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ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON,  
DECEASED.

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

DECREE

This cause coming on to be heard on this date is submitted on the sworn petition of Sophia A. Bondesson, administratrix of this said estate, which is dated December 11, 1953, and which was filed in this court on this date, and on the answer of Sophia A. Bondesson, widow of the said decedent, and Loretta B. Pulliam, daughter of the said decedent, which answer was filed in this cause on this date and in which the said parties consent and agree that a decree be rendered in accordance with the prayer of the said petition, from all of which the court finds that the said Sophia A. Bondesson and Loretta B. Pulliam are each over twenty-one years of age, and are all of the heirs of the said decedent, so that no further notice of the filing of the said petition or the date set for hearing same is required to be given to any person, and that the court may render a consent decree in this said cause at this time; upon consideration of all of which, it is, therefore,

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. Sophia A. Bondesson, as administratrix of this said estate, shall be and she is hereby fully and completely authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to transfer to herself the furniture and fixtures situated in the residence occupied by her at this time, and which was occupied by her and the decedent at the time of his death; the 1939 Dodge automobile which was owned by the decedent at the time of his death, and pay to herself from the funds of the said estate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), all of which will pay to the said Sophia A. Bondesson, the amount to which she is entitled for personal property exemptions.

2. Sophia A. Bondesson, as administratrix of this said estate, is hereby fully and completely authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to transfer to herself, in her individual capacity, a sufficient amount of the government bonds belonging to the said estate, figured at their present value, to pay to her the

balance of \$7000.00 due to her as administratrix's commissions in connection with the administration of this said estate. The said administratrix is authorized to transfer to herself at this time \$3500.00 of the said balance and transfer the remainder thereof to herself at the time this estate is ready for final settlement.

3. Sophia A. Bondesson, as administratrix of this said estate, shall be and she is hereby fully and completely authorized to convert into cash all or any part of the United States Savings Bonds belonging to this estate, after transfer of the bonds as provided for in the preceding paragraph of this decree.

4. Sophia A. Bondesson, as administratrix of this said estate, is hereby fully and completely authorized, empowered, instructed and directed to take all such action and do all things which are necessary and proper to divide all stock owned by the decedent at the time of his death in the Alabama Power Company, American Telephone and Telegraph Company, Anaconda Copper Mining Company, National City Bank, West Indies Sugar Corporation and Sinclair Oil Corporation equally between Sophia A. Bondesson, widow of the said decedent, and Loretta B. Pulliam, daughter of the said decedent, for the purpose of making distribution of the assets of this said estate.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 22 day of December, 1953.

Hubert M. Hall  
Judge

ESTATE OF

O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
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) 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 petition of Sophia A. Bondesson, as administratrix of this said estate, to remove the administration to this court, upon consideration 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 this court.

2. The Register of this court shall furnish a copy of this decree to the Judge of Probate of Baldwin County, Alabama, who shall transmit the court file to this court in the manner provided by law.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 11<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1953.

Hubert M. Hare  
Judge

ESTATE OF

O. P. BONDESSON,  
DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

) BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

) IN EQUITY

FINAL DECREE

This cause coming on again to be heard on this date is submitted for a decree finally settling this said estate on the sworn petition of Sophia A. Bondesson, administratrix of this said estate; the acceptance of service, waiver of notice, waiver of an accounting and consent that this estate be settled by consent without notice in the manner provided by Title 61, Section 301 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, as amended, signed by Sophia A. Bondesson and Loretta B. Pulliam, who are all of the heirs of the said decedent and the only persons interested in this estate; and the waiver of notice of the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a Corporation, surety on the bond of the said administratrix, from all of which it appears to the court that this said estate is now ready for settlement, that the said estate can be settled by consent without notice in the manner provided by Title 61, Section 301 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, as amended, and that the court costs incurred in connection with the administration of this estate have been paid, upon consideration of all of which, it is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the court as follows:

1. This said estate shall be and it is hereby fully and finally settled and Sophia A. Bondesson, as administratrix of this estate, and the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a Corporation, the surety on her official bond, shall be and they are hereby relieved of and discharged from all other and further liability because of the administration of this said estate.

2. It is further ordered that all proceedings in this matter be recorded in the minutes of this court.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED on this the 3 day of March, 1954.

*Robert M. Hall*  
Judge

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

ANSWER

We, the undersigned Sophia A. Bondesson, the widow, and Loretta B. Pulliam, the daughter of O. P. Bondesson, Deceased, do each hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition by Sophia A. Bondesson, as Administratrix of this said estate, to convert into cash certain government bonds belonging to this said estate, to divide securities belonging to this said estate, and for other relief, which petition was sworn to by the administratrix on December 11, 1953. The undersigned parties and each of them admit all of the allegations of the said petition, and consent and agree that a decree be rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof, without further notice to them.

