

WRIGHT, VIOLA, Deceased,
ESTATE OF.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

DECREE ON FINAL SETTLEMENT BY CONSENT

This day came Emmett Gulledege, Annie Garner, Eugene Wright, Maurine Byrd, Myrtle Morgan, Inez Byrd, Genevieve Sundie, Letha Mae Sirmon, Mary Boyington, Della Middleton and Marion Wright, who are the administrator and all of the heirs at law and next of kin of the above named Viola Wright and filed their petition for final settlement by consent and prayed that this Court should approve such consent settlement without notice or publication or posting and it appearing to the Court that such petition is properly executed and acknowledged by the administrator of said estate and all of the heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent and that the petitioners are all over the age of twenty-one years and are of sound mind.

And it further appearing to the Court that said administration was duly conducted in accordance with the laws of the State of Alabama. That such administrator gave due notice of his appointment as such by publication of a notice in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published in Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, said notice notifying all creditors to file their claim within the time allowed by law, that such notices were printed in the issues dated December 22, and 29th and January 5th, 1956. That more than six months have elapsed since appointment of such administrator and no claim has been filed against said estate except the claim of Dr. Holmes in the sum of \$247.75.

And it further appearing to the Court that such administrator has now paid in full the claim of Dr. Holmes, a receipt for which payment has been filed in this Court and that he has paid his bond premium and has paid court costs in said cause. That all legal charges against said estate have been paid and such administrator has not used any of the funds belonging to said estate for his own benefit.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that such administrator is now discharged as administrator of said estate and he and his surety company are hereby relieved of further liability in connection with such estate and said estate is now settled.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1956.

Hubert M. Hall
JUDGE OF PROBATE

THE BALDWIN TIMES

BALDWIN COUNTY

Alabama's Best County's Best Newspaper

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JIMMY FAULKNER
PUBLISHER

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT ESTATE OF

VIOLA WRIGHT,
Deceased,
Probate Court
Letters of Administration upon
the Estate of said deceased hav-

ing been granted to the under-
signed on the 16th day of Decem-
ber 1955, by the Hon. 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 present
the same within time allowed by
law or the same will be barred.

EMMETT GULLEDGE
Administrator of said estate
Chason & Stone
Attorneys
49-3tc.

AVIT OF PUBLICATION

ette, Jr, being duly sworn, deposes and says
R of THE BALDWIN TIMES, a Weekly Newspaper pub-
ldwin County, Alabama; that the notice hereto attached of

Est. Viola Wright

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

E. R. Mounsett Jr
Editor Publisher.

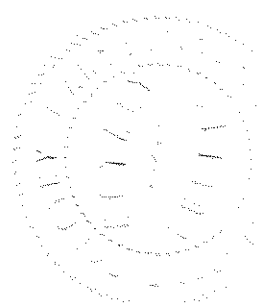
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Subscribed and sworn before the undersigned this 6 day of Jan, 1956

Barrett Martin
Notary Public, Baldwin County.

E. R. Mounsett Jr
Editor Publisher.



Fidelity and Deposit Company

HOME OFFICE OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE 3

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF BALDWIN }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, EMMETT GULLEDGE
of BALDWIN County,
as Principal, and the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND, a corporation duly incorporated under
the laws of the State of Maryland, and having its principal office in the City of Baltimore in said State, as
Surety, are held and firmly bound unto W. R. STUART Judge of
the Probate Court of BALDWIN County, and his successors in office in the sum of
FIVE THOUSAND AND NO/100 - - - - - (\$5000.00)-----Dollars,
to be paid to the said Judge or his successors in office, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind
ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this 12TH day of MARCH
A.D. nineteen hundred and FIFTY SIX (1956)

THE CONDITIONS OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION ARE SUCH, That, WHEREAS, the above
bound EMMETT GULLEDGE
has been duly appointed ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF VIOLA WRIGHT,
DECEASED,

Now, if the said EMMETT GULLEDGE, ADMINISTRATOR shall well and truly perform all
the duties which are or may be by law required of HIM
as such ADMINISTRATOR then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full
force and effect.

Emmett Gullledge (SEAL)

FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND

By *Walter M. Lindsey*
WALTER M. LINDSEY, Attorney-in-Fact



Taken and approved this 16th
day of MARCH 19 56
W. R. Stuart
Judge of Probate

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY
Recorded *Pro. & Min. book 9 page 2*
W. R. Stuart
Judge of Probate

Bay Minette, Ala., March 16 1956

Est: Viola Wright, Decd.
Emmett Y. Lledge, adm.

