

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

Case Number 3059

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No —  
In re estate of  
Barney Seck, Decd.

In County Court,  
Dallas Co. Texas.

To the Judge of said Court:—

<sup>your petitioner</sup>  
Now comes W. M.

Holland and presents to the court that heretofore  
to-wit: on the - day of 1906 that he was  
appointed Temporary Administrator, by this Hon.  
Court, in the above estate. That your petitioner  
was never able to take possession of said estate  
because of the fact that the Hon. County Court  
of Limestone County Texas had assumed juris-  
diction of said estate one day before the order  
was made by this Hon. Court appointing  
your petitioner Temporary Administrator, and  
that said County Court of Limestone County  
had appointed one Jack Womack of  
Limestone County as Temporary Administrator  
of said estate, and that said Jack Womack  
had taken possession of said estate and assumed  
jurisdiction thereof in conformity with the orders  
of said Limestone County Court and that said  
Jack Womack declined and refused to turn  
said estate over to your petitioner.

Wherefore premises considered your petitioner  
respectfully requests that Petitioner and his  
prays that this Temporary Administration be closed  
and that Petitioner and his bondsmen be released  
on his bond as Temporary Administrator and that  
this Hon. Court direct the clerk of the said Court  
to permit your petitioner to withdraw said bond  
from the records of said Court, and if this be  
will ever pray.

W. M. Holland.

No. 4039

In a estate of  
Berny Cook, dec'd

Petition of W. M.  
Holland praying  
for right to withdraw  
bond as Temporary  
Administrator.

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FRANK B. SIMMONS, Jr. Clerk.

W. B. Walden

In Re. Estate of ) In the County Court of  
Barney Geock, Deceased. ) Dallas County.

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To the Judge of said Court:

Now comes W. M. Holland, a resident of Dallas County, Texas, and respectfully represents to the Court that Barney Geock is dead. That he died on or about the 3rd day of October, 1906, in Ellis County, Texas. That he died intestate, and that said deceased was at the time of his death a resident of the County of Dallas, State of Texas. That at the time of his death the said Barney Geock was possessed of an estate consisting of personal property of the value of about <sup>5-000</sup> \$4,000, said property being comprised of promissory notes now held as bailee by Prendergast, Smith & Co., Bankers, of Mexia, Limestone County, Texas, and of cash on deposit with said bankers amounting to the sum of <sup>about</sup> \$500.

That your petitioner is informed that there is now no one in charge of said estate. That there is a small indebtedness due by same, and that a necessity exists for the appointment of a temporary administrator to take charge of said estate and administer it in accordance with law.

Your petitioner is further informed that said decedent had no relatives in America, and probably no close relatives anywhere. That there are now adverse claimants setting up claims to said estate, and that a necessity exists for a temporary administrator to be appointed and to take charge of same. That your applicant is not disqualified by law to act as administrator.

Wherefore, he prays this Honorable Court that he be appointed temporary administrator of said estate and given such powers as may be necessary for him to take possession of said estate temporarily and preserve same until said estate can be distributed or administered in accordance with the laws of this State; and of this he will ever pray.

W. M. Holland

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In Re. Estate of  
Barney Geck, Deceased.

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APPLICATION FOR A TEMPORARY ADMIN-  
ISTRATION.

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FRANK H. BRANKS, CLERK  
BY *[Signature]*  
DEPUTY

*Wm. Stollard*