

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

Case Number 1108

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# 1108

In The Estate of  
Susan Gould deceased }

This day came on to be  
heard the application of Joseph Gould to probate  
the last will of Susan Gould deceased and  
it appearing to the court that the said  
will had been regularly and duly  
probated in the County of Erie State of  
New York and that a copy of such will  
and the probate thereof duly and properly  
attested by the Clerk of the Court with  
the seal thereon in which said will was  
probated with the certificate of the  
Judge thereon that said attestation  
is in due form was filed herein  
and shown to the court it is considered  
and hereby ordered that the same  
be filed and recorded in this court  
and ~~ad~~ admitted to probate herein

In the Estate of Susan Guild deceased Application to probate  
her last will.

To the Honorable County Court of Dallas County  
Texas.

Joseph Guild a citizen of the city of Buffalo  
County of Erie State of New York comes and  
presents the last will and testament of  
Susan Guild and shows that the testator  
departed this life at Buffalo in the state  
of New York on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 1887  
leaving her last will and testament, That  
the same has been duly probated in the  
said city of Buffalo County of Erie State of  
New York and that a copy of said will  
with the probate thereon duly and  
properly authenticated is herewith filed  
and prayed to be probated and recorded  
in Dallas County Texas. Petition  
shows that said Susan Guild at the time  
of her death left no estate in Dallas  
County Texas.

Prothonotary  
City for Joseph Guild

Know all men; to whom it may concern - that I Susanna  
Guild being of full age and in my right mind, do of my  
own free will and desire, do make this my last will  
and testament, and by these presents, I do hereby grant  
covenant and convey to my beloved husband Joseph Guild,  
all of my legal ~~right~~ title and interest, in and there-  
to, to all of the real estate and personal property he  
has in the City of Buffalo, State of New-York, also to  
all of the real estate and personal property he owns in  
the City of Dallas, State of Texas, and also to all of  
the real estate and personal property he owns in the  
State of Kansas, to have and to hold the same for himself  
his heirs and his legal representatives, as the law may  
direct, and I further desire and bequeath out of the  
property that I have in my own name, I give to my son  
Joseph W. Guild, a certain promissory note I have of  
his, for four thousand three hundred dollars (\$4300.)  
also  
and the interest accrued thereon, ~~when~~ I desire and be-  
queath to him two thousand dollars \$2,000.00) out of my  
money that belongs to me, when collected by my legal rep-  
resentative, also I desire and bequeath to my son James  
W. Guild the sum of two thousand dollars, out of any mon-  
ey belonging to me, when collected as above, I also de-  
sire to give and bequeath to my son Charles W. Guild two  
thousand dollars out of the money I loaned him, togeth-  
er with the interest that may have accrued ~~thereon~~ on  
said loan. And, I further desire to give and bequeath  
to my son Alexander W. Guild the sum of two thousand doll-  
ars out of any money belonging to me, when collected as  
above. And I further desire to give and bequeath to my

to do business and engaged to make payment upon my husband  
and his dependents and for the expenses of his funeral I do hereby release  
and free myself and my dependents to make payment upon my husband  
during period of time after his death in which he may have been  
unable to pay his debts so that I may have no claim against him

to Mr. Alexander W. Guild on account of his peculiar busi-  
ness, the balance of any money belonging to me, when  
collected as above, and after the above awards have been  
paid the said balance is to be paid to him, and it is  
further my desire and wish, that my husband Joseph Guild  
be and he is hereby appointed my administrator of all  
the property to me belonging, and it is further my will  
and desire that no other action be taken by the Courts  
than the probating of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto voluntari-  
ly signed my name this 9th, day of August, 1887.

SUSAN GUILD,

Witnesses

MARY E. HOWE, Buffalo, N.Y.

MARTHA WHITE Buffalo, N.Y.

P.S. All of the interlinings made before signing.

These witnesses above named and before whom the above named parties  
are of sound mind.

acknowledged  
(Petitioner to sign here.)

Surrogate's Court, Erie County, New York.  
In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament  
of  
Susan Guid  
Deceased.

To the Surrogate's Court of the said County of Erie:

The petition of Joseph Guid residing at the City of Buffalo in the said County of Erie, respectfully shows:

That Susan Guid late of the City of Buffalo in said County of Erie, died in said Chautauqua of Chautauqua Co. N.Y. on or about the 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 1887.