Sophia A. Bondesson

Loretta B. Pulliam

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, Mary Lou Blackburn, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Sophia A. Bondesson, 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 11 day of December, 1953.

Mary Lou Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

STATE OF ARIZONA )  
\*  
COCONINO COUNTY )

I, Theo S. Spencer, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Loretta B. Pulliam, 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 14th  
day of December, 1953.



Notary Public, Coconino County, Arizona.

Affix seal.

*My Commission Expires March 22, 1954.*

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

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

PETITION

Your Petitioner, Sophia A. Bondesson, who is over twenty-one years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, respectfully represents unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. She has been appointed, qualified and is now acting as administratrix of this said estate, the administration of which is now pending in this court.

2. This estate is entirely solvent and all claims and charges against it have been paid, except a part of the administratrix's commissions, amounting to the sum of \$7,000, a part of the attorney's fee, amounting to \$2,000, and certain court costs, all of which will be paid on final settlement of this estate, which settlement will be had as soon as the matters referred to in this petition can be concluded.

3. Petitioner is the widow of the said decedent and is entitled to personal property exemptions in the amount of \$1,000, which have not been paid to her. Petitioner, as administratrix, is the widow of the said decedent and Loretta B. Pulliam is the daughter and the only other heir of the said decedent, which said parties desire that Sophia A. Bondesson have the benefit of the said homestead exemptions without the necessity of formally setting aside such exemptions to her in the manner provided by law. The furniture and fixtures situated in the residence occupied by the Petitioner and the decedent at the time of his death have been appraised at \$500, and a 1939 Dodge automobile, which was owned by the decedent at the time of his death, has been appraised at \$400. It is the desire of all parties interested in this estate that the said furniture and fixtures and the said automobile be delivered to the widow of the said decedent, and that she be paid, in addition thereto, the sum of \$100 from the funds belonging to the said estate.

4. This estate does not have on hand sufficient cash to

pay the balance of \$7,000 which is due to the administratrix as the said balance on commissions. It is agreeable to all persons interested in this estate that the said administratrix be authorized to transfer to herself a sufficient amount of the government bonds belonging to this estate, which are hereinafter described, which, at their market value at the time of transfer, will amount to \$7,000.00.

5. A proper estate tax return has been filed for this estate and all estate taxes due, as shown by the said return, have been paid; however, the said return has not been finally audited, so that the estate tax liability of this estate has not been finally determined. In order that additional bond premiums will be saved, all parties interested in this estate desire to settle it before another bond premium is due, and desire to deposit the sum of \$5,000 in escrow with the Bank of Fairhope at Fairhope, Alabama, to be held and used for the purpose of paying additional estate tax, should such be due; and in the event such estate taxes are not due, the said fund or any part thereof which is not used for paying taxes shall be divided between the heirs of the said decedent. This said estate does not have sufficient cash to pay attorney's fees, court costs and the said sum of \$5,000. It is desirable and to the best interest of this estate that all or a sufficient amount of the remaining government bonds which belong to this estate be cashed, in order that sufficient funds can be raised for the said purposes.

6. This estate owns the following described securities:

Certificate No. A01843, dated February 13, 1947,  
for 90 shares 4.20 preferred stock Alabama  
Power Company.

Certificate No. A01844, dated February 13, 1947,  
for 10 shares 4.20 preferred stock Alabama  
Power Company.

Certificate No. A340643, dated December 15, 1941,  
for 20 shares capital stock American Telephone  
and Telegraph Company.

Certificate No. A405692, dated March 8, 1944, for  
80 shares capital stock American Telephone and  
Telegraph Company.



Certificate No. X397983, dated March 11, 1948,  
for 10 shares American Telephone and Telegraph  
capital stock.

Certificate No. X461330, dated September 12, 1949,  
for 10 shares capital stock American Telephone  
and Telegraph Company.

Certificate No. XV36992, dated June 13, 1951, for  
15 shares capital stock American Telephone and  
Telegraph Company.

Certificate No. R552294, dated October 1, 1952,  
for 5 shares capital stock American Telephone  
and Telegraph Company.

Certificate No. 354061 for 100 shares capital stock  
of Anaconda Copper Mining Company \$50 par.

Certificate No. 354062 for 100 shares of capital  
stock of Anaconda Copper Mining Company \$50 par.

Certificate No. 354063 for 100 shares of Capital  
stock of Anaconda Copper Mining Company \$50 par.

