary for us to act as distributing agent, notify the Government and distribute the checks and help them out so far as getting the bonds handled; and they - - there were eight parcels of land involved, which was scattered all around, which made up a large portion of the estate and while most of it passed directly under the will, it was still necessary to identify each parcel and determine the details concerning the different parcels of land, such as improvements made by different persons. In other words, some of his people made improvements. One house projected over on another lot, and this we had to assist the appraisers in showing them where it lay and the interest in those particular pieces of land. I made trip after trip over there myself with a tape, measuring and handling that. There was an option under the terms of the will where one of the beneficiaries and a nephew could acquire two parcels of real estate by purchase, if they so desired within six months and it provided for the disposition of 720 acres of improved land, and there wasn't but 600 acres. I went back over 20 years of assessments trying to locate what had happened to the other land. The main complicating factor, and which involved the entire bank - the President and senior officers, was the question of a partnership. It was alleged that Mr. Frank

Manci did have an interest in this partnership with two other partners - they contended that there was no interest - there was no partnership involved - and all of the different heirs had different ideas about his interest from zero up to a substantial amount and we went through accountants and lawyers and with directors and interviewed the whole estate; we were trying to obtain some information about the partnership and finally I, after consideration by all of the bests minds available, we reached a settlement of this partnership and reached an agreement and sold the partnership interest to the substantial benefit of the estate; that involved bringing the matter to the Courts, so if any one, if they desired, could have an opportunity to object to it; they had all had odds, so to speak, on this thing, but it was worked out satisfactorily and what I thought was going to be a long drawn out law suit, turned out to be all right.

Q. All right, you realized approximately \$15,000.00 on that?

A. Yes sir - working up the facts that involved a complete audit of the three businesses - Manci Farms, Manci filling Station and Daphne Cleaners; we had to count the cattle and get it appraised; I went in the store and helped them take inventory of cigarettes, pool tables and equipment of the Daphne Cleaning Company, and it was a very laborious task and we got together and formed the basis on which we were able to do this thing; we don't want to ever come into this court asking

friviously for extra compensation; I discussed that with my senior officers abd we feel, in order to come out on the estate, we will be justified in asking for extra compensation, and I have written to the heirs, pointing out in my letter that I was asking for this additional compensation. I would be glad to show you the letters to each of the heirs. I wanted them to know exactly what we were doing; it was unusual for us to do something like this and I wanted them to know the exact amount that I was asking and I told them that it was more than the amount that was ordinarily allowed and I called that particular provision to the attention of each one of the heirs in my letter.

Q. In that connection, have you had any complaint from any of them?

A. Not a one in the world; not the first one.

Q. What figure, Mr. Aldridge, do you think the Bank is entitled to, both statutory and compensation for extra ordinary services?

THE COURT: Separately?

Q. Yes, I'm going to separate them.. Is it a total of \$1852.66?

A. Yes.

Q. That is the combined extra-ordinary and regular statutory compensation or commissions?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Mr. Aldridge, in filing this estate tax return, it has not been finally audited?

A. No.

Q. The final tax liability of this estate would not be known until it is audited?

A. No.

Q. I will ask you if, in your opinion, the substantial part of the cash assets in this estate should not be held back to pay any additional estate taxes that might be assessed and any balance due to me as Attorney's fees?

A. I think so, yes sir; the real estate is particularly vulnerable by the Federal Government, but we think our appraisal will stand up, but I want a substantial amount held back.

Q. Your cash receipts up to the time of filing the petition was \$41,596.40?

A. Yes sir, and the total disbursements were \$12,510.00..

Q. Leaving a cash balance of \$29,086.40?

A/ Yes sir.

Q. All of the allegations of this petition are true, are they not?

A. Yes sir.

Q. How much do you propose to pay to each one of the devisees and legatees as a part of this partial settlement?

A. \$2,000.00 each; I have indicated to them that that is what I am going to do.

Q. and that is satisfactory to them?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Everything over and above your commission, the court cost and this \$2,000. each paid to each one of these parties, will be withheld awaiting the final audit of this estate tax return?

A. That is correct, sir.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the testimony as taken by me in the above matter on June 6, 1955.

Louise B. Bessinger  
Court Reporter



STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, the undersigned, Arthur Manci, do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition for personal property exemption by Mary E. Manci, wife of Frank Manci, deceased, and of the date set for hearing exceptions thereto. I further consent to and agree that it is to the best interest of all parties interested in the estate of Frank Manci, deceased, that the court, exempt the personal property Mary E. Manci is entitled to without the appointment of appraisers or commissioners.

Arthur Manci  
Arthur Manci

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Albert M. Brantley, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Arthur Manci, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 16th day of Feb, 1954.

Albert M. Brantley  
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

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STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, the undersigned Frank Mancini, Jr., do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition for personal property exemption by Mary E. Mancini, wife of Frank Mancini, deceased, and of the date set for hearing exceptions thereto. I further consent to and agree that it is to the best interest of all parties interested in the estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, that the court, exempt the personal property Mary E. Mancini is entitled to without the appointment of appraisers or commissioners.

Frank Mancini Jr.  
Frank Mancini Jr.

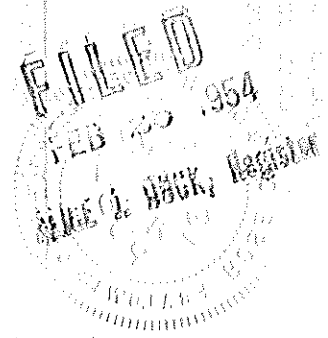
STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Rose C. Kamper, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Frank Mancini Jr., whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date. Given under my hand and seal on this the 20 day of Feb, 1954.

Rose C. Kamper  
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

ROSE C. KAMPER, NOTARY PUBLIC  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
My Commission Expires Feb. 18, 1957

Please file in Mancini  
Estate



Frank

August 9, 1954

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the sum of One  
Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars paid to the undersigned widow  
of Frank Mancini, deceased, from assets of his estate in settle-  
ment of exemption of personal property in favor of the under-  
signed from administrator of said estate, in accordance with  
decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama dated May 25,  
1954.

*x Mary E. Mancini x*  
Mary E. Mancini

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ALICE A. DUCK, Register

The State of Alabama,  
Baldwin County

CIRCUIT COURT. (Equity)

TERM, 19...

*Estate of Frank Mann*  
No. 3122

BILL OF COSTS

REGISTER'S FEES	AMOUNT	REGISTER'S FEES - Continued	AMOUNT
1. Filing Bills or other paper ..... <i>47</i> ..... .15	630	56. Recording Copy of Decree in Probate Court ..... .25	
2. Copy of Bill or other paper, 100 words ..... .20	100	57. State Certificate ..... .50	
3. Docketing Cause ..... 1.00		58. Commission on Sales ..... ..	
4. Issuing Subpoena on Bills ..... .75		Total Register's Fees ..... <i>5525</i>	
5. Copies ..... .50			
6. Entering Return ..... .15	125		
7. Order of Publication to Non-Residents ..... 1.25		SHERIFF'S FEES:	
8. Abstract for Publication, 100 words ..... .20		1. Summoning on Bill, Each Defendant ..... \$1.50	
9. Attachment Writ ..... 1.00		2. Executing Writ of Injunction, or Ne Exeat, Each ..... 1.50	
10. Injunction Writ ..... 1.50	50	3. Executing Subpoenas for Witnesses, Each ..... .65	
11. Copy ..... .50		4. Executing Writs of Possession, Each ..... 5.00	
12. Entering Return ..... .15		5. Executing Seire Facias or Notice, Each <i>8</i> ..... 1.50	1200
13. Entering Appearance ..... .50		6. Taking and Approving Bonds, Each ..... 1.00	
14. Decree Pro Confesso ..... 1.25	20	7. Impaneling Jury ..... .75	
15. Appointing Guardian ad litem ..... 1.25	50	8. Collecting Execution for Costs Only, Each ..... 1.50	
16. Issuing Commission to take testimony ..... .75		9. Sheriff's Commissions ..... ..	
17. Receiving and Filing each pkg. of Testimony ..... .10	20	Total Sheriff's Fees ..... <i>1200</i>	
18. Endorsing each pkg. of Depositions published ..... .10	50		
19. Entering Order Submitting Cause for Decree ..... .50		SUMMARY OF FEES, COSTS AND JUDGMENT	
20. Any Other Order ..... .25		Fees in Circuit Court:	
21. Noting All Testimony ..... .50	X900	1. Register's Fees ..... <i>5525</i>	
22. Abstract Docket, each case ..... 1.00		2. Ex-Register's Fees ..... ..	
23. Entering Decree, 500 words or less <i>X9</i> ..... 1.00		3. Sheriff's Fees ..... <i>1200</i>	
24. Entering Decree over 500 words for every 100 word over 500 ..... .20		4. Ex-Sheriff's Fees ..... ..	
25. Taking Account, Swearing Witnesses, etc., per day 3.00		5. Witness Fees ..... <i>1500</i>	
26. Taking Testimony on Reference, 100 words ..... .20		6. Commissioner's Fees <i>Disallowed</i> ..... <i>500</i>	
27. Report of 500 words or less ..... 3.00		7. Guardian Ad Litem ..... <i>Disallowed</i>	
28. Report of over 500 words, for every 100 words over 500 ..... .20		8. Publisher's Fees <i>Disallowed</i> ..... <i>1138</i>	
29. But when the amount claimed is less than \$500, and the Register is not required to pass upon any disputed item of indebtedness, Payment or credit Reference and Rept. .... 2.00		9. Solicitor's Fees ..... ..	
30. Issuing Subpoena, each Witness ..... .25	75	10. Court Reporter's Fees, Per Day or Fraction Thereof 5.00	<i>500</i>
31. Witness Certificate ..... .25		11. Trial Tax ..... 3.00	<i>300</i>
32. Issuing Execution ..... .75		12. .... ..	
33. Entering Return ..... .15		13. <i>Rev. mail</i> ..... <i>240</i>	
34. Taking and Approving Bond ..... 1.00	2040	14. .... ..	
35. Making Complete Record, 100 words ..... .20		Fees and Costs in Inferior Court:	
36. Hearing Application for Appointment of Receiver or Trustee ..... 3.00		15. Clerk of Inferior Court, Fees ..... ..	
37. Settlement with Receiver or Trustee ..... 4.00		16. Sheriff's Fees ..... ..	
38. Examining <i>39</i> Vouchers ..... .15	285	17. Witness Fees ..... ..	
39. Examining Answer ..... 3.00		18. .... ..	
40. Taking Question and Answer and Recording Same in proceedings to perpetuate testimony, per 100 words ..... .25		19. .... ..	
41. For all other services relating to such proceedings. 1.00		20. Total Fees and Costs in Inferior Court ..... ..	
42. Taking Testimony to relieve Minors of the Disabilities of non-age ..... 5.00		21. Total Fees and Costs ..... ..	
43. For making each Deed to property sold ..... 3.00		22. Judgment ..... ..	
44. Notices sent by mail to creditors ..... .15		23. .... ..	
45. Filing, receipting for and docketing each claim .... .25		24. .... ..	
46. Entries on Subpoena Docket ..... .50		25. Total Fees, Cost and Judgment ..... <i>11888</i>	
47. Entries on Commission Docket ..... .50			
48. Each Certificate or Affidavit with Seal ..... .75			
49. Each Certificate or Affidavit without Seal ..... .50	150		
50. Each Notice not otherwise provided for <i>10</i> ..... .75			
51. Entering Orders by the Register ..... .50			
52. Recording Registration, Removal or Suggestion of Death of Trustee ..... .75			
53. Entering each Certificate of Supreme Court ..... .50			
54. Transcript at .15 per 100 words ..... ..			
55. Certified Copy of Decree ..... 1.50	150		