In Account With
W. R. STUART
Judge of Probate, Baldwin County

Please return bill with remittance

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin

County

COURT OF PROBATE

Letters of Administration on the estate of Viola Wright, deceased,

are hereby granted to Emmett Gullede, who has duly qualified

and given bond as such administrator, and is authorized to administer such estate.

Witness my hand, and dated this 16th day of December, 1955.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

Recorded Prot Min book 7 page 476

W R Stuart
Judge of Probate

W R Stuart
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

_____ as Administrat_____ of the

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

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

Judge of Probate

No. _____	County _____
THE STATE OF ALABAMA	
PROBATE COURT	
ESTATE OF	
Deceased _____	
Administrat _____	
Letters of Administration	

Fidelity and Deposit Company

HOME OFFICE OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE 3

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF BALDWIN }

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Emmett Gullledge
of Baldwin County,
as Principal, and the FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND, a corporation duly incorporated under
the laws of the State of Maryland, and having its principal office in the City of Baltimore in said State, as
Surety, are held and firmly bound unto W. R. Stuart Judge of
the Probate Court of Baldwin County, and his successors in office in the sum of
One Thousand and no/100 Dollars,
to be paid to the said Judge or his successors in office, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind
ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this _____ day of December,
A.D. nineteen hundred and fifty-five

THE CONDITIONS OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION ARE SUCH, That, WHEREAS, the above
bound Emmett Gullledge
has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased.

Now, if the said Emmett Gullledge shall well and truly perform all
the duties which are or may be by law required of him
as such administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full
force and effect.



Emmett Gullledge (SEAL)

FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND

By Hutton Lacey
Attorney-in-Fact

Taken and approved this 16th
day of December 19 55.

W. R. Stuart
Judge of Probate

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

The State of Alabama }
Baldwin COUNTY.

PROBATE COURT December 16, 1955

In the Matter of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased.

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

And now, on this day comes Genevieve Sundie and

presents to the Court her petition in writing, under oath, praying that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Viola Wright

to Emmett Gullede, deceased, issue by the Court and ordered to be filed and recorded; and, it appearing to the Court from the allegations contained in said petition, and from other good and sufficient evidence that the said Viola Wright

departed this life atx in Baldwin County, Alabama on or about the 3rd day of December, 1955

Being at the time of her death an inhabitant of said County and State; that she died leaving assets in said County and State, which assets, both real and personal, are estimated to be worth about Five Hundred Dollars, consisting of a cause of action

and leaving no will, testament or other writing, relating to the disposal or distribution of her estate, and that the death of the said decedent was known more than five days before this day and now also Genevieve Sundie, daughter of the said intestate, having

relinquished her right under the statute to administer said estate; and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Emmett Gullede the said petitioner, is the Friend of said deceased, 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 or

and no person having appeared to oppose the granting of Letters of Administration to the said Emmett Gullede, or to show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, it is ordered that

the same be granted, provided that the said Emmett Gullede first file in this Court his bond in the penal sum of One Thousand 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. It is further ordered that the said petition be recorded.

And now again come Emmett Gullede and present to the Court for approval his bond in form as by this Court, heretofore, required, with Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland

as his sureties thereon, and the Court being now sufficiently advised concerning said bond and said surety it is ordered and adjudged by the Court that the 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 Emmett Gullede and that he be and hereby is

authorize to administer said estate. It is further ordered that the said Emmett Gullede proceed immediately to collect and take into his possession the goods and chattels, money, books, papers, and evidences of said debt of the said deceased, except the personal property specifically exempted from administration under the laws of the State of Alabama, and make due return, under oath, to this Court, of a full and complete inventory thereof within two months.

It is further ordered that

be and they hereby are appointed Appraisers of the personal property of said estate, and that a warrant of appraisement be issued to them, notifying them of their appointment, and that they make due return to this Court, under oath, of their proceedings within two months.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY

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W. R. Stuart

Judge of Probate.

W. R. Stuart
Judge of Probate

The State of Alabama

..... COUNTY.

PROBATE COURT

ESTATE OF

..... Deceased.

**Order Granting Letters of Administration and
Appointing Appraisers**

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WRIGHT, Viola,
Deceased,
ESTATE OF.

I IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
I BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
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PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

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

Comes your Petitioner, Genevieve Sundie, and files this her petition that Emmett Gullede be granted Letters of Administration on the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, and shows unto this Court and unto your Honor as follows:

FIRST:

That your Petitioner is over the age of twenty-one years and a resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, residing at Roberts-dale, Alabama; that your Petitioner is the daughter of the above named decedent.

SECOND:

That the above named Viola Wright departed this life intestate on to-wit, December 3, 1955, while a resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama; that such decedent has an estate in Baldwin County, Alabama, consisting of a cause of action and the amount which may be recovered under such cause of action is unknown to your Petitioner. That the said Emmett Gullede is filing with this petition a nominal bond at this time but will increase the amount of such bond on the recovery of such action. That the said Emmett Gullede is a friend of the family and is capable of acting as administrator of said Estate. That he is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, residing at Summerdale, Alabama.

THIRD:

That the names, relationship, ages and places of residence of the heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent are as follows:

Annie Garner, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Goldona, Louisiana.

Eugene Wright, son, over twenty-one years of age,
Robertsdale, Alabama.

Maurine Byrd, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Robertsdale, Alabama.

Myrtle Morgan, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Flomaton, Alabama.

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Inez Byrd, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Loxley, Alabama.

Genevieve Sundie, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Robertsdale, Alabama.

Letha Mae Sirmon, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Bayou La Batre, Alabama.

Mary Boyington, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Robertsdale, Alabama.

Della Middleton, daughter, over twenty-one years of age,
Loxley, Alabama.

Marion Wright, son, over twenty-one years of age,
Pascagoula, Mississippi.

WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Petitioner prays
that Letters of Administration upon said Estate be issued to
Emmett Gullledge upon his entering into bond with sufficient surety
as required by law.

Genevieve Sundie
Petitioner.

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 14th day of December, 1955.

[Signature]
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Ala.

STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY
Filed Dec 16, 1955 M
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W. R. Stuart
Judge of Probate [Signature]

WRIGHT, VIOLA
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
¶
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
¶
IN EQUITY.
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This matter coming on to be heard on this date on the petition of Emmett Gulledge, as administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, and upon the answer and waiver of all of the heirs at law and next of kin of such decedent, and it appearing to the Court from such petition that Emmett Gulledge has been duly appointed as administrator of said Estate by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, and that the administration of such Estate has been duly transferred to this Court and that such administration is now pending in this Court, and it further appearing to the Court that the said Viola Wright was killed in an automobile accident on December 3, 1955, as a result of the negligence of Frank J. Horak, in which accident Brenda Sue Boyington was killed and four other persons were injured and that Frank J. Horak was carrying liability insurance and personal liability with the Alabama Farm Bureau Insurance Company in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) and that Frank J. Horak has offered to contribute Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) in addition to the above insurance which said company is willing to pay in full settlement of all claims for damages of all persons who were killed or injured in such wreck, and it further appearing to the Court that the said Frank J. Horak and said Company have offered Emmett Gulledge as such administrator the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$4,100.00) in full settlement of the claim of said Estate and that such administrator and all of the heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent have agreed that it is to the best interest of said Estate to settle such claim for that amount.

And it further appearing to the Court from the answer and waiver signed by all of the heirs at law and next of kin of such decedent, that they have waived notice of the filing of such petition and of the day set for the hearing of the same and consented to the granting of such petition.

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that the petition of Emmett Gullledge as administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, is hereby granted and he is hereby authorized and directed to settle any and all claims that the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, has against Frank J. Horak and the Alabama Farm Bureau Insurance Company for the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$4,100.00) in cash, and upon receipt of such amount, to execute any and all releases which may be desired by the said Frank J. Horak or Alabama Farm Bureau Insurance Company, in connection therewith.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that Emmett Gullledge shall pay the firm of Chason & Stone as attorneys for said Estate in such settlement and in this Estate the sum of One Thousand Twenty-five Dollars (\$1,025.00), leaving a balance of Three Thousand Seventy-five Dollars (\$3,075.00) to be held by him as such administrator until the proper time for payment of the costs of administration and the distribution of the remaining portion thereof to the heirs at law and next of kin of such decedent.

Such petition prays that this Court should direct such administrator to enter into an additional surety bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), but it now appears to the Court that such bond has been filed in said cause, and has been approved by this Court.