Certificate No. 354064 for 100 shares of capital  
stock of Anaconda Copper Mining Company \$50 par.

Certificate No. 362129 for 100 shares of capital  
stock of Anaconda Copper Mining Company \$50 par.

Certificate No. 362151 for 100 shares of capital  
stock of Anaconda Copper Mining Company \$50 par.

Certificate No. 52746 for 100 shares capital  
stock National City Bank of New York.

Certificate No. 52747 for 100 shares capital  
stock National City Bank of New York.

Certificate No. 52748 for 100 shares capital  
stock National City Bank of New York.

Certificate No. 2152 for 100 shares common stock  
West Indies Sugar Corporation.

Certificate No. 2153 for 100 shares common stock  
West Indies Sugar Corporation.

Certificate No. 2154 for 100 shares common stock  
West Indies Sugar Corporation.

Certificate No. 2155 for 100 shares common stock  
West Indies Sugar Corporation.

Certificate No. 2156 for 100 shares common stock  
West Indies Sugar Corporation.

Certificate No. 2157 for 100 shares common stock  
West Indies Sugar Corporation.

Certificate No. NS82588, dated March 25, 1946,  
for 100 shares capital stock Sinclair Oil Corporation.

This said estate also owns the following described United States Savings Bonds:

One United States Savings Bond, No. C58790743E, dated February 15, 1944, in the amount of \$100.

United States Savings Bonds, all of which are in denominations of \$500 each, and are described as follows:

No. D2947359E	September 4, 1942
No. D3333816E	October 17, 1942
No. D3719503E	December 28, 1942
No. D3719504E	December 28, 1942
No. D5009290E	April 19, 1943
No. D5705726E	July 14, 1943
No. D6410695E	September 7, 1943
No. D6509289E	September 30, 1943
No. D7516508E	December 27, 1943
No. D7686272E	January 31, 1944
No. D7686298E	April 14, 1944
No. D10888053E	November 20, 1944
No. D12396211E	February 7, 1945
No. D11191234E	March 30, 1945
No. D11191298E	October 29, 1945

United States Savings Bonds, all of which are in denominations of \$1,000 each, and described as follows:

No. M7123566E	June 17, 1944
No. M7123567E	June 21, 1944
No. M8876079E	December 26, 1944
No. M8876147E	June 15, 1945
No. M11946422E	December 21, 1945
No. M12673418E	April 19, 1946

Before final settlement of this estate, all of the above described securities, except the said United States Savings Bonds, shall be divided equally between Sophia A. Bondesson, the widow of the said decedent, and Loretta B. Pulliam, the daughter of the said decedent, and the United States Savings Bonds which remain, after sale of a sufficient amount to realize the said sum of \$5,000, and after transfer to the administratrix of this estate of an amount thereof equal in value to the sum of \$7,000, shall also be divided equally between the two said parties.

7. The only persons interested in this estate are Sophia A. Bondesson, the widow of the said decedent, who is a resident of Fairhope, Alabama, and Loretta B. Pulliam, the daughter of the said decedent, who is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, whose residence and post office address is Flagstaff, Arizona. Each of the said parties is over twenty-one years of age and of

sound mind and have, by answer filed herewith, admitted the allegations of this petition and have consented and agreed that a decree be rendered in accordance with the prayer of this petition.

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

A. That she be authorized to transfer to herself the furniture, fixtures and automobile described in Paragraph 3 of this petition, and pay to herself the sum of \$100, which amount shall pay in full the amount to which she is entitled for personal property exemptions.

B. That Petitioner be authorized to transfer to herself in her individual capacity a sufficient amount of the said government bonds to pay the balance due to her for administratrix's commissions, amounting to \$7,000.

C. That Petitioner be authorized to convert into cash all or a sufficient part of the remaining government bonds for the purposes stated in Paragraph 5 of this petition.

D. That Petitioner be authorized to divide the remaining securities belonging to the said estate equally between herself, the widow of the said decedent, and Loretta B. Pulliam, the daughter of the said decedent.

E. Petitioner further prays for such other, further and general relief as she may be equitably entitled to, the premises considered.

Sophia A. Bondesson

As Administratrix as aforesaid.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared SOPHIA A. BONDESSON, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says: That she is the Administratrix of the Estate of O. P. Bondesson, Deceased; that she has read over the

sound mind and have, by answer filed herewith, admitted the allegations of this petition and have consented and agreed that a decree be rendered in accordance with the prayer of this petition.

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

A. That she be authorized to transfer to herself the furniture, fixtures and automobile described in Paragraph 3 of this petition, and pay to herself the sum of \$100, which amount shall pay in full the amount to which she is entitled for personal property exemptions.

