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Notice of Application for Probate of Will and Letters

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all Persons Interested in the Estate of R Corbin Deceased:

J. R. Corbin has filed in the County Court of Dallas County, State of Texas, an Application for the Probate of the last Will of said R. Corbin deceased, and for Letters Testamentary, which Application will

be heard and acted upon by said Court, at the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the City of Dallas, County of Dallas, State aforesaid, and commencing on the First Monday in July A. D. 1908, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate shall appear and contest said Application should they desire to do so.

WITNESS JACK M. GASTON, County Clerk of Dallas County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Dallas, this 29 day of April A. D. 1908

JACK M. GASTON,

County Clerk, Dallas County, Texas.

By: M. H. Redson Deputy.

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No. 4355

In the County Court

ESTATE OF

R. Corbin

Deceased

Notice of Application for Probate of
Will and Letters

ISSUED

This 29 day of Apr, A. D. 1908

JACK M. GASTON,

County Clerk

By W. H. Williams Deputy

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SHERIFF'S RETURN

CAME TO HAND The 30 day of April A. D. 1908, and executed the 30 day of April A. D. 1908, by posting up three copies of this Writ at three public places in Dallas County, one of which was at the Court House door of said County, and no two of which were in the same town or city.

A. L. Ledbetter
Sheriff Dallas County

By W. H. Williams Deputy

Posting 3 notices 300

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State of Texas
County of Dallas.

Know all men by these presents that I, R. Corbin of Dallas County Texas being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills by me at any time heretofore made.

1. I direct that all of my just debts shall be paid.

2. I give, bequeath and devise to my beloved son, J. B. Corbin of Dallas County, Texas all of my property, real, personal and mixed wheresoever the same may be situated.

3. I hereby constitute and appoint my said son J. B. Corbin, executor of this my last will and testament, and direct that he be required to give no bond or other security as executor of my estate.

4. I direct and request that no further action shall be had in the county or other courts in the administration of my estate than to prove and record this will and return an inventory and appraisement of my estate and list of claims.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this 6th day of March A.D. 1907.

Witness to signature

The above instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of R. Corbin was signed in our presence by the said R. Corbin as his last will and testament, and we have hereunto subscribed our names, in the presence of the said R. Corbin and in the presence of each other at his special instance and request this 6th day of March A.D. 1907.

Witness
R. X. Corbin

W. J. Holland
J. W. Murray

no 4315

Estate of R. Corbin, dec'd } In County Court
Dallas Co Tex.

T. B. Corbin, executor of the estate
of R. Corbin, deceased, being by me
deposed and says: that there
are no claims due the estate
of R. Corbin, deceased to the best
of his knowledge and belief.

Witness: W. F. Whitcomb T. B. Corbin

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 11th day of July 1908.

W. F. Whitcomb
Notary Public Dallas Co., Tex.

No. 4355-

PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

ESTATE OF

County of *Dallas*

R. Corbin

Deceased

Proof of Last Will and Testament of

R. Corbin

Deceased

This day personally appeared in open Court

W. M. Staccand

who, being duly sworn as a witness in the above entitled matter, and examined on behalf of the applicant to prove said Will, says: I was well acquainted with *R. Corbin*

deceased, during *his* lifetime; I knew the above decedent for about *five years*

before *his* death, the signature of the said deceased to the instrument now shown to me, and offered for probate

his last Will and Testament, filed in this Court on the *29th* day of *April* A.D. 1908 and bearing date on the *6th* day of *March* A.D. 1907 was made by the deceased

on said last named date at *my office in Dallas, Dallas Co. Texas* in presence of myself

W. M. Staccand and *J. W. Pierson*

the other subscribing witness; all of said witnesses being over the age of fourteen years. At the time of the making of said Will the testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and *he* declared the said

Will to be *his* Last Will and Testament, and I thereupon signed my name as a witness,

together with *J. W. Pierson* at the request of the said testator,

in *his* presence and in the presence of each other. The said deceased at the time of the execution of said

instrument was *about sixty-eight* years of age; the said *R. Corbin*

departed this life on the *16th* day of *April* A.D. 1908

about *one year* after making said Will, in the County of

Dallas

in the State of Texas, where and at which time *his* residence and

principal estate was situated.