Done this 16 day of March, 1956.

Hubert M. Hall
Judge.

RECORDED

DECREE AUTHORIZING SETTLEMENT

WRIGHT, VIOLA,
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

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ALICE J. GUCK, REGISTER

WRIGHT, VIOLA
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

This day came Emmett Gullledge as the administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, and filed his sworn petition setting out that he was duly appointed as the administrator of the Estate of such decedent on December 16, 1955, by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama; that he qualified as such administrator and that said administration is still pending in the Probate Court of said County; that there has been no final settlement of such administration nor have any proceedings been filed to institute such a final settlement; that in the opinion of the petitioner said Estate can be better administered in this Court rather than the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, and such matter being understood by the Court, the Court is of the opinion that the administration of such Estate should be transferred from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to this Court.

It is, therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that the petition of Emmett Gullledge, as administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, shall be and the same hereby is granted, and that the administration of such Estate be removed from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to the Circuit Court thereof, sitting in Equity.

It is further ORDERED by the Court that a copy of this decree, duly certified by the Register of this Court, be filed with the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

Done this 15th day of March, 1956.

J. Hubert McCall

Judge

RECORD 3748

ORDER REMOVING
ADMINISTRATION

WRIGHT, VIOLA,
Deceased,

ESTATE OF.

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

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

WRIGHT, VIOLA, Deceased, | IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
 ESTATE OF. | BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
 | IN EQUITY

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

Come the Petitioners, Emmett Gullledge, Annie Garner, Eugene Wright, Maurine Byrd, Myrtle Morgan, Inez Byrd, Genevieve Sundie, Letha Mae Sirmon, Mary Boyington, Della Middleton and Marion Wright, and file this their petition for final settlement by consent for the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, and show unto this court and unto your Honor as follows:

FIRST:

That Viola Wright departed this life intestate on December 3, 1955 while a resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, leaving a cause of action against the person who caused her death. That Emmett Gullledge was duly appointed as administrator of said estate by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, on December 16, 1955, and he gave bond and duly qualified as such. That the said Emmett Gullledge gave notice of his appointment as such administrator by publication of a notice in the Baldwin Times, a newspaper published in Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama. Such notice appeared in the issues of said newspaper on December 22nd and 29th, 1955 and on January 5, 1956. That said notice notified all creditors to file their claim within the time allowed by law; that more than six months have elapsed since the appointment of such administrator and no claims have been filed against said estate except the claim of Dr. W. C. Holmes in the sum of \$247.75.

SECOND:

Your Petitioners further show unto your Honor that they are the administrators and all of the heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent and are all over the age of twenty-one years and all are of sound mind.

THIRD:

Your Petitioners further show unto your Honor that said estate was duly transferred from the Probate Court of Baldwin County to this Court and such estate is now pending in this Court. That such administrator is authorized by this petition to pay the claim of Dr. Holmes out of the funds belonging to said estate and to pay his bond premium in the sum of \$32.00 and the court costs to be fixed by this court. Upon payment of such amounts, all legal charges against said estate will have been paid. Said administrator has not used any money of the estate for his own benefit.

WHEREFORE, your Petitioners file this petition for final settlement by consent of the estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, and pray that this Court will approve this consent settlement without notice or publication or posting.

Emmett Gullidge
Emmett Gullidge

Genevieve Sundie
Genevieve Sundie

Annie Garner
Annie Garner

Eugene Wright
Eugene Wright

Maurine Byrd
Maurine Byrd

Myrtle Morgan
Myrtle Morgan

Inez Byrd
Inez Byrd

Letha Mae Sirmon
Letha Mae Sirmon

Mary Boyington
Mary Boyington

Della Middleton
Della Middleton

Marion Wright
Marion Wright

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

I, John J. Garner, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Emmett Gullledge, Eugene Wright, Maurine Byrd, Inez Byrd, Genevieve Sundie, Mary Boyington and Della Middleton, 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 such instrument they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this 25 day of June, 1956.
My term expires on Monday after the second Tuesday in January, 1959.

John J. Garner
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama

STATE OF LOUISIANA

Natchitoches PARISH

I, Bennie Leslie Bryant, a Notary Public, in and for said Parish in said State, hereby certify that Annie Garner, 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 such instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this 21st day of June, 1956.