B. That Petitioner be authorized to transfer to herself in her individual capacity a sufficient amount of the said government bonds to pay the balance due to her for administratrix's commissions, amounting to \$7,000.

C. That Petitioner be authorized to convert into cash all or a sufficient part of the remaining government bonds for the purposes stated in Paragraph 5 of this petition.

D. That Petitioner be authorized to divide the remaining securities belonging to the said estate equally between herself, the widow of the said decedent, and Loretta B. Pulliam, the daughter of the said decedent.

E. Petitioner further prays for such other, further and general relief as she may be equitably entitled to, the premises considered.

Sophia A. Bondesson

As Administratrix as aforesaid.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared SOPHIA A. BONDESSON, who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, deposes and says: That she is the Administratrix of the Estate of O. P. Bondesson, Deceased; that she has read over the

foregoing petition, and that the facts stated therein are true.

Sophia A Bondurro

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 11 day of December, 1953.

Mary Lou Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON,  
DECEASED.

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

PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

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

Your Petitioner, Sophia A. Bondesson, who is over twenty-one years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, respectfully represents unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. She was heretofore on, to-wit, December 30, 1952, appointed by and qualified in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, as administratrix of the Estate of O. P. Bondesson, Deceased.

2. More than six months have expired since Petitioner was appointed and qualified as administratrix of this said estate; all claims against the said estate and all of its debts and obligations have been paid. There is no need for continuing the administration of this said estate and it should now be fully and finally settled. Petitioner has not used any of the funds or other assets of the said estate for her own benefit, either directly or indirectly.

3. The heirs of the said decedent and those entitled to share in a distribution of the assets of this said estate are your Petitioner, Sophia A. Bondesson, widow of the said decedent, and Loretta B. Pulliam, daughter of the said decedent, whose residence and post office address is 824 West Cherry Street, Flagstaff, Arizona. Both of the said parties are over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind. The said parties have, by written instrument attached to and made a part of this petition for final settlement, waived an accounting and have consented and agreed that this estate be settled by consent without notice in the manner prescribed by Title 61, Section 301 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, as amended.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays that the court will make and enter a proper order fully and finally settling this estate by consent, without notice, in the manner provided by Title 61, Section

301 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, as amended. Petitioner further prays that such other orders be made and decrees rendered as may be requisite and proper in the premises.

Sophia A. Bondesson

Petitioner.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 1954.

Mary Lee Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

We, the undersigned Sophia A. Bondesson and Loretta B. Pulliam, do hereby waive notice of the filing of the foregoing petition and of the date set for hearing same, waive an accounting by the said administratrix and consent and agree that this estate be settled by consent, without notice, in the manner provided by Title 61, Section 301 of the 1940 Code of Alabama, as amended.

Dated on this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 1954.

Sophia A. Bondesson  
Sophia A. Bondesson

Loretta B. Pulliam  
Loretta B. Pulliam

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
\*  
BALDWIN COUNTY )

I, Mary Lee Blackburn, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Sophia A. Bondesson, 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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 1954.

Mary Lee Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

STATE OF ARIZONA   )  
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COCONINO COUNTY    )

I, Theo. Spencer, a Notary Public, within and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Loretta B. Pulliam, 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 9th day of February, 1954.



Notary Public, Coconino County, Arizona.

*Commission Expires March 25, 1954.*



O. P. BONDESSON,  
Deceased,

ESTATE OF.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

And now comes Alice J. Duck, as Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, and files in this Court a certified copy of a Decree made in the said Circuit Court on to-wit: December 11, 1953, in the above styled cause;

And it appearing to the Court that the said Decree does order that the above named Estate be transferred to the said Circuit Court, Equity Division;

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED by the Court that the Estate of O. P. Bondesson, Deceased, being Probate File Number 3157, be, and it hereby is, in its entirety, transferred to the said Circuit Court, Equity Division.

Witness my hand this the 15th day of December 1953.



Judge of Probate.

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER OF NOTICE BY  
SURETY

Now comes the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company,  
a Corporation, surety on the bond of the administratrix in this  
cause, and waives notice of the filing of a petition for final  
settlement of this estate and of the date set for hearing same,  
and does hereby waive an accounting and consents and agrees that  
the said estate be settled by consent without notice in the manner  
provided by Title 61, Section 301 of the 1940 Code of Alabama as  
amended.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1954.

HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY,  
A Corporation,

By 

As its Agent and as its Attorney in Fact.