That the said decedent was at the time of her death, a resident of the said County of Erie, and died possessed of real and personal property, in the said County of Erie.

That the said decedent left a Last Will and Testament bearing date the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1887.

and the same purport to relate to both real and personal property.

That in and by said Last Will and Testament, the said decedent nominated and appointed Joseph Guid her husband executor thereof.

Your petitioner further alleges upon information and belief, that the following named persons are all the heirs at law and next of kin, and the (husband or widow) of the said decedent her surviving and their respective ages, relationship and places of residence are as follows:

Name.	Age.	Relationship.	Residence.
John Peter Guid	Opposite	her husband	of Buffalo N.Y.
Joseph Guid	"	son	his home
James Guid	"	"	New York City N.Y.
Charles Guid	"	"	Dallas Texas
Alexander N. Guid	"	"	" Buffalo N.Y.

Your petitioner further alleges upon information and belief, that all of the above named persons are of sound mind.

Therefore, your petitioner敬请 that said Last Will and Testament be admitted to probate and record as and for the Last Will and Testament of said decedent, valid to pass real and personal property.

That said husband (husband or widow) heirs at law and next of kin be cited to attend the probate thereof; that Letters Testamentary issue to the executor in said Will named, and that all such process and proceedings may be had and taken in this proceeding, for that purpose, as the law may require.

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887.

Adelphy Guid  
(Petitioner to sign here.)

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.  
COUNTY OF ERIE.

being Joseph Guid duly sworn, say that he has read the foregoing petition by him subscribed, and know the contents thereof, and that the same is true to the knowledge of deponent, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to, before me, this  
27 day of September 1887.

Joseph Guid  
(Petitioner to sign here.)

(Officer administering oath to sign here.)

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.  
COUNTY OF ERIE.

do swear that I am Joseph Guid the Executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Susan Guid late of the City of Buffalo in said County of Erie, deceased; that I am a citizen of the United States; that I am a resident of the City of Buffalo in said County of Erie, that I am upwards of the age of twenty-one years, and that I will well, faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of Executor of and under the said Last Will and Testament.

Subscribed and sworn to, before me, this  
27 day of September 1887.

Joseph Guid  
(Executor to sign here.)

(Officer administering the oath to sign here.)

Surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

PETITION FOR  
PROBATE OF WILL.

Desired

On, Proctors and Notaries, 107 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.

State of New York, Surrogate's Court, Erie County.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND

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State of New York, Surrogate's Court, Erie County.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND  
TESTAMENT }  
OF

Susan Guid  
Deceased.

Whereas,

Susan Guid late of the City

of

Buffalo County of Erie, and State of New York, died,

leaving a Last Will and Testament, which has been filed for probate by Joseph

Guid her husband and  
Executor therein named, in the office of the Surrogate of said County of Erie, and which

said Last Will and Testament bears date the 9th day of August 1887

and was witnessed by Emily A. Holmes, Martha White, both of the

City of Buffalo

Now, I James B. Guid, opte citizen of New York, State of

New York

heir at law and next of kin of said deceased, do hereby waive the issue and service on me  
of a Citation to attend the probate of said Last Will and Testament, and consent that the same  
be admitted to probate forthwith.

DATED this 17<sup>th</sup>

day of September 1887

James B. Guid

City + State of *New York* }  
County of *New York* } ss.

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887, before me personally came

*James A. French*

to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he  
acknowledged the execution thereof.

*E.R. Root*

Notary Public (21)

New York City

City + State of *New York*  
County of *New York*

Clerk of said County and of the Courts thereof, the same being Courts of Record, do hereby certify that to the annexed instrument in writing, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment a true and for the said County, duly commissioned, sworn and authorized to take the same; and further, that I am well acquainted with his handwriting, and verily believe that the signature to the said proof or acknowledgment is genuine; and further that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of the State of

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County the 12<sup>th</sup> day of

A.D. 1887

*Root*

Clerk of the City County of New York & also Clerk of the Supreme Court for said City County the same being a Court of record do certify that E.R. Root whose name is subscribed to the certificate of the proof or acknowledgment of the annexed instrument and whom I know was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment a Notary Public for the City County of New York during my term of office, was then & duly authorized to take the same further that I am well acquainted with the said writing of said Notary and verily believe that the signature to the said certificate of proof or acknowledgment is genuine. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand <sup>affixing</sup> to the said County the 12<sup>th</sup> day of September 1887

*James A. French*  
Notary Public  
Clerk

Surrogate's Court

ERIE COUNTY.

THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OR

DEPOSED

Power of Service of Citation

## State of New York, Surrogate's Court, Erie County.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND  
TESTAMENT }

OF

*Susan Guid*

Deceased.

Whereas,

*Susan Guid*late of the *Orchard*

of

*Buffalo*

County of Erie, and State of New York, died,

leaving a Last Will and Testament, which has been filed for probate by *Joseph**Died her husband as*

Executor therein named, in the office of the Surrogate of said County of Erie, and which

said Last Will and Testament bears date the *Thirteenth* day of *August* 1887and was witnessed by *Emily Kohner & Martha White took up the**City of Buffalo, N.Y.**Now Charles W. Guid of the City of Dallas, State of**Texas*heir at law and next of kin of said deceased, do hereby waive the issue and service on *me* of a Citation to attend the probate of said Last Will and Testament, and consent that the same be admitted to probate forthwith.

DATED this

*12'*

day of

*September* 1887*Charles W. Guid*

State of *Texas*  
County of *Dallas* } ss.

On this *17* day of *September* *1887*, before me personally came  
*Charles W. Gould*  
to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and  
acknowledged the execution thereof. *Witnessing hand & seal of office the day & date  
above written*  
State of *Texas*  
County of *Dallas* } ss.

Clerk of said County and of the Courts thereof, the same being Courts of Record, do hereby  
certify that *John Bookham* whose name is subscribed  
to the *above* proof or acknowledgment of the  
annexed instrument in writing, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment a  
*Notary Public* in and for the said County, duly com-  
missioned, sworn and authorized to take the same; and further, that I am well acquainted with  
his hand-writing, and verily believe that the signature to the said proof or acknowledgment is  
genuine; and further, that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to  
the laws of the State of *Texas*.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said  
County of *Dallas* this *185* day of  
*September* A. D. 1887. *W. M. McHale* Clerk.

surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT

of

PRESENTED:

Power of Service of Citation

State of New York, Surrogate's Court, Erie County.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND  
TESTAMENT

OF

Susan Guid  
Deceased.

Whereas, Susan Guid late of the City  
of Buffalo, County of Erie, and State of New York, died,

leaving a Last Will and Testament, which has been filed for probate by Joseph

Guid her husband as

Execut on therein named, in the office of the Surrogate of said County of Erie, and which  
said Last Will and Testament bears date the

and was witnessed by Emily S. Hobson, Martha Weller both of  
City of Buffalo, N.Y.

Now, Alexander W. Guid & the City of Buffalo, State  
of New York, do

heir at law and next of kin of said deceased, do hereby waive the issue and service on  
of a Citation to attend the probate of said Last Will and Testament, and consent that the same  
be admitted to probate forthwith.

DATED this

No.

day of

September 1887

Alexander W. Guid

State of *Cyrus Pappas*  
County of *New York* } ss.

On this *16* day of *September*

*1857*, before me personally came

*Alexander W. Gould*

to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and  
acknowledged the execution thereof.

*Frank Haggerty*  
*Coming to me before me*

State of  
County of

I, Clerk of said County and of the Courts thereof, the same being Courts of Record, do hereby certify that to the annexed instrument in writing, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment aforesaid, in and for the said County, duly commissioned, sworn and authorized to take the same; and further, that I am well acquainted with his hand-writing, and verily believe that the signature to the said proof or acknowledgment is genuine; and further, that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of the state of

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County of *this* day of *September*, A. D. 1857.

*Clerk*

Surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

of

Douglas.

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Surrogate's

ERIE COUNTY

THE MATTER OF FIRST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT

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State of New York, Surrogate's Court, Erie County.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL AND  
TESTAMENT

of  
*Susan Guid*

Deceased.