Bennie Leslie Bryant
Notary Public, Natchitoches Parish, Louisiana

STATE OF ALABAMA

Escambia COUNTY

I, John J. Garner, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Myrtle Morgan, 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 such instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this 25th day of June, 1956.

My term expires on Monday after the second Tuesday in January, 1959.

John J. Garner
Notary Public, Escambia County, Alabama
Baldwin

STATE OF ALABAMA

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MOBILE COUNTY

I, Louise P. McRoy, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Letha Mae Sirmon, 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 such instrument, she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this 18 day of June, 1956

Louise P. McRoy
Notary Public, Mobile County, Alabama

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Jackson COUNTY

I, James Ira Grimsley, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that Marion Wright, 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 such instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this 18th day of June, 1956.

James Ira Grimsley
Notary Public, Jackson County, Mississippi

My Com. exp. 1-6-59

WRIGHT, VIOLA
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

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

Comes Emmett Gullledge as administrator of the Estate of
Viola Wright, Deceased, and shows unto this Court and unto your Honor
as follows:

FIRST:

That Emmett Gullledge is over the age of twenty-one years
and a resident citizen of Baldwin County, Alabama, residing at
Summerdale.

SECOND:

That Emmett Gullledge was duly appointed as administrator
of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, by the Probate Court of
Baldwin County, Alabama, on December 16, 1955; that the administrator
duly qualified as such and entered into a surety bond which has been
approved by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in the sum
of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00); that the Fidelity and Deposit
Company of Maryland, acting by and through Walter Lindsey, as its
attorney-in-fact, is the surety on such bond.

THIRD:

Your petitioner further shows unto this Court that the
administration of said Estate was duly transferred from the Probate
Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to the Circuit Court of Baldwin
County, Alabama, in Equity, by an order duly entered by the Court on
the ____ day of March, 1956, upon petition filed by Emmett Gullledge
as administrator of said Estate and that the administration of said
Estate is now pending in this Court.

FOURTH:

Your petitioner further shows unto your Honor that the
said Viola Wright was killed in an automobile accident on December
3, 1955, as a result of the negligence of Frank J. Horak and that
Chason & Stone have been employed to represent the interest of said
decedent and this Estate. That Brenda Sue Boyington, a minor child

four years of age was also killed in the same accident and four other parties were injured in such accident. That the said Frank J. Horak was carrying liability insurance for personal liability with the Alabama Farm Bureau Insurance Company in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) and the only property owned by the said Frank J. Horak which has come to the knowledge of the petitioner is an undivided one-half interest in his home.

FIFTH:

Your petitioner further shows unto your Honor that the above named insurance company and Frank J. Horak, jointly, have offered your petitioner in settlement of his claim for damages as such administrator, the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$4,100.00), the remaining part of the insurance coverage and the remaining part of a Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) contribution to be made by Frank J. Horak has been offered to the administrator of the Estate of the other deceased person and to the injured parties. In the opinion of your petitioner, it is to the best interest of said Estate for him to settle his claim for damages as such administrator for the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$4,100.00), as your petitioner believes that very little, if any more than this could be secured by him after litigation of the matter.

SIXTH:

Your petitioner further shows unto your Honor that the following named persons are all of the heirs at law and next of kin of such decedent, viz:

Annie Garner
 Eugene Wright
 Maurine Byrd
 Myrtle Morgan
 Inez Byrd
 Genevieve Sundie
 Letha Mae Sirmon
 Mary Boyington
 Della Middleton
 Marion Wright

That all of such heirs at law and next of kin have executed an instrument which is being filed with this petition, by which they consent to such matter being settled for the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00). That since such instrument was executed, your

petitioner has received an offer of an additional One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) and such settlement is now to be in the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$4,100.00) That in and by the terms of the instrument which was signed by all of the heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent, they waive notice of the filing of this petition and notice of the day set for hearing the same and they consented to the granting of such petition without further notice to them and they agreed that it is to the best interest of such Estate for this Court to grant this petition.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays that your Honor will enter an order and decree without notice to the heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent, granting this petition and authorizing the said Emmett Gullledge as administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, to settle all claims for damages which the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, has against Frank J. Horak arising out of his negligent act on December 3, 1955, which caused her death, and that this Court will authorize such administrator to release the said Frank J. Horak and his insurance company from any and all further liability in any way connected with the wreck which occurred on December 3, 1955, near Foley, in Baldwin County, Alabama.