W. M. Staccand

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *6* day of *July* A.D. 1908, in open court.

Jack M. Goston Clerk
County Court *Dallas* County, Texas.

By *R. H. Lee* Deputy

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PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of _____

Term, 190 _____

ESTATE OF _____

Deceased

FILED

The 6 day of July A.D. 1908

AND RECORDED

The _____ day of _____ A.D. 190 _____

in the Probate Minutes of _____

County, in Volume _____ Page _____

Joel M. Austin
County Clerk

By *R.H. Lee* Deputy

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ORDER PROBATING WILL AND GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY.

IN THE ESTATE OF
R. CORBIN, DECEASED.
NO. 4355.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF DALLAS
COUNTY, TEXAS. TERM A. D.
1908.

On this, the 6th. day of July A. D. 1908, came on to be heard the application of T. B. Corbin for the probate of the last will and testament of R. Corbin, deceased, now produced in court, and the evidence, a statement of which is filed in this case, being heard and fully considered by the court, and it appearing to the court that citation thereof has been duly made as required by law, and to which no objection has been made, and that said T. B. Corbin is named and appointed in said will executor thereof and that he is not disqualified therefor;

It is, therefore, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that said last will and testament of the said R. Corbin, deceased, is hereby admitted to probate and ordered of record, and the testimony shall be recorded in the minutes of this court.

It is further ordered and decreed by the court that letters testamentary thereof be granted to the said T. B. Corbin, he having first taken the required oath, and that no bond be given by him.

And it further appearing to the court that Frank Pruitt, Dan Daniels and Jack Miller are citizens of Dallas County, Texas, and disinterested persons in said estate;

It is, therefore, ordered that they be and are hereby appointed to appraise the estate, both real and personal, of R. Corbin, deceased.

PROOF OF WILL

PROOF OF WILL

No. _____

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

ESTATE OF

County of *Dallas*

R. Corbin Deceased

Proof of Last Will and Testament of

R. Corbin Deceased

This day personally appeared in open Court

J. P. Hirsman

who, being duly sworn as a witness in the above entitled matter, and examined on behalf of the applicant to

prove said Will, says: I was *1* acquainted with

R. Corbin

deceased, during *his* lifetime; I knew *the* above decedent for about *one year*

before *his* death; the signature of the said deceased to the instrument now shown to me, and offered for probate

and bearing date on the *6th* day of *mch* A.D. 1907 was made by the deceased

on said last named date at *the office of Wm. Spillane, Dallas, Tex* in presence of myself

and Wm. Spillane

the other subscribing witness; all of said witnesses being over the age of fourteen years. At the time of the

making of said Will the testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and *he* declared the said

Will so made by *him* to be *his* Last Will and Testament, and I thereupon signed my name as a witness,

together with *Wm. Spillane* at the request of the said testator,

in *his* presence and in the presence of each other. The said deceased at the time of the execution of said

instrument was *more than 21 years* of age; the said *R. Corbin*

departed this life on the *16* day of *apl* A.D. 1908

about *one year* after making said Will, in the County of

Dallas in the State of Texas, where *his* residence and

principal estate was situated.

J. P. Hirsman

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *6* day of *July* A.D. 1908, in open Court.

J. M. Taxton

Clerk

County Court *Dallas* County, Texas.

By

R. H. Lee

Deputy

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No. _____

PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of _____

Term, 190 _____

ESTATE OF _____

Deceased

FILED

The

6 day of July A.D. 1908

AND RECORDED

The

day of _____ A.D. 190 _____

in the Probate Minutes of _____

County, in Volume _____

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Jack M. Gaston
County Clerk

R. H. Lee
Deputy

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ESTATE OF R. CORBIN, |
Deceased. |

I, T. B. CORBIN, do solemnly swear
that the writing which has been offered for
probate is the last will of R. Corbin, deceased,
so far as I know or believe, and that I will well
and truly perform all the duties of executor of
said estate of R. Corbin, deceased.

Witness my hand:
W. F. Whitehurst

T. B. Corbin

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

27 day of July, A. D. 1908.

W. F. Whitehurst

Notary Public in and for Dallas County, Texas.