I certify that the within is a true and correct Bill of Costs in the within styled cause.

ATTEST:

Register Circuit Court, Baldwin County, Ala.

Received payment this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

Register Circuit Court, Baldwin County, Ala.

No. 3122

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA  
Baldwin County

Circuit Court

*Estate of*

*Frank Mance*

vs.

Plaintiff \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant \_\_\_\_\_

EQUITY COST BILL

Term, 19\_\_\_\_

Fee Book \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_

Plaintiff's Attorney.

Defendant's Attorney.



STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, the undersigned Alvera M. Trione, do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition for personal property exemption by Mary E. Mancini, wife of Frank Mancini, deceased, and of the date set for hearing exceptions thereto. I further consent to and agree that it is to the best interest of all parties interested in the estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, that the court, exempt the personal property Mary E. Mancini is entitled to without the appointment of appraisers or commissioners.

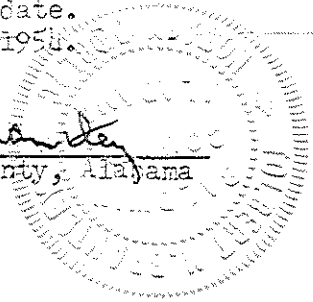
Alvera M. Trione  
Alvera M. Trione

STATE OF ALABAMA  
BALDWIN COUNTY

I, Robert M. Brantley, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Alvera M. Trione, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 16 day of Feb, 1954.

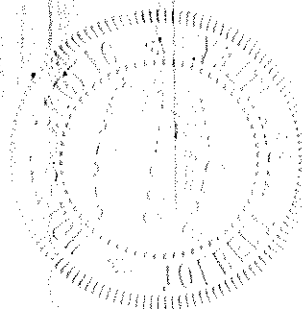
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Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama



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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

ORDER

Mance E. Mancie, Petitioner in the above styled cause, having moved  
the court to set a day for the hearing of her petition and for the taking  
~~of testimony relative thereto.~~

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that the 23 day of  
April, 1954, be set as the date for the hearing of this petition and the  
taking of testimony in this matter.

Done this the 23rd day of April, 1954.

Hubert M. Hall  
Circuit Judge.

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Filed 4-23-54  
Deice Foreman  
Register

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to serve a copy of the following notice on the party named therein, whose place of residence is shown below.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this the 20th day of November, 1956.

*Alice J. Duck*  
 Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
 Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
 Alabama, in Equity.

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N O T I C E

ESTATE OF	§	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
FRANK MANCI,	§	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
Deceased.		IN EQUITY.

TO: JULIA M. BATCHELDER  
 5113 EIGHTH TERRACE ~~STREET~~ 50.  
 BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

You are hereby notified that The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, filed in this Court on the 20th day of November, 1956, its Petition, Account and Vouchers for a final settlement of this said estate.

You are further notified that December 12, 1956, at ten o'clock A. M. has been set as the date for hearing the said Petition, at which time you may appear and contest the same, if you should elect so to do.

WITNESS my hand this 20th day of November, 1956.

*Alice J. Duck*  
 Alice J. Duck, as Register of the  
 Circuit Court of Baldwin County,  
 Alabama, in Equity.

NOTICE

ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased,

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN EQUITY.

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Law.

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Julia M. Batchelder

HOLT A. McDOWELL, Sheriff  
Jefferson County, Alabama

H. L. Davis R.S.

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\$ .70

HOLT A. McDOWELL, Sheriff

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

NOTICE TO NEXT OF KIN

TO: Etheredge Mancini, Daphne, Alabama; Julia M. Batchelder, C/o Hotel  
Birmingham, Rt. 11, Box 9, Birmingham, Alabama; Amelia M. Breitling, Demopolis,  
Alabama; Antonia M. Edmonds, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida; Carolyn  
~~M. Ray, 805 East Lee Street, Pensacola, Florida;~~

This day came Mary E. Mancini, Petitioner in the above styled cause and  
presented her petition and took testimony to prove herself entitled to the  
relief sought thereby.

By This Petition Mary E. Mancini shows herself to be entitled, as the  
widow of Frank Mancini, deceased, to a personal property exemption of ONE  
THOUSAND (\$1000.00) DOLLARS, a copy of this petition and testimony are on  
file in this cause in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, and subject to your inspection.

You will take notice that a further hearing of this matter is set on  
the 23rd day of May, 1954; and unless you file exceptions thereto this  
exemption will be granted and become final on this day.

W. J. Shuck  
Circuit Clerk.

EXECUTED the MAY 7 1954  
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Julia M. Batchelder  
HOLT A. McDOWELL, Sheriff  
Jefferson County, Alabama  
BY W. L. Davis DS.

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Frank Muncie  
deceased.

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted on the petition of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, which petition was filed in this court on November 2, 1953; the order of this court dated November 2, 1953, setting this cause for hearing on this date; the written request of the said petition that the testimony of its witnesses be taken orally in open court in the manner provided by Equity Rule Number 56, as amended; the decree ordering testimony of petitioner's witnesses taken orally, as provided in and by the said equity rule; and the testimony of the witnesses for the petitioner, which has been taken in open court on this date, upon consideration of all of which, the Court is of the opinion and finds as follows:

A. That ten days notice of the filing of the said petition and of the date set for hearing same has been given to all of the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, and that said parties are all of the heirs of Frank Mancini, Deceased, so that all interested parties have had proper notice of this proceeding.

B. Frank Mancini, at the time of his death, owned and his estate now owns a one-third interest in the joint ventures or partnerships known as Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, and in all of the assets and property thereof; that the offer made by Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione for the interest of this estate in the said joint ventures or partnerships and all of their assets in the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) is fair and not disproportionate to the value of the said interest of this estate; that the said Executor should be authorized to accept the said offer and to sell at private sale and convey the said property to the said Arthur Mancini and Angelo F.

Trione on payment by them to the said Executor of the said sum of \$15,000, and upon their delivering to the said executor a written agreement satisfactory to it, in and by which they will agree to pay any and all debts and obligations of every kind and nature of the said joint ventures or partnerships, including compensation which may be due to them from the said joint ventures or partnerships, and indemnifying the said Executor against all claims, debts or obligations of every kind or nature of the said joint ventures or partnerships and each of them.

C. It is to the best interest of this estate and all persons interested in this estate that the said property be sold and conveyed in the manner provided above.

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court as follows:

1. The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, shall be and it is hereby fully and completely authorized and empowered to accept the said offer of \$15,000 made to it by Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione for all right, title and interest in the joint ventures or partnerships, namely, Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, which Frank Mancini owned at the time of his death and which now constitutes an asset of his said estate, and sell and convey the said property to the said purchasers at private sale.

2. The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, is hereby fully and completely authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to make, execute and deliver to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione a bill of sale, but without full covenants of warranty, conveying to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione all right, title and interest which Frank Mancini owned at the time of his death and which this estate now owns in and to the joint ventures or partnerships known as Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, including all cattle, farm machinery, accounts receivable, cash on hand or in bank, crop

or crops growing or harvested, and any and all other property which forms a part of the assets of the said businesses or any of them, which conveyance shall be delivered to the said purchasers on payment to it of the sum of \$15,000, and upon execution and delivery to it by Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione of a written agreement satisfactory to it, by which the said Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione agree to assume all debts and obligations of every kind and nature which are or which may be due by the three said joint ventures or partnerships or any of them, including any compensation which may be due to Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione, and indemnifying the said Executor from all costs, damages or expense because of any claim being made against it as such Executor for claims, debts or obligations of the said businesses or any of them.

3. After execution and delivery of the conveyance provided for above, the said Executor shall report its actions in the premises to this court for final confirmation.

4. Having disposed of all interest in the said businesses and each of them which was owned by Frank Manci at the time of his death, and which constituted an asset of his said estate until conveyed, as provided above, the said Executor shall not be liable for and shall not be required to account for any income received by the said businesses or any of them, any crops growing or harvested, or cattle raised during the period of time that has elapsed from the date of the death of Frank Manci, to the date of the conveyance described above.