Your petitioner further prays that this Court will authorize and direct him to pay One Thousand Twenty-five Dollars (\$1,025.00) or one-fourth of the amount that he received, to Chason & Stone as attorneys for said Estate for handling such matter and representing this Estate. That the remaining Three Thousand Seventy-five Dollars (\$3,075.00) shall be held by your petitioner until a proper time for payment of costs of administration and for distribution to the heirs at law and next of kin of such decedent. Your petitioner further prays that your Honor will direct him as such administrator to enter into an additional surety bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), making a total bond of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00), which bond shall be executed and filed with this Court before your petitioner receives any money in settlement of the matters hereinabove referred to.

Your petitioner prays for such other and further orders and decrees which would seem just and meet and to which he may be entitled in the premises.

Emmett Gullidge
As Administrator of the Estate of
Viola Wright, Deceased.

PETITION TO AUTHORIZE
SETTLEMENT OF CLAIM

WRIGHT, VIOLA,
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
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WRIGHT, Viola,
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
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The undersigned, who are all of the heirs at law and next of kin of the above named decedent, do hereby consent to Emmett Gullede, the Administrator of said Estate, settling any and all claims for damages arising out of the death of the said Viola Wright on December 3, 1955, which such estate has against Frank J. Horak, for the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00), and consent to an attorneys' fee in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) being paid to Chason & Stone, and do consent to the costs of administration being deducted from the remaining Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00), which such costs of administration shall be in an amount fixed by this Court.

The undersigned do hereby waive notice of the filing of a petition by the administrator with this Court for the purpose of authorizing such settlement for said amount, and do waive notice of the day set for hearing the same, and do hereby consent to the granting of such petition for such settlement without further notice to them, and do hereby agree that it is to the best interest of such estate for the Court to grant such petition for the administrator to settle such claim for said sum.

Mrs A. B. Waters
Witness.

Annie Garner
Annie Garner

M. W. Johnson
Witness

Eugene Wright
Eugene Wright

Kellie J. Liza
Witness

Maurine Byrd
Maurine Byrd

Mrs Edna Ward
Witness

Myrtle Morgan
Myrtle Morgan

Mrs J. P. Langford
Witness

Inez Byrd
Inez Byrd

Kellie J. Liza
Witness

Genevieve Sundie
Genevieve Sundie

Mrs. Eloise Pope
Witness

Letha Mae Sirmon
Letha Mae Sirmon

Mrs. Luther Lewis
Witness

Mary Boyington
Mary Boyington

Mrs. J. C. Danzger
Witness

Della Middleton
Della Middleton

Mrs. Eloise Pope
Witness

Marion Wright
Marion Wright

WRIGHT, VIOLA
Deceased.

ESTATE OF:

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


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

Comes your petitioner, Emmett Gullede, as administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, and respectfully shows unto this Court and unto your Honor that he was duly appointed as the administrator of said Estate on December 16, 1955, by the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, and that he duly qualified as such administrator and that the administration of said Estate is now pending in the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

Your petitioner further shows unto your Honor that there has been no final settlement of such administration and no proceedings filed in said Court to institute such final settlement.

Your petitioner shows unto your Honor that the only assets of said Estate which have come to his knowledge is a cause of action against Frank J. Horak for damages arising out of the death of such decedent when her death was caused by the negligence of the said Frank J. Horak. That an offer of settlement of such claim for damages has been made to the petitioner and he has no authority as such administrator to settle such claim without proper authority from this Court. That said Estate can, in the opinion of the petitioner, be better administered in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, than in the Probate Court of said County.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays that this Court will make and enter an order and decree removing the administration of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased, from the Probate Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, to this Honorable Court, and your petitioner prays for such other and further orders and decrees as may be necessary and appropriate in the premises.


As Administrator of the Estate of
Viola Wright, Deceased

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, J. H. Gibson, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Emmett Gullledge, who is known to me, and who, after being by me first duly and legally sworn, does depose and say under oath as follows:

That his name is Emmett Gullledge; that he is the administrator of the Estate of Viola Wright, Deceased; that he signed the foregoing petition and all of the matters and facts alleged therein are true.

Emmett Gullledge

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of March, 1956.

J. H. Gibson
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Ala.

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PETITION TO REMOVE
ADMINISTRATION

WRIGHT, VIOLA,
Deceased.

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