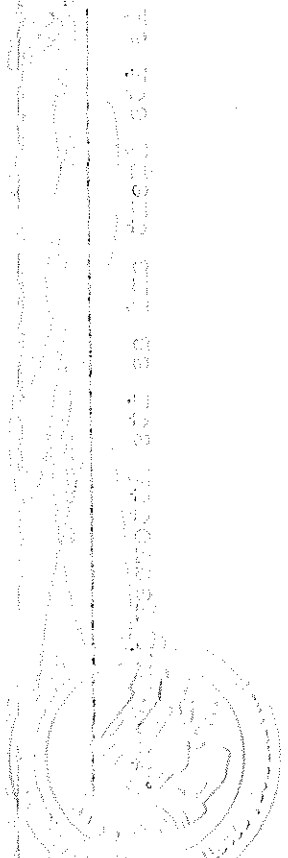
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ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER  
OF NOTICE BY SURETY.

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

*Filed  
# 2-5-64  
Miss French  
Register*



RECORDED

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AND WAIVER  
OF NOTICE BY SURETY.

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA  
IN EQUITY

*Filed  
4-2-54  
Miss Frances  
Rogers*



ESTATE OF

O. P. BONDESSON, DECEASED

) IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
)  
) 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:

Your Petitioner, Sophia A. Bondesson, who is over twenty-one years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, respectfully represents unto the court and your Honor as follows:

1. She has been appointed, qualified, and is now acting as administratrix of the said estate, the administration of which is now pending in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

2. Because of the broader powers of this court, the administration of this 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 said administration from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to this court. Petitioner further prays that such other orders be made and decrees rendered as may be necessary and proper in the premises.

Sophia A. Bondesson

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 11 day of December, 1953.

Mary Lou Blackburn

Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

ADMINISTRATRIX'S BOND.

ESTATE OF	}	
OSCAR P. BONDESSON,	}	IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
DECEASED,	}	BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
STATE OF ALABAMA	}	
BALDWIN COUNTY	}	

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, Sophie A. Bondesson, as Principal and the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a Corporation, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto W. R. Stuart, Probate Judge of Baldwin County, Alabama and to his successors in office, in the penal sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) for which payment, well and truly to be made, the principal binds herself, her heirs, executors and administrators and the Surety binds its self, its successors and assigns, jointly and severally by these presents.

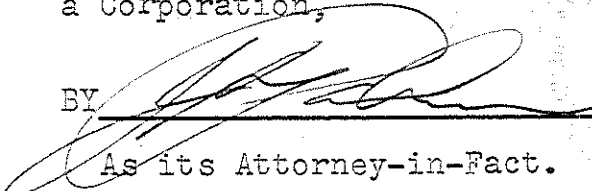
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas, on the 31st day of December, 1952, the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, did grant unto the above bounden Sophie A. Bondesson, Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Oscar P. Bondesson, also known as O. P. Bondesson.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the said Sophie A. Bondesson shall perform all of the duties which are or may be required of her as such Administratrix, then this obligation to be void; otherwise, to be and remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Sophie A. Bondesson has hereunto set her hand and affixed her seal and the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a Corporation has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this instrument to be executed by J. K. Parker, as its Attorney-in-Fact, he being duly and fully authorized in the premises, on this the 31st day of December, 1952.

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(SEAL)  
HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY,  
a Corporation, (SEAL)

BY

  
As its Attorney-in-Fact.

*Sophie A Bondesson* (SEAL)

# Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all men by these Presents, That the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and having its principal office in the City of Hartford, County of Hartford, State of Connecticut, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

J. E. PARKER, of HARTFORD, ALABAMA,

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-fact, with full power and authority to sign, execute and acknowledge any and all bonds and undertakings on behalf of the Company in its business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding places of public or private trust; guaranteeing the performance of contracts other than insurance policies; guaranteeing the performance of insurance contracts where surety bonds are accepted by states or municipalities; and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in all actions or proceedings or by law allowed,

and to bind the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof were signed by an Executive Officer of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY and sealed and attested by one other of such officers, and hereby ratifies and confirms all that its said Attorney(s)-in-fact may do in pursuance hereof.

This power of attorney is granted under and by authority of the following By-Law adopted by the Stockholders of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 10th day of February, 1943.

### ARTICLE IV

Section 8. The President or any Vice-President, acting with any Secretary or Assistant Secretary, shall have power and authority to appoint, for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, one or more Resident Vice-Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries and Attorneys-in-fact and at any time to remove any such Resident Vice-President, Resident Assistant Secretary, or Attorney-in-fact, and revoke the power and authority given to him.

SECTION 11. Attorneys-in-fact shall have power and authority, subject to the terms and limitations of the power of attorney issued to them, to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company and to attach the seal of the Company thereto any and all bonds and undertakings, and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such instrument executed by any such Attorney-in-fact shall be as binding upon the Company as if signed by an Executive Officer and sealed and attested by one other of such Officers.