5. Jurisdiction of this cause is reserved for such other and further orders or decrees as may be or become necessary and proper in the premises.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 19 day of November, 1953.

  
Judge

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ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA. IN EQUITY.

November 19, 1953.

TESTIMONY TAKEN IN OPEN COURT, BEFORE HON. HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE  
OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY  
ON NOVEMBER 19, 1953.

MR. GARET V. ALDRIDGE, A WITNESS HAVING BEEN FIRST DULY AND LEGALLY  
SWORN, TESTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. Are you Mr. Gareth V. Aldridge?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is your present position?

A. I am one of the Trust Officers of the Merchants National Bank  
of Mobile, Alabama.

Q. Has the Merchants National Bank of Mobile been appointed, qualified,  
and now acting as Executor of, under the last will and testament,  
of Frank Mancini, deceased?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Mr. Aldridge, tell the Court in substance, what the executor of  
this estate has done in connection with the joint ventures or  
partnerships that were conducted by Mr. Frank Mancini in his life  
time with Mr. Angelo F. Trione and Mr. Arthur Mancini?

A. We investigated as best we could such interest as Mr. Frank  
Mancini might have owned in the partnerships; we had an auditor's  
report prepared and done our best to arrive at a successful  
conclusion of the proper disposition of this partnership interest  
to the best interest and benefit of the estate.

Q. Explain to the Court what investigation you have made in connection with determining and securing all of the information you could get relative to the ownership of the estate's interest in these businesses?

A. We made inquiries, talked with every person interested in the estate under the terms of the will - some large in number.

Q. Did you talk to any one else?

A. Well, yes, I talked with an Accountant.

Q. Which accountant?

A. Mr. Pritchett.

Q. He had handled the tax matters for these firms, had he not?

A. Yes, sir,

Q. Did the will of Mr. Frank Mancini exempt the Executor from filing an inventory and appraisal?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. After the Bank was appointed as Executor, did you secure the services of any one to make an inventory of, and appraisal of this property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who did you get?

A. Mr. Leslie C. Bimbarger, Mr. D. S. Pennington and Mr. Gooden of Fairhope.

Q. Now for the benefit of the record, what does Mr. Gooden do?

A. He is a real estate dealer and broker in Fairhope.

Q. What does Mr. Pennington do?

A. He is a professional auctioneer and appraiser, and for many, many years served as Trustee in Bankruptcy in this surrounding country.

Q. What does Mr. Bimbarger do?

A. He is a successful farmer, and cattle raiser.

Q. Does he live near this property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You had given them <sup>an</sup> inventory of the various properties?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did they appraise and value those properties?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you recall the figure the valued the three businesses at?

A. Something over \$46,000.00.

Q. To be exact was it \$46,696.36?

A. I believe that is correct.

Q. After this inventory and appraisal was made, I will ask you whether or not the Bank, as Executor, received an offer from Mr. Arthur Manci and Mr. Trione, the surviving partners, to purchase the inter st of Mr. Frank Mancil in this partnership property?

A. I think that offer was received on the 21st day of September of this year.

Q. Did they offer to pay the sum of \$15,000.00?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And assume any obligations that might be due from the businesses?

A. Yes, that is the way I interpreted the offer.

Q. Indemnify the Bank against any loss or claims that might be made because of obligations of those businesses?

A. I interpreted that from the offer.

Q. In making your investigation were you able to secure and find any written agreement by which these businesses were conducted?

A. No, sir, no partnership agreement.

Q. To the best of your knowledge, was there such an agreement?

A. No.

- Q. Did you find anybody that had ever known of such agreement?
- A. No written agreement, no.
- Q. I will ask you if you recall when the bank account of the businesses was originally opened in the Merchants National Bank of Mobile?
- A. In the early part of this year.
- Q. Wasn't the original account opened in the name of Arthur Manci on March 31, 1937?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. And on or about the 9th day of March of this year wasn't that account changed to Manci Farms?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. Isn't it true that Mr. Arthur Manci and Mr. Trione were designated as the sole partners in the firm?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. I will ask you too if you didn't find out that about the 16th day of March, 1953, a bank account was opened in the Bank of Fairhope in the name of the Daphne Cleaners?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. And one also in the name of Manci Service Station in the same Bank?
- A. Yes.
- Q. With only Mr. Arthur Manci and Mr. Trione authorized to sign checks?
- A. That is my understanding.
- Q. After the offer I believe you stated that you talked to all of the members of the family?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. What routine did you carry on processing this offer?
- A. I presented all of the facts and supporting material and data in connection therewith to our other Trust Officers, the President of the Bank and the Trust Committee, consisting

of the Director of the Merchants National Bank for their consideration.

Q. What action did they recommend?

A. An acceptance of the offer.

Q. It is true, is it not, that the will gives the Executor power and authority to sell and convey property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. But due to the fact that the parties offering to buy, Mr. Arthur Mancini and Mr. Trione, were the surviving partners, and because of their dual relationship, you reached the conclusion that it would be to the best interest of all of the interested parties to have the Court authorize and approve the offer and conveyance of the property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. I will ask you, Mr. Aldridge, if, in your opinion, it is to the best interest of this estate and everybody connected with it, that this offer be accepted and the bank, as executor, be authorized to sell and convey this property for the consideration that we have referred to?

A. That is my opinion.

Q. You signed this petition in this cause?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And all of the facts stated therein are true, are they not?

A. Yes, sir.

MR. V. R. PRITCHETT, A WITNESS, BEING DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. Are you Mr. V. R. Pritchett?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are a certified public accountant?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long have you practiced as such in Alabama?

A. For over 30 years.



Q. Have you handled the tax returns for the Mancini Farms and these three various businesses that we are dealing with here?

A. Yes, sir, for a number of years.

Q. Going back to the year 1941, have you prepared partnership returns for these businesses? - They were all conducted as Mancini Farms up to this year were they not?

A. Starting in 1941 I prepared partnership return and three individual returns conforming to the partnership return; I think the other two businesses are operating under trade names, the one business was only started in the last year and a half.

Q. I will ask you from the information that you gathered in the preparation of those returns if you can state of your own knowledge that the income of the businesses were distributed three ways; 1/3 to Arthur Mancini, 1/3 to Frank Mancini and 1/3 to Angelo Trione?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. That practice has been followed since 1941?

A. Starting in the calendar year of 1941 and up to the time of Mr. Frank Mancini's death.

MR. D. S. PENNINGTON, A WITNESS, BEING DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. Are you Mr. D. S. Pennington?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You live in Mobile, Alabama?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You were one of the appraisers who appraised the estate - assets of the estate of Mr. Frank Mancini, were you not?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Including the interest of Mr. Frank Mancini in Mancini Farms, Mancini Service Station and Daphne Cleaners?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You have bought and sold personal property such as that, and know its value?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you and the other appraisers fix a valuation of \$46,696.36 on the assets of these businesses?

A. That is correct.

Q. You made an examination of the cattle and other personal property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. In your opinion, is an offer of \$15,000.00, combined with the agreement to pay any debts or obligations of those businesses for the one third interest, or whatever interest the estate of Frank Mancini owns in this property fair?

A. I think so, sir. Yes, sir.

Q. In your opinion, Mr. Pennington, is it to the best interest of this estate and everybody interested in it, that the Bank be authorized to accept that offer and convey the property for that price?

A. Yes, sir.

MR. LESLIE C. BAMBARGER, A WITNESS, BEING DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. You are Mr. Leslie C. Bambarger?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Were you one of the appraisers who appraised this Mancini property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You are familiar with the value of personal property such as this, and what it sells for in Baldwin County, Alabama?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You all fixed a valuation of \$46,696.26 on this jointly owned property?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. In your opinion, Mr. Bambarger, is that a fair appraisal of these assets which are jointly owned?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Cattle, farm machinery and equipment in the filling station and the equipment in the pressing club and crops, etc?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. I will ask you if, in your opinion, this offer of \$15,000.00, plus the agreement on the part of these purchasers to purchase the property and pay any debts that these businesses might owe, is fair and reasonable?

A. It is in my opinion.

Q. Not disproportionate to the real value of the property?

A. No, sir.

Q. I will ask you if, in your opinion, it is for the best interest of this estate and everybody interested therein, that the offer of \$15,000.00 be accepted?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And the Executor be authorized to convey the property?

A. Yes, sir.

MR. ARTHUR MANCI, A WITNESS, BEING DULY SWORN, TESTIFIED:

Examination by Mr. Blackburn.

Q. Mr. Mancini, you are one of the three parties who conducted the joint ventures or partnership known as Mancini Farms, Mancini Service Station and Mancini Cleaners?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. The other parties, or partners were your father, Frank Mancini and Mr. Angelo Trione?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Going back to the calendar year of 1941, and coming up to date, were the profits from the business distributed one-third to each partner?

A. Yes, sir, any money divided was divided on that basis.

C E R T I F I C A T E:

I hereby certify that the foregoing, consisting of pages 1 to 8, both inclusive, correctly sets forth a true and correct transcript of the testimony as taken by me before Hon. Hubert M. Hall, Judge of the Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit of Alabama, in the case of ESTATE OF FRANK MANCI, deceased, in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in equity.

This 19th day of November, 1953.

Louise A. [Signature]  
Official Court Reporter.

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ESTATE OF

FRANK MANCI,  
DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

PETITION FOR AUTHORITY TO SELL INTEREST IN JOINT  
VENTURE OR PARTNERSHIP

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY:

Your Petitioner, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile,  
a National Banking Association, respectfully represents unto the  
court and your Honor as follows:

1. On, to-wit, August 17, 1953, the Last Will and Testa-  
ment of Frank Mancini, Deceased, was admitted to probate and record  
in and by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, a copy of  
which Will is attached hereto, marked "Exhibit A" and by reference  
made a part hereof as though fully incorporated herein, on which  
said date Letters Testamentary were issued to Petitioner, as  
Executor of and under the said Will, which said Letters Testament-  
ary are now in full force and effect.