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no. 4359
Estate of R. Corbin,
deceased
Oath of executor
of Estate of R.
Corbin, deceased

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R.H. Lee

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Inventory and Appraisement
 OF THE PROPERTY, REAL AND PERSONAL, BELONGING TO THE ESTATE OF
 L. Corbin, deceased,

One tract of real estate consisting of
 twenty six (26) acres of land in the
 Perry survey of the value of
 thirty five (\$35.00) Dollars per acre
 aggregating the sum of Nine Hundred
 and ten Dollars (\$910.00)

One tract of real estate consisting of
 eight and three fourths ($8\frac{3}{4}$) acres of land
 in the Perry survey of the value
 of forty five Dollars (\$45.00) per acre
 aggregating the sum of three Hundred and
 ninety three and $\frac{75}{100}$ Dollars (\$393 $\frac{75}{100}$)

One blood horse male of the value thirty
 five (\$35.00) Dollars One bay horse male of
 the value of thirty five Dollars (\$35.00)

One two horse wagon of the value of ten Dollars (\$10.00)

One buggy of the value of five Dollars (\$5.00)

Three sets of Harness of the value of three Dollars

Two feather beds of the value of fifteen Dollars.

Four feather Pillows of the value of two Dollars

Six quilts of the value of four Dollars

All of the foregoing property
 belonging to the Community
 estate.

No. 4353

COUNTY COURT

ESTATE OF

R. Corbin

Inventory and Appraisalment

FILED

1908

14 day of July

Jack M. Easton

County Clerk

By M. H. 126. div. Deput

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

This 14 day of July 1908

W. F. Whitehurst
County Judge

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DALLAS.

I,

E. B. Corbin, executor

of the above named Estate do solemnly swear that the foregoing is a true, full and complete Inventory of all the property, real and personal, belonging to said Estate that has come to my knowledge.

Witness my hand and seal at Dallas, Texas, this 11th day of July, A. D. 1908.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 11th day of July, A. D. 1908.

W. F. Whitehurst
Notary Public Dallas, Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DALLAS.

Before the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared

Frank Pruitt, (Don) W. M. Daniels, (Garry) A. J. Miller

Appraisers of the above named Estate, heretofore appointed by the Court, and each being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing is a just and true Appraisalment of the property pointed out to them as belonging to said Estate.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 11th day of July, A. D. 1908.

Frank Pruitt
(Don) W. M. Daniels
Garry A. J. Miller
W. F. Whitehurst
Notary Public Dallas, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS: | IN RE ESTATE OF R. CORBIN DECEASED.
COUNTY OF DALLAS: | IN THE COUNTY COURT OF DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS.

To the Hon. Hiram F. Lively, Judge presiding in same court:

Now comes your petitioner T. B. Corbin, and respectfully shows to the court that he is a son of R. Corbin, deceased, and resides in Dallas County, Texas; that R. Corbin, is dead; that he died on or about the ^{16th} day of April A.D. 1908, at his home in Dallas County, Texas; that said deceased at the time of his death, was a resident of the County of Dallas in the State of Texas.

Petitioner further represents to the court that at the time of the death of the deceased he was seized and possessed of real and personal property, the probable value of seventeen hundred (\$1700.00) dollars; that he left a written will duly executed and herewith filed, in which your petitioner was and is appointed executor. That your petitioner is not disqualified by law from accepting letters testamentary. That under and by virtue of the terms of said will, appointing your petitioner executor as aforesaid, he is appointed sole executor of said will and testament and no bond is required of him as such. That said will further provides that there shall be no action on the part of the court to carry out the provisions of said will other than the probating of said will and returning into court and filing an inventory and appraisal of said estate and list of claims. Petitioner further represents to the court that some of the heirs of the deceased are non residents of the State of Texas.

WHEREFORE your petitioner prays the court that citation issue to all parties interested in said estate as required by law; that said will be admitted to probate; that letters testamentary be issued to your petitioner; that he be appointed executor of said will and estate without bond; and that such other and further orders be made as to the court may seem proper.

T. B. Corbin

By his Attorneys,

Whitehurst & Whitehurst

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In Re Estate
of R. Corbin
Decedent

Application of
L. B. Corbin
to probate the
Last Will of R. Corbin
Decedent

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