In Witness Whereof, the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Vice-President, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Assistant Secretary, this

day of 19 1952

Attest:

HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY

*Wallace Stevens*

Vice-President

*W. E. Parker*  
Assistant Secretary

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, }  
COUNTY OF HARTFORD. } ss.

On this 12th day of April, A. D. 1952, before me personally came WALLACE STEVENS, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Hartford, State of Connecticut; that he is the Vice-President of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

*John M. Walters*

Notary Public

### CERTIFICATE

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, }  
COUNTY OF HARTFORD, } ss.

I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of the HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, a Connecticut Corporation, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached POWER OF ATTORNEY remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that Article IV, Sections 8 and 11, of the By-Laws of the Company, set forth in the Power of Attorney, is now in force.

Given under my hand and the seal of the company, at the City of Hartford, on 12-30-1952

Taken and approved on this the  
31st day of December, 1952.

W. R. Stuart

Probate Judge

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

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Judge of Probate

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STATE OF ALABAMA,  
BALDWIN COUNTY.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT  
OF ADMINISTRATRIX  
In The Probate Court of Baldwin County,  
Alabama

ESTATE OF  
O. P. BONDESSON, deceased  
Letters of Administration upon the  
estate of the said Decedent having been  
granted to the undersigned on the 30th  
day of December, 1952, by the Honorable  
W. R. Stuart, Judge of the Probate Court  
of Baldwin County, Alabama, notice is  
hereby given that all persons having  
claims against the said estate will be  
required to file the same within the  
time allowed by law, or the same will  
be barred.

SOPHIA A. BONDESSON  
Administratrix

J. B. Blackburn,  
Attorney for Administratrix 51-31c.

Bob Monisette, 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. O-P. Bondesson,

Per.

COST STATEMENT

97 WORDS @ 5 cents --- \$ 4 <sup>85</sup>  
I hereby certify this is correct, due and unpaid (paid).

Bob Monisette

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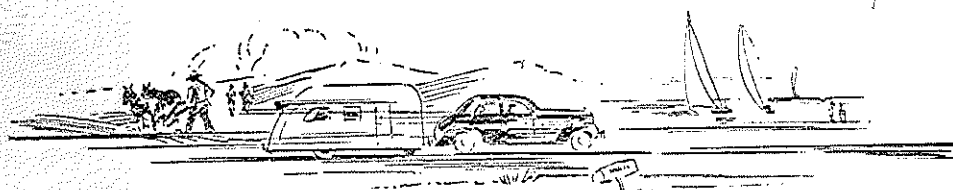
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Subscribed and sworn before the undersigned this 27 day of Jan, 1953.

Dorothy Minter  
Notary Public, Baldwin County.

Bob Monisette

Publisher:  
Editor



APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

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

Your Petitioner, Sophia A. Bondesson, who is over twenty-one years of age and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, respectfully represents unto the Court and your Honor as follows:

1. Oscar P. Bondesson, also known as O. P. Bondesson, a resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, died intestate in Fairhope, Alabama on, to-wit, December 17, 1952, leaving personal property valued at approximately One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) and not probably more.

2. The heirs of the said Decedent and those entitled to share in a distribution of the assets of his said estate are as follows: Your Petitioner, the widow, and Loretta B. Pulliam, a daughter, whose residence and post office address is 824 West Cherry Street, Flagstaff, Arizona. Each and all of the said parties are over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind.

THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner prays that Letters of Administration upon the said estate be granted to her upon her entering into bond with requisite security. Petitioner further prays that such other orders be made and decrees rendered as may be requisite and proper in the premises.

Sophia A. Bondesson

Petitioner

Sworn to and subscribed before me on  
this the 29th day of December, 1952.

J. T. Blalock

Notary Public, State of Alabama at Large

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Judge of Probate  
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## STATE OF ALABAMA

## IN THE PROBATE COURT

BALDWIN

County

December 31

194<sup>52</sup>.

Present, the Honorable W. R. Stuart, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar P. Bondesson, deceased.