2. After the said Will of the said decedent was admitted  
to probate and record in and by the Probate Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama, it was necessary that the administration of this said es-  
tate be removed from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama,  
to this court because of the broader powers of this court, and be-  
cause it is necessary that the broad powers of this court be in-  
voked in properly administering the affairs of this said estate.

3. After being appointed Executor of this said estate,  
Petitioner determined that the decedent, Frank Mancini, owned an in-  
terest in a joint venture or partnership with Arthur Mancini, who is  
a son of the decedent, and Angelo F. Trione, who is a grandson of  
the said decedent. After securing some information about the said  
joint venture or partnership and its property, Petitioner, as said  
Executor, employed V. R. Pritchard and Company, Certified Public  
Accountants of the City of Mobile, Alabama, to make an examination  
of the records and businesses conducted under the trade names of  
Mancini's Farms, Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, which  
are the joint ventures or partnerships in which the said decedent,

Frank Mancì, owned an interest, for the purpose of determining their financial position as of July 8, 1953, which was the date of the death of the said decedent, and for the purpose of determining what property and assets were included in and formed the capital of the said joint venture or ventures, or the said partnership or partnerships.

4. The Last Will and Testament of the said decedent provides that Petitioner, as said Executor, would not be required to file any inventory or appraisal of the assets of the said estate, but it has been necessary for Petitioner, as said Executor, to have an appraisal made of all of the property of the said estate so that it can prepare and file a proper estate tax return for the said estate, and so that it could secure all possible information as to the estate's interest in the said joint ventures or in the said partnerships. During the month of October, 1953, Petitioner, as said Executor, secured the services of J. E. Gooden, who is a real estate broker and appraiser, residing at Fairhope, Alabama; Leslie C. Bambarger, a farmer, residing near Fairhope, Alabama, and near the property owned by the said ventures or partnerships; and D. S. Pennington, Sr., an auctioneer, appraiser and real estate broker, residing in Mobile, Alabama, who made a joint appraisal of all of the property and assets of this said estate, including the assets of the three above named firms, and filed their report with Petitioner, as said Executor, on October 15, 1953, in which they listed the overall capital worth of the said businesses as of the date of the death of the decedent, Frank Mancì, at the sum of \$46,696.36.

5. On, to-wit, the 21st day of September, 1953, Arthur Mancì and Angelo F. Trione, the surviving joint adventurers, if the said firms described above were joint ventures, or the surviving partners of the said firms, if they were partnerships, made a written offer to Petitioner to purchase this estate's interest in the said business or businesses for the sum of \$15,000 cash, a copy of which offer is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit B" and by reference made a part hereof as though fully incorporated herein.

6. Petitioner, through its trust officers, has made a

diligent search for a written agreement between the decedent, Frank Mancini, Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione, creating or forming the said ventures or partnerships, but has been unable to locate any such written agreement, and it, therefore, alleges, on information and belief, that there was no written agreement between the said parties under which the said businesses were created or conducted. The bank account of the said businesses was opened in the Merchants National Bank of Mobile in the name of Arthur Mancini on, to-wit, March 31, 1937, and was carried as such until on, to-wit, March 9, 1953, when the said account or accounts were changed to Mancini Farms, which designated Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione as the sole partners named therein.

On, to-wit, March 16, 1953, an account was opened in the Bank of Fairhope at Fairhope, Alabama, in the name of Daphne Cleaners, and on the said date another account was opened in the said bank in the name of Mancini's Service Station, in both of which said accounts Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione were the only persons authorized to sign checks and withdraw funds from the said accounts.

Partnership tax returns were filed by Mancini Farms for all of the tax years commencing January 1, 1941, and going through the year of December 31, 1952, all of which returns showed that Frank Mancini received one-third of the profits from the said business or businesses during all of the said period of time.

7. After receiving the said offer, Petitioner has required one of its trust officers to visit or communicate with all of the members of the Mancini family, who are all of the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament described above, and confer with them for the purpose of securing all possible information about the said businesses, about the interest which the said decedent, Frank Mancini, had or may have therein, which conferences were had with the said members of the said Mancini family by Garet V. Aldridge, one of Petitioner's trust officers. After the said conferences the entire matter was discussed at length with Petitioner's officers, its President and other officers, and with its trust committee, which is composed of members of its Board of



Directors; various conferences have been had about the said offer, about the interest of the said estate in the said business or businesses and the action which should be taken by Petitioner on the said offer of Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione, and after such conferences Petitioner recommends that the said offer of \$15,000 be accepted and that Petitioner, as said Executor, be authorized to sell and convey all of the said estate's interest in and to all of the three said businesses and the property constituting the assets thereof, including cattle and growing crops, to the said Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione, provided that the said purchasers are required to pay any and all claim or claims against the said businesses or any of them, including compensation to the said partners, and provided further that Petitioner, as said Executor, be indemnified by the said purchasers from all costs and damage because of claims being made against it as such Executor for claims, debts or obligations of the said businesses or any of them.

8. The Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, which is set out above, authorizes Petitioner to sell and convey property belonging to the said estate and to compromise, adjust and otherwise settle all claims in favor of or against the said estate, but because of the fiduciary relationship of the said Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione, Petitioner is of the opinion that this court should authorize acceptance of the said offer and conveyance of the said property.

Petitioner further alleges that it is to the best interest of the said estate that the said offer be accepted and that it be authorized to sell and convey the above described property in the manner set out in this petition.

9. The devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, together with their places of residence and post office addresses, are as follows:

Mary E. Manci, widow of the said decedent, Daphne,  
Alabama;  
Orlando J. Manci, a son of the said decedent,  
Bay Minette, Alabama;  
Etheredge Manci, a son of the said decedent,  
Belforest, Alabama;  
Alvera Trione, a daughter of the said decedent,  
Daphne, Alabama;

Frank Mancini, Jr., a son of the said decedent,  
Fairhope, Alabama;  
Arthur Mancini, a son of the said decedent,  
Daphne, Alabama;  
Julia M. Batchelder, a daughter of the said decedent,  
C/o Motel Birmingham, Route 11, Box 9,  
Birmingham, Alabama;  
Amelia M. Breitling, a daughter of the said decedent,  
Demopolis, Alabama;  
Carolyn M. Ray, a daughter of the said decedent, and  
Antonina M. Edmonds, a daughter of the said decedent,  
each of whom are non-residents of the State  
of Alabama, and who reside at 805 East Lee  
Street, Pensacola, Florida.

All of the said parties are over twenty-one years of  
age and of sound mind.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays for the following separate  
and several relief:

A. That the court will make and enter a proper decree  
setting this petition for hearing and giving notice of the filing  
thereof and of the date set for hearing same to the said devisees  
and legatees named above in the form and manner prescribed by law.

B. That on the date set for hearing this said petition,  
or on the date to which it may be continued, a proper decree be  
rendered authorizing Petitioner, as said Executor, to accept the  
above described offer, to sell the interest of the said estate in  
the said business to the said Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione at  
private sale and to make, execute and deliver proper conveyance to  
them, as provided in Paragraph 7 of the above petition.

Petitioner further prays that such other orders be made  
and decrees be rendered as may be requisite and proper in the prem-  
ises.

Respectfully submitted,

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
A National Banking Association,  
As Executor of and under the Last Will  
and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased,

By

*G. H. Aldridge*

As its Trust Officer.

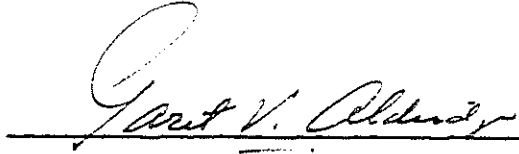
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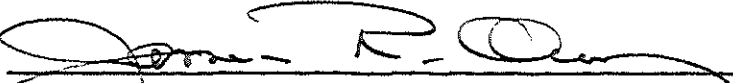
Before me, the undersigned authority, within and for said County in said State, personally appeared GARET V. ALDRIDGE, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says:

That he is one of the trust officers of the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, and as such officer is authorized to make this affidavit for and on behalf of the said National Banking Association.

Affiant further deposes and says that he has read over the foregoing petition, that he is familiar with the allegations of fact contained therein, and that the facts contained therein are true.

  
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Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1953.

  
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Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FRANK MANCI

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Frank Mancini, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and imbued with the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and not acting under any duress, menace, fraud or influence of any person, circumstance or matter whatever, do freely and voluntarily make, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and cancelling all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made.

## FIRST:

I direct that my Executor, hereinafter named, as soon as it shall have sufficient funds applicable thereto, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness and all of my just debts and obligations of every nature in the order of priority prescribed by the laws of any state where this Will may be admitted to probate.

## SECOND:

I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Mary E. Mancini, as her absolute property, all bonds and all household goods, furniture and fixtures and a life estate in and to Block 1 in Mancini and Trione Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Map Book 1 at page 41, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.

## THIRD:

I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Alvera Trione, Lots Numbered 33 and 35 in Block 3 of Yuille's Belrose Wharf Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Map Book 1 at page 169, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.

## FOURTH:

I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Frank Mancini, Jr., all lots owned by me in Dryer's Subdivision in Daphne, Baldwin County, Alabama, and the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) in cash.

(S) FRANK MANCI

(SEAL)

## FIFTH:

I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Arthur Manci, Lot Numbered 34 in Block 3 in Yuille's Belrose Wharf Subdivision, according to the official map or plat thereof recorded in Map Book 1 at page 169, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.

## SIXTH:

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(S) FRANK MANCI (SEAL)

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## ELEVENTH:

All of the rest, residue and remainder of my estate of every kind and nature, which I own or to which I may be entitled at the time of my decease, I give, devise, and bequeath to my children, Orlando J. Manci, Antonina M. Edmonds, Julia M. Batchelder, Carolyn M. Ray, Amelia M. Breitling, Arthur Manci and Frank Manci, Jr., share and share alike.

