

# Dallas County, Texas Probate Cases 1846 – Early 1900's

Case Number 1208

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IN RE ESTATE OF CLARA A. BARTON, Deceased.

Final report of J.W. Barton

as temporary administrator of said estate.

Now comes J.W. Barton, temporary administrator of said estate, and makes the final report of his action as such administrator to this Honorable Court. Said J.W. Barton has received the following sum of money belonging to said estate the same being received from the Orient Wire Insurance Company

*damage by fire to 611 Elm St Dallas Tex.*  
In cash. \$2378.00.

Said administrator has paid out the following sum in repairing and improving the property pertaining to said estate on the building on north side of Elm Street,

*#311, Dallas, Texas. being the building upon which the above Insurance was collected*  
In cash. \$2850.00.

Balance due said administrator less commissions. \$108.00.

State of Texas

County of Dallas.

Personally appeared, J.W. Barton, who upon oath states that the above and

hereof is a true and correct account of the moneys received by him and those paid out by him as temporary administrator of said estate.

*J.W. Barton*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of November A.

A. 1899.

*Notary Public*

*Dallas Co. Texas*

*Dallas Co. Texas*



The State of Texas, } Estate of  
COUNTY OF DALLAS.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ as Principal, and \_\_\_\_\_ as Sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the County Judge of said County of Dallas, and his successors in office, in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars; conditioned that the above bound \_\_\_\_\_, who has been appointed \_\_\_\_\_ shall well and truly perform all the duties required of him under said appointment.

WITNESS our hands and seals, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_\_

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I DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR that Clara A. Barton deceased, died without leaving any lawful will, so far as I know or believe; and that I will well and truly perform all the duties of <sup>Temporary</sup> Administrator of the Estate of said deceased.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25 day of June 1889.

J. Scott  
County Clerk, Dallas Co., Texas.  
By J. W. King Deputy.

No 1826  
In the matter of the  
Estate of  
Clara A. Barton  
Final Report of the  
Temporary Administrator  
Due November 5, 1889  
Accepted and  
By J. W. King  
Recorder

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**Oath**

County Court, Dallas County,  
**Administrator's Bond.**

ESTATE OF  
*Clara A. Barton*

Filed *June 25* 188*9*  
*W. M. Hill*  
W. M. HILL, Clerk,

By *J. M. Stung* Deputy.

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
188\_\_

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County Judge, Dallas Co.

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State of Texas  
 County of Dallas.

In the County Court of  
 Dallas County, Texas.

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To the Honorable E.G. Bower Judge of said Court.

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The application of J.W. Barton, a citizen of Dallas County, State of Texas, would respectfully show that Clara <sup>a</sup> Barton departed this life, intestate, in the county of Dallas, state of Texas, on to wit, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of *June* 1888; leaving an estate situated in Dallas County, Texas, and that the same demands and requires the immediate appointment of a temporary administrator to protect the same; that among other property said decedent left a storehouse situated on the north side of Elm street, being # 611, which since her death has been destroyed by fire, and that there was insurance thereon taken out in the name of said decedent previous to her death for twenty nine hundred <sup>and fifteen</sup> ~~and fifteen cents~~ (\$2915.00); that said insurance has been adjusted, and that the money is ready to be paid by the insurance company, and that said Company, to wit, "The Orient" of Hartford, Connecticut, declines to pay said sum unless letters of administration issue upon said estate. This applicant shows that he is the surviving husband of said decedent, and is entitled under the laws to letters of administration upon said estate, and that he is not in any way disqualified: Wherefore, petitioner prays that he be appointed temporary administrator of said estate, and that he further be authorized to collect said moneys in said insurance company, and to apply the same in repairing and rebuilding said house on the north side of Elm street, # 611, in the city and county of Dallas, Tex.  
 Jno. Bookhout,  
 Attorney for petitioner.



IN RE ESTATE OF CLARA BARTON, Deceased. //

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It is hereby ordered

that J.W. Barton be, and is hereby appointed Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Clara <sup>a</sup> Barton, deceased, upon his executing bond in the sum of six thousand dollars (\$8000.00), payable as the law directs, and upon taking the oath prescribed by law, and upon such bond and oath being filed he is authorized to claim from the Orient Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.,

a certain policy of insurance on a house <sup>No 611</sup> and lot <sup>D</sup> on the north side of Elm street in Dallas City and County, Texas, and to apply the proceeds of such insurance in rebuilding and repairing

said house. *This appointment is to remain in force until the next regular term of this court*

*E. G. Brown*  
*C. J. [unclear]*

In Re Estate of Clara  
Barton, deceased.

In the County Court of  
Dallas County, Texas.

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Know all men by these presents that We, J.W. Barton as principal, and.....and.....as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the County Judge of Dallas County, Texas, and his successors in office in the sum of *Six Thousand* dollars, conditioned that the above bound J.W. Barton, who has been appointed Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Clara Barton, deceased, by the County Judge of Dallas County, Texas, shall well and truly perform all duties required of him under such appointment.

Witness our hands this June 25th, A.D. 1889.

*J.W. Barton*  
*T. H. King*  
*John Crump*