And now, on this day comes Sophia A. Bondesson and presents her petition in writing and under oath, praying that letters of administration on the estate of Oscar P. Bondesson, deceased,

issue to her, which petition is examined by the Court; it is therefore ordered that said petition be filed and set for hearing on the 31 day of December, 19<sup>52</sup>; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the allegations contained in said petition and from other good and sufficient evidence that the said Oscar P. Bondesson departed this life on or

about the 17 day of December, 19<sup>52</sup>, being at the time of his death an inhabitant of Baldwin County, Alabama; that he died leaving assets in Baldwin County, Alabama, which assets both real and personal are estimated to be worth about

One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00)

Dollars, but leaving

no will, testament or other writing relative to the disposal or distribution of his estate and that the death of said decedent was known more than five days before this day; and ~~was also~~ of the said

~~estate, having relinquished right under the statute to administer said estate;~~ and it further ap-

pearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Sophia A. Bondesson,

the said petitioner, is the widow of the said decedent, is over twenty-one years of age, an inhabitant of this State, and a fit person under the law and in the estimation of the Court to serve as administrat<sup>rix</sup>

and no person having appeared to oppose the granting of letters of administration.

to the said Sophia A. Bondesson or to show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted; it is ordered by the Court that the prayer for letters of administration

be granted and that petitioner shall make and file bond in the penal sum of

Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00)

Dollars, conditioned and

payable according to the statute in such cases made and provided, with such surety or sureties as may be approved by the Court; letters of administration shall not issue until said bond is approved and filed; it is further ordered that said petition be recorded.

And now again comes Sophia A. Bondesson and presents to

the Court for approval her bond in the form as by this Court heretofore required with

Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company

as surety thereon,

and the Court being sufficiently advised concerning said bond and said surety, it is ordered and adjudged by the Court that said bond be taken, approved and recorded.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that letters of administration

on the estate of said deceased be granted to the said Sophia A. Bondesson

and she be and she

hereby is authorized to administer said estate; it is further ordered that the said

Sophia A. Bondesson

proceed immediately to collect and take into her

possession all of the goods, chattels, money, books, papers and evidence of debt of said deceased, except the personal property specifically exempted from administration under Code 1940, Title 7, Section 664, and make due return under oath to this Court of a full inventory thereof within two months.

W. R. Stuart

Probate Judge

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

County \_\_\_\_\_

PROBATE COURT

ESTATE OF

Deceased.

**Order Granting Letters  
of Administration**

Made \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

Judge of Probate.

Recorded in

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*W. R. Stuart*

Judge of Probate.

*HD*

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

PROBATE COURT

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

On the estate of Oscar P. Bondesson, deceased,

are hereby granted to Sophia A. Bondesson

who has duly qualified and given bond as such Administrator RIX, and is authorized to administer such estate.

Witness my hand, and dated this 31 day of December, 1952.

Code 1923—5743.

W R Stewart  
Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

-----County

I, -----, Judge of Probate in and for said  
County and State, hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true, correct and complete copy of the Letters  
of Administration issued to -----

----- of the estate of -----  
deceased, as same appears of record in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the ----- day of -----, 19-----

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Judge of Probate.

The State of Alabama

-----County.

PROBATE COURT

ESTATE OF

-----  
Deceased.

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Administrat-----

Letters of Administration

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H.D.



No. 3157 In the Matter of Est. Oscar P. Bondesson, Decd.

Sophia A. Bondesson Administrator, Executor or Guardian Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Attorneys J. B. Blackburn Docket \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ Fee Book A Page 282