## TWELTH:

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint the Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, to be Executor of this my Last Will and Testament and direct that no bond for the faithful performance of its duties as such Executor be required of it in this state or in any other jurisdiction.

## THIRTEENTH:

I hereby authorize and empower my said Executor to do all things necessary for the complete administration of my estate, including the power to sell at public or private sale and without order of court, any real or personal property belonging to my estate, to execute proper conveyance of same and to compromise, adjust or otherwise settle all claims, charges, debts and demands whatsoever against or in favor of my estate as fully as I could do, if living.

## FOURTEENTH:

In the event there should not be sufficient cash available for the purpose of paying my just debts, funeral expenses and taxes by the time payment becomes necessary, my Executor is ex-

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FIFTEENTH:

I hereby authorize and empower my Executor, for the time being, to carry on the whole or any part of any business operated by me individually at the time of my death, or operated by me as a partner at the time of my death, until such time as it may deem expedient to sell the same or wind up the said business, as the case may be, and to employ therein any capital which may be employed therein at my death and to augment or decrease the capital employed therein and to appoint any person or persons, including myself, manager or agent therein at a salary, or otherwise, and generally to act in the premises as if it were the absolute owner thereof without being liable or responsible for any loss arising thereby and in case the same shall be carried on at a loss, I declare that my Executor shall be reimbursed for all losses so incurred by it out of my general estate.

SIXTEENTH:

I hereby exempt my Executor from filing any inventory or appraisement of my estate.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, the said Frank Mancini, have to this my Last Will and Testament contained in this and the preceding sheets, subscribed my name and affixed my seal on this the 13th day of September, 1949.

(S) FRANK MANCINI (SEAL)

The writing contained in this and the three preceding sheets was signed and sealed by the above named Frank Mancini and by him published and declared as being his Last Will and Testament

in the presence of us, who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other on this the 13th day of September, 1949.

(S) MARY LOU BLACKBURN

(S) JAMES R. OWEN

(S) J. B. BLACKBURN



EXHIBIT "B"

BOOK 020 PAGE 314

Daphne, Alabama  
September 21, 1953

The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Executor  
Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased  
Mobile, Alabama

Gentlemen:

We, Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione, hereby submit the following purchase offer of such right, title and interest as the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased, might have in the farming operations carried on under the trade name of Mancini's Farms and the personalty used in the businesses conducted under the trade names of Mancini's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners. For a more particular description of the assets and liabilities on which this offer is based, we refer you to the report on audit of V. R. Pritchard & Co., as at July 8, 1953. Upon delivery of appropriate conveyance, we agree to pay \$15,000.00 in cash, in full settlement of all right, title and interest that the Estate might have in and to said businesses. We reserve the right to revoke this offer after 60 days from this date.

This offer is made by way of compromise and in the event it is not accepted, it shall be without prejudice to your rights or ours.

Respectfully submitted,

(S) ARTHUR MANCINI  
Arthur Mancini

(S) ANGELO F. TRIONE  
Angelo F. Trione

PETITION TO PROBATE WILL

BOOK 001 414

TO THE HONORABLE PROBATE COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, AND TO  
THE HONORABLE W. R. STUART, JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Your Petitioner, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Alabama, a National Banking Association, with its place of business in the City of Mobile, Mobile County, Alabama, respectfully represents unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. Frank Mancini, a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, died in Baldwin County, Alabama on July 8, 1953, leaving a Last Will and Testament dated September 13, 1949, witnessed by Mary Lou Blackburn, James R. Owen and J. B. Blackburn, all of whom reside at Bay Minette in Baldwin County, Alabama, in which Will Petitioner is named as Executor. The said Will is filed herewith and propounded for probate and record in this court.

2. The said Will exempts Petitioner, as said Executor, from giving a bond for the faithful performance of its duties, as such Executor.

3. The heirs of the said decedent, together with their respective places of residence, are as follows:

- ✓ Mary E. Mancini, the widow, Daphne, Alabama.
- ✓ Arthur Mancini, a son, Daphne, Alabama.
- ✓ Etheredge Mancini, a son, Belforest, Alabama.
- ✓ Frank Mancini, Jr., a son, Fairhope, Alabama.
- ✓ Orlando J. Mancini, a son, Bay Minette, Alabama.
- ✓ Julia M. Batchelder, a daughter,  
C/o Motel Birmingham, Route 11, Box 9,  
Birmingham, Alabama.
- ✓ Amelia M. Breitling, a daughter, Demopolis, Alabama.
- ✓ Antonia M. Edmonds, a daughter, 805 East Lee Street,  
Pensacola, Florida.
- ✓ Carolyn M. Ray, a daughter, 805 East Lee Street,  
Pensacola, Florida.
- ✓ Alvera M. Trione, a daughter, Daphne, Alabama.

All of the said parties are over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind. The said Antonia M. Edmonds and Carolyn M. Ray are each non-residents of the State of Alabama, but all of the other said parties are residents of the State of Alabama.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays that the court will take jurisdiction of this petition, appoint a day to hear it, give notice of the filing of the said petition and of the date set for hearing same to all of the said heirs of the said decedent in the form and manner prescribed by law, and that on the date set for hearing the

said Will, will make and enter a proper order or decree admitting it to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent.

Petitioner further prays that Letters Testamentary under the said Last Will and Testament be issued to it without bond in the manner prescribed therein.

Petitioner further prays that such other orders be made and decrees rendered as may be requisite and proper in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
ALABAMA, a National Banking Association,

By Garet V. Aldridge

As its Trust Officer.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
MOBILE COUNTY )

Before me, the undersigned authority, within and for the State of Alabama at Large, personally appeared GARET V. ALDRIDGE, who, being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says: That he is one of the Trust Officers of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Alabama, a National Banking Association; that he is duly authorized to make this affidavit for and on behalf of the said corporation; that he has read over the foregoing petition and that the facts stated therein are true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 13th day of July, 1953.

J. D. Blackburn

Notary Public, State of Alabama at Large.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
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W. R. Stewart  
Judge of Probate HO

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

ORDER SETTING DAY TO HEAR PETITION TO PROBATE WILL

On July 14, 1953, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Alabama, a National Banking Association, filed in this court its petition in writing and under oath, praying the court to admit to prebate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancí, Deceased, an instrument in writing purporting to be his Last Will and Testament, which was filed in this court with the said petition on July 14, 1953.

On this date the said Merchants National Bank filed in this court a motion asking that the said petition be set for hearing at a definite date and that notice of the filing of the said petition and of the date set for hearing same be given to Etheredge Mancí, a son of the said decedent, and to Julia M. Batchelder, a daughter of the said decedent, in the form and manner prescribed by law. The said Petitioner, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, also filed in this court on this date acceptance of service and waiver of notice of Mary E. Mancí, the widow, Orlando J. Mancí, a son, Amelia M. Breitling, a daughter, Antonia M. Edmonds, a daughter, Carolyn M. Ray, a daughter, Arthur Mancí, a son, Alvera M. Trione, a daughter, and Frank Mancí, Jr., a son of the said decedent; upon consideration of all of which, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court as follows:

1. That the 17th day of August, 1953, at ten o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby appointed for the hearing of the said petition described above to probate an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancí, Deceased, and that notice of the filing of the said petition and of the day set for hearing same be given to Etheredge Mancí, a son of the said decedent, and to Julia M. Batchelder, a daughter of the said decedent, both of whom are over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 28th day of July, 1953.

*W.R. Stuart*  
Probate Judge.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

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W.R. Stuart  
Judge of Probate

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ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI, DECEASED.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

BOOK 020 PAGE 345

PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY:

Your Petitioner, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a  
National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last  
Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, respectfully rep-  
resents unto the Court and your Honor as follows:

1. Petitioner is a National Banking Association organized  
and existing under the Laws of the United States, with its principal  
place of business in Mobile, Alabama, and has been appointed, quali-  
fied and is now acting as Executor of and under the Last Will and  
Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, the administration of which  
said estate is now pending in this Court.

2. The Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, Frank  
Mancie, was admitted to probate and record in and by the Probate  
Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, on August 17, 1953, at which  
time Letters Testamentary were issued to your Petitioner as Execut-  
or of and under the said Will.

3. A Partial Settlement of this said estate was had in this  
Court as will appear from the decree of this Court dated June 7,  
1955, which said partial settlement covered the period of time  
through May 17, 1955.

4. Petitioner has not used any of the funds or assets of  
the said estate for its own benefit, either directly or indirectly.  
More than six months have expired since the Last Will and Testa-  
ment of the said decedent was admitted to probate and since Letters  
Testamentary were issued to Petitioner. There is no need for con-  
tinuing the administration of the said estate and it should now be  
fully and finally settled.

5. Attached hereto and made a part hereof as though fully incorporated herein, are four pages which show the following:

Cash Receipts

Cash Disbursements

Recapitulation

6. The names and addresses of the distributees entitled to share in a distribution of the assets of the said estate are the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of said decedent, and are as follows:

Mary E. Manci, widow of the said decedent,  
Daphne, Alabama;

Arthur Manci, Daphne, Alabama;

Etheredge Manci, Belforest, Alabama;

Frank Manci, Jr., Fairhope, Alabama;

Orlando J. Manci, Bay Minette, Alabama;

Julia M. Batchelder,  
5113 Eighth Terrace Street  
Birmingham, Alabama;

Amelia M. Breitling,  
Demopolis, Alabama;

Antonina M. Edmonds,  
805 East Lee Street  
Pensacola, Florida;

Carolyn M. Ray,  
805 East Lee Street  
Pensacola, Florida;

All of the above said parties are over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind.

7. In the partial settlement that was heretofore had in this cause Petitioner invoked the provisions of Title 61, Section 315 of the 1940 Code of Alabama in order that the said decree on partial settlement would be final and conclusive as provided in the said Title 61, Section 315.

8. Vouchers for the disbursements shown above are filed herewith.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays that the Court will take jurisdiction of this Petition and appoint and set a day to hear the same; that notice of the filing of the said Petition and of the date set for hearing same be given to all distributees in the form and manner prescribed by law.

Petitioner further prays for the following separate and several relief:

A. That the remaining commission due Petitioner as said Executor be determined and ordered paid.

B. That the balance due by Petitioner to J. B. Blackburn, its Solicitor of record, for services rendered by him in connection with the administration of this estate, be determined and ordered paid.

C. That all court costs incurred since the partial settlement heretofore had in this cause be determined and ordered paid.

D. That Petitioner's account and vouchers be audited and stated, and that all payments due to those who take under the said Will be determined and ordered paid; that upon such payment and the other payments provided for in this Petition, that Petitioner be discharged from all other and further liability as such Executor

E. Petitioner further prays for such other, further and general relief as it may be equitably entitled to, the premises considered.

Respectfully submitted,

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
A National Banking Association,  
As Executor of and under the Last Will  
and Testament of Frank Manci, Deceased,

By: Garet V. Aldridge  
As its Trust Officer.

J. B. Blackburn  
Solicitor for Petitioner.

STATE OF ALABAMA

MOBILE COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, within and for said County in said State, personally appeared GARET V. ALDRIDGE, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says:

That he is Trust Officer of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under

the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased; that he has read over the foregoing petition and that the facts stated therein are true.

Garet V. Aldridge

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me on this the 19th day of  
November, 1956.

J. B. Blackburn  
Notary Public, State of  
Alabama at Large



THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE  
AS EXECUTOR OF WILL OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

SCHEDULE A  
CASH RECEIPTS

DATE

AMOUNT

Nov. 15, 1956 Additional Net Income realized on temporary invest-  
ment of cash in short term United States Government  
Notes and Certificates of Indebtedness

\$ 492.46

TOTAL

\$ 492.46

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE  
AS EXECUTOR OF WILL OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

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SCHEDULE B  
CASH DISBURSEMENTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VOUCHER</u> <u>NO. *</u>
Jun. 8, 1955	To Circuit Court Baldwin County, Alabama for Court Costs incurred in the matter of the Partial Settlement of the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased, as ordered by Decree of Court dated 6/7/55	\$ 121.38	39
Jun. 9, 1955	To Orlando J. Mancini for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	40
Jun. 9, 1955	To Antonina M. Edmonds for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	41
Jun. 9, 1955	To Julia M. Batchelder for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	42
Jun. 9, 1955	To Carolyn M. Ray for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	43
Jun. 9, 1955	To Amelia M. Breitling for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	44
Jun. 9, 1955	To Arthur Mancini for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	45
Jun. 9, 1955	To Frank Mancini, Jr. for partial distribution from assets of Estate to apply on distributive share per Decree of Partial Settlement dated 6/7/55	2,000.00	46
Jun. 9, 1955	To Merchants National Bank of Mobile for commissions and special compensation allowed by Decree of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama dated 6/7/55 on Partial Settlement of the Estate	1,852.66	47
Jun. 9, 1955	To J. B. Blackburn for on account of legal services in the matter of the administration of the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased	1,000.00	48
Aug. 4, 1955	To Merchants National Bank of Mobile for reimbursement for cost of telephone call to Bay Minette, Alabama 5/13/55 Re: Estate Administration matters	1.32	49

SCHEDULE B  
CASH DISBURSEMENTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VOUCHER NO.</u>
Oct. 5, 1956	To State of Alabama State Department of Revenue, Estate Tax Division for Estate Tax due the State of Alabama on recomputation as per report of Federal Examining Officer dated 9/21/56 .. \$78.43 plus interest of \$9.41	\$ 87.84	50
Oct. 16, 1956	To District Director of Internal Revenue Birmingham, Alabama for the balance of Estate Tax due from the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased being the deficiency on recomputation as per report of Federal Examining Officer dated 9/21/56 - \$4,303.77 plus interest in the amount of \$524.23 as per letter statement dated 10/11/56	4,828.00	51
		\$ 21,891.20	

\* Vouchers Nos. 1/38 inclusive included with Partial Settlement of Estate heretofore made.

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE  
AS EXECUTOR OF WILL OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS ON FINAL SETTLEMENT  
FROM MAY 12, 1955 TO NOVEMBER 15, 1956

RECAPITULATION

Cash balance including temporary investments in short term United States Government Notes and Certificates of Indebtedness held pending settlement, as shown by Statement of Accounts through May 12, 1955 on Partial Settlement of Estate . . . . .	\$ 29,086.40
Cash Receipts (Schedule A) . . . . .	<u>492.46</u>
	\$ 29,578.86
Cash Disbursements (Schedule B) . . . . .	<u>21,891.20</u>
Cash Balance November 15, 1956 . . . . .	\$ 7,687.66

## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FRANK MANCI

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Frank Mancini, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and imbued with the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and not acting under any duress, menace, fraud or influence of any person, circumstance or matter whatever, do freely and voluntarily make, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and cancelling all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made.

## FIRST:

I direct that my Executor, hereinafter named, as soon as it shall have sufficient funds applicable thereto, pay my funeral expenses, the expenses of my last sickness and all of my just debts and obligations of every nature in the order of priority prescribed by the laws of any state where this Will may be admitted to probate.

## SECOND:

I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Mary E. Mancini, as her absolute property, all bonds and all household goods, furniture and fixtures and a life estate in and to Block 1 in Mancini and Trione Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Map Book 1 at page 41, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.

## THIRD:

I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Alvera Trione, Lots Numbered 33 and 35 in Block 3 of Yuille's Belrose Wharf Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Map Book 1 at page 169, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.

## FOURTH:

I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Frank Mancini, Jr., all lots owned by me in Dryer's Subdivision in Daphne, Baldwin County, Alabama, and the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) in cash.

Frank Mancini (SEAL)

## FIFTH:

I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Arthur Manci, Lot Numbered 34 in Block 3 in Yuille's Belrose Wharf Subdivision, according to the official map or plat thereof recorded in Map Book 1 at page 169, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.

## SIXTH:

I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Arthur Manci, and to my nephew, Angelo F. Trione, the right and option to purchase, for cash, all or any part of approximately 720 acres of unimproved land owned by me at a price of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) per acre and all or any part of my old home place, consisting of approximately 120 acres, at and for the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per acre. This option shall continue for a period of six months from the date this Will is admitted to probate and record and if it is not exercised within six months after said date and the full purchase price paid during the said period of time, it shall in all respects cease and terminate and I direct that time is of the essence of this option.

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Arthur Manci (SEAL)

Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 26, Township 5 South, Range 2 East in Baldwin County, Alabama; also Lots Numbered 3, 4, 5, 12, 13 and 14 in the said Highland Farms in Section 35, Township 5 South, Range 2 East, which property is otherwise described as the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter, Section 35, Township 5 South, Range 2 East in Baldwin County, Alabama.

## ELEVENTH:

All of the rest, residue and remainder of my estate of every kind and nature, which I own or to which I may be entitled at the time of my decease, I give, devise, and bequeath to my children, Orlando J. Manci, Antonina M. Edmonds, Julia M. Batchelder, Carolyn M. Ray, Amelia M. Breitling, Arthur Manci and Frank Manci, Jr., share and share alike.

## TWELFTH:

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, to be Executor of this my Last Will and Testament and direct that no bond for the faithful performance of its duties as such Executor be required of it in this state or in any other jurisdiction.

## THIRTEENTH:

I hereby authorize and empower my said Executor to do all things necessary for the complete administration of my estate, including the power to sell at public or private sale and without order of court, any real or personal property belonging to my estate, to execute proper conveyance of same and to compromise, adjust or otherwise settle all claims, charges, debts and demands whatsoever against or in favor of my estate as fully as I could do, if living.

## FOURTEENTH:

In the event there should not be sufficient cash available for the purpose of paying my just debts, funeral expenses and taxes by the time payment becomes necessary, my Executor is ex-

Frank Manci (SEAL)

pressly authorized to renew any notes of mine which may be unpaid at the time of my death, securing the same with such collateral of mine as it may deem expedient. My Executor is likewise authorized to make other notes in order to raise necessary cash for these purposes and for the purpose of operating my business to avoid, as far as possible, any sacrifice of my estate by reason of a forced liquidation and in order to pay my debts, funeral expenses and other charges.

FIFTEENTH:

I hereby authorize and empower my Executor, for the time being, to carry on the whole or any part of any business operated by me individually at the time of my death, or operated by me as a partner at the time of my death, until such time as it may deem expedient to sell the same or wind up the said business, as the case may be, and to employ therein any capital which may be employed therein at my death and to augment or decrease the capital employed therein and to appoint any person or persons, including itself, manager or agent therein at a salary, or otherwise, and generally to act in the premises as if it were the absolute owner thereof without being liable or responsible for any loss arising thereby and in case the same shall be carried on at a loss, I declare that my Executor shall be reimbursed for all losses so incurred by it out of my general estate.

SIXTEENTH:

I hereby exempt my Executor from filing any inventory or appraisement of my estate.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, the said Frank Mancini, have to this my Last Will and Testament contained in this and the preceding sheets, subscribed my name and affixed my seal on this the 13th day of September, 1949.

Frank Mancini (SEAL)

The writing contained in this and the three preceding sheets was signed and sealed by the above named Frank Mancini and by him published and declared as being his Last Will and Testament



in the presence of us, who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other on this the 13th day of September, 1949.

Mary Lou Blackburn  
James R. Owen  
J. B. Blackburn

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY  
 Filed July 14, 1953 M  
 Recorded W. R. Stuart book 1 page 39  
W. R. Stuart  
 Judge of Probate MS

# CERTIFICATE

STATE OF ALABAMA  
 BALDWIN COUNTY

I, W. R. Stuart, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that the within instrument of writing has this day in said Court, and before me as the Judge thereof, been duly proven to be the genuine Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, and that the said Will together with the proof thereof, has been recorded in my office in Book of Wills Number 1, at Page 43.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said Court this 17th day of August, 1953.