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	WILL—Order on Presentation, \$1.00			BROUGHT FORWARD,	7
	Affidavit in Petition for Probate, 25c			Affidavit to Report, 25c	
	Recording Petition, per 100 words, 15c			Recording, per 100 words, 15c	
	Issuing Citation, ent'g Sheriff's Returns, 50c			Appointing Com'r to Divide, and Writ, \$2.00	
	App'ting and Notifying Guard, ad Litem, 50c			Approving Division and Order thereon, \$1.00	
	Issuing Subpoenas for Witness, 50c			App'ting and Notifying Guard, ad Litem, 50c	
	Affidavit of Witnesses, 25c			PARTIAL SETTLEMENT—Affidavit in Acc't, 25c	
	Examining Wit. and order Probating, \$2.00			Affidavit to List of Heirs, 25c	
	Issuing Commission to take Deposition, 50c			Examining, Stating Acc't and Ap. Hear., \$1.00	
	Filing Interrogatories, 10c			Order to Publish Notice of Sale, 50c	
	Copy of same, per 100 words, 15c			App'ting and Notifying Guard, ad Litem, 50c	
	Recording Will, per 100 words, 15c			Examining Vouchers, 10c	
	Recording Testimony, per 100 words, 15c			Administering Affidavits, 25c	
	Certificate, without seal, 25c			Making Decree and Order to Record, \$1.50	
	Certificate, with seal, 50c			Recording same, per 100 words, 15c	
	Presiding at Trial C't'd Will, per day, \$2.50			Filing Claims and giving Receipt, 15c	
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	Recording Petition, per 100 words, 15c	100		Affidavit to Statements, 25c	
	Rec'ding Rel. Right to Admin'r, 100 words, 15c	150		Recording Rep't and Statem't, 100 words, 15c	
	Granting Letters of Administration, 50c	50		Order Appointing Day of Hearing, 25c	
	Issuing and Recording same, 50c	50		Order to Publish Notice of same, 25c	
	Granting Let. of Gu'd'nship, each minor, 75c			Order for Citations, 25c	
	Issuing, Filing and Recording same, 50c			Iss'g Notice to Creditor Day of Hearing, 50c	
	Taking, App., Filing, Rec. Adm. Bonds, \$1.00	1 00		Order Sustaining Report, 25c	
	Taking, App. Filing, Guard. Bond, \$1.00			Order for Settlement, 25c	
	Affidavit of Justification, 25c Rec. P/Atty.	2 00		Order to Publish Day of Settlement, 25c	
	Granting Order of Appraisement, 50c			Issuing Notice of Day of Settlement, 25c	
	Issuing Order of Appraisement, 25c			Affidavit to Amount of Claims, 25c	
	Recording same, per 100 words, 15c			App'ting and Notifying Guard, ad Litem, 50c	
	Order Removing Executor, Adm. Guard, \$2.00			SALE OF REAL ESTATE—Affidavit in Petition, 25c	
	Order Appointing General Guardian, \$1.00			Recording Petition, per 100 words, 15c	
	Issuing and Recording same, 50c			Order App't'g Day of Hear. and Notice, \$1.00	
	Order Appointing General Administ'r., \$1.00			Order to Publish Notice of same, 50c	
	Issuing and Recording same, 50c			Issuing Citations, Ent'g Sheriff's Return, 50c	
	Order Appointing Adm'r ad Litem, \$1.00			App'ting and Notifying Guard, ad Litem, 50c	
	Issuing and Recording same, 50c			Issuing Commission to take Deposition, 50c	
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	Record, Order for App., per 100 words, 15c			Copy of Interrogatories, per 100 words, 15c	
	Recording Order for Com., per 100 words, 15c			App't'g Com. to Divide and Issue Writ, \$2.00	
	Notice to Commissioners, 50c			Affidavit to Report of Same, 25c	
	Recording Report of Com., per 100 words, 15c			Order Approving Division and Report, \$1.00	
	Record, Order Setting Apart, 100 words, 15c			Recording same, per 100 words, 15c	
	INVENTORY—Order to Approve and Record, 50c			Hearing Applic'n for Dower, Iss'g Writ, \$4.00	
	Affidavit to same, 25c			Exam'g Testim'y and Grant Ord'r to Sell, \$2.00	
	Recording same, per 100 words, 15c			Recording Depositions, per 100 words, 15c	
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	Affidavit to same, 25c			Recording Report, per 100 words, 15c	
	Recording same, per 100 words, 15c			Rec. Paym't Purchase Money, 100 words, 15c	
	Recording Decree, per 100 words, 15c			Making Order on Report of Sale of Land, 75c	
	APPRAISEMENT—Order Approving, Rec., 50c			Hear Ap'n to Compel Conveyance, etc., \$2.00	
	Affidavit to same, 25c			FINAL SETTLEMENT—Affidavit in Account, 25c	
	Recording same, per 100 words, 15c			Affidavit to Statement of Heirs, 25c	
	SUPPLEMENT APPRAISEMENT—Grant, Order, 50c			Exam'g, Stating and Recording Acc't, \$1.00	
	Issuing Order of Appraisement, 25c			Order to Publish Notice of same, 50c	
	Recording Warrant, per 100 words, 15c			App'ting and Notifying Guard. ad Litem, 50c	
	Order to Approve Appraisement, 50c			Examining Vouchers, 10c	
	Affidavit to same, 25c			Administering Affidavits, 25c	
	Recording same, per 100 words, 15c			Recording same, per 100 words, 15c	
	Recording Decree, per 100 words, 15c			Decree in Final Settlement, 50c	
	SALE OF PERISHABLE PROPERTY—Petition, 25c			SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS—Proceedings for Declaration	
	Recording same, per 100 words, 15c			of Unsound Mind and App. Guard. ad Litem	
	Granting Order of Sale, 50c			\$5.00	
	Issuing Order of Sale, 25c			Recording Decree Relieving Minors, etc., \$1.00	
	App'ting and Notifying Guard, ad Litem, 50c			Proceed to Perpetuate Testimony, per 100 words,	
	Recording, per 100 words, 15c			20c	
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	Issuing Order of Sale, 25c				

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