W. R. Stuart

Judge of Probate.

ESTATE OF )  
 \*  
 FRANK MANCI, DECEASED)  
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
 BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
 IN EQUITY

# PETITION FOR PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
 BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY:

Your Petitioner, The Merchants National Bank of Mobile,  
 a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last  
 Will and Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, respectfully represents  
 unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. Petitioner is a National Banking Association organized  
 and existing under the laws of the United States with its principal  
 place of business in Mobile, Alabama, and has been appointed, quali-  
 fied and is now acting as Executor of and under the Last Will and  
 Testament of Frank Mancie, Deceased, the administration of which said  
 estate is now pending in this court.

2. Immediately after the Letters Testamentary were issued  
 to Petitioner it entered into its duties as such executor and has  
 handled all of the affairs of the said estate diligently and to the  
 best of its ability. Petitioner has not used any of the funds or  
 other assets of the said estate for its own benefit, either directly  
 or indirectly.

3. Attached to and made a part of this petition is  
 Petitioner's account as said executor, which contains the following:

Schedule A, cash receipts  
 Schedule B, cash disbursements  
 Schedule C, temporary investment of cash  
 belonging to estate  
 Schedule D, other assets  
 Recapitulation sheet

Vouchers for all expenditures are filed herewith.

4. More than six months have expired since Letters  
 Testamentary were issued to Petitioner and all claims filed against  
 the estate have been paid in full. The claims paid, however, do not  
 include executor's commissions or attorney's fees due to executor's  
 attorney. A proper estate tax return has been filed by Petitioner

as said executor, but the final estate tax liability of this estate has not been finally determined, because of which it is impossible to make a final settlement of this estate at this time.

5. Those entitled to share in the assets of this said estate are the devisees and legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, who are as follows:

Mary E. Manci, widow of the said decedent,  
Daphne, Alabama;

Arthur Manci, Daphne, Alabama;

Etheredge Manci, Belforest, Alabama;

Frank Manci, Jr., Fairhope, Alabama;

Orlando J. Manci, Bay Minette, Alabama;

Julia M. Batchelder,  
5113 Eighth Terrace Street,  
Birmingham, Alabama;

Amelia M. Breitling,  
Demopolis, Alabama;

Antonina M. Edmonds,  
805 East Lee Street,  
Pensacola, Florida;

Carolyn M. Ray,  
805 East Lee Street,  
Pensacola, Florida;

Alvera M. Trione, Daphne, Alabama.

With the exception of Mary E. Manci, widow of the said decedent, all of the above said parties are children of the decedent and are each over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind.

6. Because of the fact that the decedent at the time of his death was engaged in businesses with Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione, and because of the further fact that the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent gave to Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione an option to purchase certain lands which are described therein, the affairs of the said estate were considerably complicated, which necessitated much work on the part of the Petitioner, as said executor, in making investigations in connection with the operation and ownership of the said businesses, assistance in the

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compilation of an audit report, filing a petition in this court for authority to sell and convey the jointly owned property and that included in the option referred to above to Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione; petitioner, as said executor, was required to render extraordinary services for which, in its opinion, it should be paid additional compensation for the extraordinary services over and above the statutory amounts allowed executors as commissions on receipts and disbursements. Petitioner alleges that it has cash receipts of \$41,596.40, which amount includes the sum of \$24,000 which was received from Arthur Manci and Angelo F. Trione for the lands which they were given an option to purchase in the Last Will and Testament of Frank Manci, Deceased, and that it has disbursed the sum of \$12,510 up to the time of the filing of this petition for partial settlement. Petitioner further alleges that a reasonable sum to be paid to it as commissions and as compensation for the extraordinary services which have been rendered by it as executor of this estate up to the time of the filing of this petition for partial settlement is the sum of \$1,852.66.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays for the following separate and several relief:

A. That the court will take jurisdiction of the cause made by this petition, appoint and set a day to hear it, give notice of the filing of this petition and of the date set for hearing same to all necessary and proper parties in the same manner as required by law in case of final settlement of estate, in order that your Petitioner may have the protection afforded by Title 61, Section 315 of the 1940 Code of Alabama.

B. That Petitioner's account and the vouchers filed herewith be audited and stated; that the amount of compensation due to Petitioner for services rendered by it, including the above described extraordinary services, be determined and ordered paid, and that this estate be partially settled; that Petitioner, as said executor, be authorized to make some reasonable partial distribution of the cash assets on hand to the legatees named in the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent in the manner provided therein.

C. Petitioner prays that such other orders be made and decrees rendered as may be necessary and proper to partially settle this estate and give to Petitioner as said executor the protection provided by Title 61, Section 315 of the 1940 Code of Alabama.

Respectfully submitted,

THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE,  
A National Banking Association, as  
Executor of and under the Last Will and  
Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased,

By

Garet V. Aldridge

As its Trust Officer.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
MOBILE COUNTY )

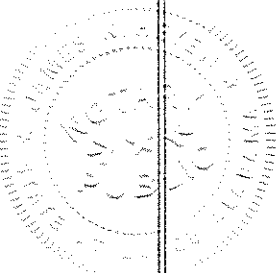
Before me, the undersigned authority, within and for said County in said State, personally appeared GARET V. ALDRIDGE, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says:

That he is one of the Trust Officers of The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of the Estate of Frank Mancini, Deceased; that he has read over the foregoing petition, that he is familiar with the facts stated therein, and that the same are true.

Garet V. Aldridge

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 13 day of May, 1955.

James K. Heyman  
Notary Public, Mobile County, Alabama



THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF MOBILE  
AS EXECUTOR OF WILL OF FRANK MANCI, DECEASED

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS  
THRU MAY 12, 1955

RECAPITULATION

Cash Receipts (Schedule A) . . . . .	\$ 41,596.40
Cash Disbursements (Schedule B) . . . . .	<u>12,510.00</u>
	\$ 29,086.40

Temporary Investments of Cash in Short Term United States Government Notes and Certificates of Indebtedness pending Settlement of Estate (Schedule C) . . . . .	\$ <u>28,023.75</u>
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Cash Balance May 12, 1955 . . . . .	\$ 1,062.65
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Other Estate Assets Undistributed (Schedule D) . . . . .	NONE
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SCHEDULE A  
CASH RECEIPTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>
Aug. 19, 1953	Balance in checking account Merchants National Bank of Mobile name of Frank Mancì	\$ 2,265.67
Oct. 23, 1953	Received from Arthur Mancì and Angelo F. Trione in payment of purchase price specified by Item Sixth of Will, on exercise by them of option to purchase the following real property, granted by said Will:  120 acres known as the old home place of Frank Mancì, deceased, described as W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 23 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 26, Tp. 5 S., R. 2 E., Baldwin County, Alabama @ \$100 per acre	12,000.00
	600 acres described as unimproved land located SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 12, E $\frac{1}{2}$ of E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 13, Tp. 5 S., R. 2 E., and W $\frac{1}{2}$ of W $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 18 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 30, Tp. 5 S., R. 3 E., Baldwin County, Alabama @ \$20.00 per acre	12,000.00
Nov. 20, 1953	Proceeds of conveyance to Arthur Mancì and Angelo F. Trione of Estate interest in joint business enterprises doing business under the names of Mancì's Farms, Mancì's Service Station and Daphne Cleaners for \$15,000 in accordance with Decree of Circuit Court, Baldwin County, dated 11/19/53	15,000.00
Mar. 5, 1954	Refund by Thames, Jackson & Harris Co. of premium on cancelled insurance policy No. 339911 on barn on home place conveyed to Arthur Mancì and Angelo F. Trione	25.90
May 12, 1955	Net income realized on Temporary Investment of cash in Short Term United States Government Notes and Certificates of Indebtedness.	304.83
		<hr/> \$41,596.40

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SCHEDULE B  
CASH DISBURSEMENTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VOUCHER NO.</u>
Aug. 25, 1953	To James R. Owen, Attorney, for reimbursement to James R. Owen, Attorney, and associate of J. B. Blackburn, Attorney for Estate, for cost of copies of plats of various subdivisions of real estate mentioned in Will of Frank Mancie, deceased.	\$ 2.50	1
Aug. 28, 1953	To Mrs. Mary J. De Gruy in full payment for professional nursing services rendered Frank Mancie, deceased, during last illness as per claim filed in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama	108.00	2
Aug. 28, 1953	To Mrs. George Hitchcock in full payment for professional nursing services rendered Frank Mancie, deceased, during last illness as per claim filed in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama	20.00	3
Aug. 28, 1953	To Mrs. T. K. Jackson in full payment for professional nursing services rendered Frank Mancie, deceased, during last illness as per claim filed in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.	44.00	4
Sep. 1, 1953	To James R. Owen, Attorney, for reimbursement for direct cost to him of copies of plats of various subdivisions of real estate mentioned in Will of Frank Mancie, deceased.	4.00	5
Sep. 3, 1953	To Thames, Jackson & Harris Co. for premium due 8/31/53 on \$3,000.00 fire and extended coverage insurance on barn property of Frank Mancie.	67.80	6
Sep. 10, 1953	To W. R. Stuart, Judge of Probate, for court costs in matter of probate of Will of Frank Mancie, deceased.	27.10	7
Sep. 18, 1953	To the Merchants National Bank of Mobile for reimbursement expenses Garet Aldridge trip to Bay Minette, Alabama 9/10/53, re: Estate Matters	.50	8
Sep. 23, 1953	To Merchants National Bank of Mobile for reimbursement for expenses to Garet Aldridge, Trust Officer, trip to Bay Minette, Alabama on 9/21/53 tunnel tolls, re; Estate Matters.	.50	9



SCHEDULE B  
CASH DISBURSEMENTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VOUCHER NO.</u>
Sep. 23, 1953	To State of Alabama, Bureau of Vital Statistics for cost of certified copy of death certificate of Mr. Frank Mancini, deceased.	\$ .50	10
Sep. 28, 1953	To Merchants National Bank for reimbursement tunnel tolls and miscellaneous expenses to Garet Aldridge, Trust Officer, trip to Bay Minette and Daphne, Alabama 9/24/53 - .60¢ and proportionate share tunnel tolls gasoline and misc. expenses trip to Pensacola, Florida 9/25/53 - re: Estate Matters \$1.92	2.52	11
Sep. 30, 1953	To The Merchants National Bank of Mobile for reimbursement to Bank for cost of telephone calls by Garet Aldridge to Daphne, Alabama 8/18/53 and 8/19/53, Re: Estate of Frank Mancini	.79	12
Oct. 1, 1953	To Merchants National Bank of Mobile for reimbursement for expenses of Garet Aldridge, trips to Daphne, Alabama on 9/29 and 9/30, Re: Estate Matters.	1.30	13
Oct. 14, 1953	To The Merchants National Bank for reimbursement for expenses of G. Aldridge trip to Daphne, Alabama and return on 10/8/53, re: Estate Matters	.90	14
Oct. 14, 1953	To D. S. Pennington for services in connection with appraisal of assets of estate.	100.00	15
Oct. 14, 1953	To Leslie C. Bamberger for services in connection with appraisal of assets of estate.	100.00	16
Oct. 14, 1953	To J. E. Gooden for services in connection with appraisal of assets of estate.	100.00	17
Oct. 19, 1953	To The Merchants National Bank of Mobile for reimbursement for cost of telephone calls to Bay Minette and Fairhope, Alabama on 9/1/53 and 9/8/53 by Garet Aldridge, re: Estate Matters	2.59	18
Oct. 22, 1953	To Mr. J. B. Blackburn, Attorney, for reimbursement for cost of federal deed tax stamps to be attached to deed from Merchants National Bank as Executor under Will of Frank Mancini to Arthur Mancini and Angelo F. Trione dated 10/22/53	26.40	19
Oct. 23, 1953	To the Jordan Clinic for expenses incident to last illness of Frank Mancini, deceased, in accordance with claim as filed in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama	203.00	20

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SCHEDULE B  
CASH DISBURSEMENTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VOUCHER NO.</u>
Oct. 23, 1953	To Higgins Mortuary, Inc. for funeral expenses of Frank Mancini, deceased, in accordance with claim as filed in Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.	\$ 649.07	21
Nov. 20, 1953	To Merchants National Bank for reimbursement for expenses of Garet Aldridge, Trust Officer trip to Bay Minette, Alabama and return on November 19th, re: Circuit Court Hearing sale of business interests Estate of Frank Mancini	1.98	22
Dec. 2, 1953	To M. H. Wilkins, Tax Collector, for payment of 1953 State Baldwin County and Town of Daphne taxes assessed against Frank Mancini, deceased, prior to death.	368.30	23
Dec. 2, 1953	To Merchants National Bank to reimburse for cost of various long distance telephone calls to attorneys, appraisers and members of family during September and October, 1953, concerning Estate Matters	13.02	24
Jan. 18, 1954	To V. R. Pritchard & Co., C.P.A.'s for professional service in matter of preparation of final Federal and State of Alabama income tax returns of Frank Mancini, deceased, and in connection with appearance in Chancery Court of Baldwin County, Alabama in matter of Petition of Executor heard 11/19/53	30.00	25
Jan. 19, 1954	To State of Alabama, Department of Revenue for income taxes due under final return to State of Alabama joint return Mrs. Mary Mancini and Frank Mancini, deceased.	2.34	26
Feb. 3, 1954	To the Merchants National Bank for reimbursement for costs long distance calls to Bay Minette 11/12/53 and Fairhope on 11/9-18/53, re: Estate Matters	2.56	27
Feb. 24, 1954	To J. B. Blackburn, Attorney, on account of professional service rendered in connection with the probating of the Will and administration of the Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased.	500.00	28
Feb. 25, 1954	To V. R. Pritchard Co. for professional service rendered as C.P.A. in connection with audit of business enterprises known as Mancini Farms, Mancini Service Station and Daphne Cleaners, Daphne, Ala. in connection with administrators of the Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased.	500.00	29

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SCHEDULE B  
CASH DISBURSEMENTS

<u>DATE</u>		<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VOUCHER NO.</u>
Aug. 10, 1954	To Mary E. Mancini in payment from assets of Estate of Frank Mancini, deceased, in accordance with decree of Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama dated 5/25/54 in the matter of exemptions of personal property in favor of Mary E. Mancini as widow of Frank Mancini, deceased.	\$ 1,000.00	30
Aug. 23, 1954	To V. R. Pritchard & Co. for professional services, re: verification of estate tax return and its servicing.	50.00	31
Aug. 26, 1954	To Frank Mancini, Jr. for cash bequest under Item Fourth of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased.	3,000.00	32
Aug. 26, 1954	To Julia M. Batchelder for cash bequest under Item Seventh of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased.	1,000.00	33
Aug. 26, 1954	To Carolyn M. Ray for cash bequest under Item Eighth of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased.	1,000.00	34
Aug. 26, 1954	To Amelia M. Breitling for cash bequest under Item Ninth of the Will of Frank Mancini, deceased	1,000.00	35
Aug. 30, 1954	To W. R. Stuart, Judge of Probate, Baldwin County for certified copy of Will of Frank Mancini	5.00	36
Sep. 7, 1954	To Director of Internal Revenue for Estate Taxes due U. S. Treasury as per estate tax return dated 2/3/54	2,574.67	37
Nov. 11, 1954	To Merchants National Bank of Mobile, for reimbursement for telephone call to Mr. Blackburn, Attorney, Bay Minette, Ala. 8/9/54, re: Estate Matters	.66	38
		\$12,510.00	

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SCHEDULE C

Temporary Investment of Cash in Short Term United States  
Government Notes and Certificates of Indebtedness Pending  
Settlement of Estate

	<u>Investment</u>
\$2,000.00 U. S. Treasury Series "E" 1 1/4% Certificates of Indebtedness due 12/15/55	\$ 2,000.00
\$18,000.00 U. S. Treasury Series "A" 1 5/8% Notes due 3/15/56	18,000.00
\$ 5,000.00 U. S. Treasury Series "B" 1 1/8% Certificates of Indebtedness due 5/17/55	5,023.75
\$ 3,000.00 U. S. Treasury Series "D" 1 1/8% Certificates of Indebtedness due 8/15/55	3,000.00
Total Investment	<u>\$28,023.75</u>

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SCHEDULE D  
OTHER ESTATE ASSETS

(All devised and bequeathed by Will of Frank MancI, deceased)

I Other Personal Property

Household Goods, Furnishings and Fixtures -		<u>Voucher No.</u>
Bequeathed to Mary E. MancI under Item		
Second of Will and distributed - appraisal at \$500.00		39

II Other Real Property

1. Block 1, MancI & Trione Subdivision, Daphne, Alabama less Lots 5 and 6, according to official plat recorded in Book 1, Page 41, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.  
 (Devised by Item Second and Eleven of Will)
2. Lot 33 of Block 3 of Yuilles Belrose Wharf Subdivision, according to map thereof recorded in Book 1, Page 169, Baldwin County, Alabama Records. (Devised by Item Third of Will)
3. Lot 34 of Block 3 of Yuilles Belrose Wharf Subdivision according to map thereof recorded in Book 1, Page 169 Baldwin County, Alabama Records (Devised by Item Fifth of Will)
4. Lot 35 of Block 3 of Yuilles Belrose Wharf Subdivision, according to map thereof recorded in Deed Book 1, Page 169, Baldwin County, Alabama Records.  
 (Devised by Item Third of Will)
5. Lots 11, 12, 21 and 28 in Section 26, Township 5 South, Range 2 East and Lots 3, 4, 5, 12, 13 and 14 in Section 35, Township 5 South, Range 2 East in Highland Farms Subdivision; being South Half of Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and East Half of Southeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter of Section 26 and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 35, Township 5 South, Range 2 East, Baldwin County, Alabama Containing approximately 100 acres.  
 (Devised by Item Tenth of Will)

ESTATE OF  
FRANK MANCI,  
Deceased.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY.

DECREE FINALLY SETTLING ESTATE

This cause coming on again to be heard on this date is submitted on the vouchers filed in this cause on this date by The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, the Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of the said decedent, which vouchers are described as follows and show the payments made below:

<u>Payee:</u>	<u>Amount:</u>	<u>Voucher No.:</u>
Alice J. Duck	\$ 30.65	52
The Merchants National Bank of Mobile	147.99	53
J. B. Blackburn, Attorney	350.00	54
Orlando J. Mancini	1,022.72	55
Antonina M. Edmonds	1,022.72	56
Julia M. Batchelder	1,022.72	57
Carolyn M. Ray	1,022.72	58
Amelia M. Breitling	1,022.72	59
Arthur Mancini	1,022.71	60
Frank Mancini, Jr.	1,022.71	61
	<u>\$7,687.66</u>	

From all of the above, it appears to the Court that the said Executor has complied in all respects with the decree on final settlement heretofore rendered in this cause and dated December 12, 1956, upon consideration of all of which it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court as follows:

The Merchants National Bank of Mobile, a National Banking Association, as Executor of and under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Mancini, Deceased, having complied in all respects with the former decree of this Court, and having paid all of the Court Costs and made all of the other disbursements called for and provided in and by the said decree, is hereby relieved of and discharged from all other and further liability because of its administration of the said estate, and the said estate shall be, and it is hereby fully and finally settled.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 29 day of January, 1957.

Hubert M. Hall  
Judge.