Whereas, *Susan Guid* late of the *City*  
of *Buffalo* County of Erie, and State of New York, died,  
leaving a Last Will and Testament, which has been filed for probate by *Joseph*  
*Guid her husband*

Execut and thefein named, in the office of the Surrogate of said County of Erie, and which  
said Last Will and Testament bears date the *9<sup>th</sup>* day *August* *187*  
and was witnessed by *Emily J. Hobins* and *Martha White* both of the City  
of *Buffalo*

Now, *Joseph Guid* of *Star Lake State of*  
*Kansas*

heir at law and next of kin of said deceased, do hereby waive the issue and service on  
of a Citation to attend the probate of said Last Will and Testament, and consent that the same  
be admitted to probate forthwith.

DATED this

*10 Sept* day of

*187*

*Joseph Guid*

State of *Kansas*  
County of *Shawnee* } ss.

On this *10<sup>th</sup>*

day of *September*, *1887*, before me personally came

*Joseph Elgwick*

to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and  
acknowledged the execution thereof.

State of *Kansas*  
County of *Shawnee* } ss.  
I,  
Clerk of said County and of the Courts thereof, the same being Courts of Record, do hereby  
certify that \_\_\_\_\_ whose name is subscribed  
to the \_\_\_\_\_ proof or acknowledgment of the  
annexed instrument in writing, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment a  
itizen, sworn and authorized to take the same; and further, that I am well acquainted with  
his hand-writing, and verily believe that the signature to the said proof or acknowledgment is  
genuine; and further, that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to  
the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
A. D. 1888

Clerk

Surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT

of

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ERIE COUNTY

THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT

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Surrogate's Court--Erie County, State of New York.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

Susan Guid

Deceased.

Examination of Subscribing Witness Sworn, and examined before the Surrogate of Erie County  
in the above entitled proceeding.

State of New York, } ss.  
COUNTY OF ERIE, }

Marta White being duly sworn as a witness in the above  
entitled proceeding, and examined on behalf of the petitioner propounding for probate said Last  
Will and Testament, says: I reside 105 South Division St in the City  
of Buffalo in the County of Erie and State of New York. I was  
acquainted with Susan Guid late of the City of Buffalo  
in said County of Erie, now deceased, and had known her for some time prior to  
her death. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to the instrument now shown and exhibited  
to me, bearing date the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1887, and now  
offered and propounded for probate as and for the Last Will and Testament of the above named  
decedent. The subscription of the name of said decedent at the end of said instrument was made  
by the said decedent in the presence of myself and Emily Holmes the other  
subscribing witness thereto. At the time of such subscription the said decedent declared the  
said instrument so subscribed by her to be her Last Will and Testament, and I thereupon  
sign my name as a witness at the end of said instrument at the request and in the presence of  
said decedent. I also saw said Emily Holmes the other subscribing witness,  
sign her name as a witness at the end of said instrument, and know that he did so at the request  
of said decedent and in his presence. The said decedent at the time of so executing said in-  
strument was a citizen of the United States, and upwards of the age of twenty-one years, and  
of sound mind, memory and understanding, and was not under any restraint to the best of my  
knowledge and belief, and in my opinion was competent to devise real estate. I have examined  
said instrument, and it now appears in all respects as when so executed, without any alteration.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
27 day of September 1887.

Jacob Stern.

Surrogate.

Marta J. White

Surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

DOOF OF WILL.

Decedent.

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Surrogate's Court--Erie County, State of New York.

IN THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST }  
WILL AND TESTAMENT OF }

*Josua Juid*

Decedent.

Examination of Subscribing Witness Sworn, and examined before the Surrogate of Erie County  
in the above entitled proceeding.

State of New York, ss.  
COUNTY OF ERIE,

*Emily J. Holmes* being duly sworn as a witness in the above  
entitled proceeding, and examined on behalf of the petitioner propounding for probate said Last  
Will and Testament, says: I reside *1106 Olana St.,* in the *City*  
of *Buffalo* in the County of Erie and State of New York. I was  
acquainted with *Josua Juid* late of the *City* of *Buffalo*  
in said County of Erie, now deceased, and had known him for some time prior to  
his death. I am one of the subscribing witnesses to the instrument now shown and exhibited  
to me, bearing date the *27th* day of *August* *1887*, and now  
offered and propounded for probate as and for the Last Will and Testament of the above named  
decedent. The subscription of the name of said decedent at the end of said instrument was made  
by the said decedent in the presence of myself and *Maria Whiting* the other  
subscribing witness thereto. At the time of such subscription the said decedent declared the  
said instrument so subscribed by him to be his Last Will and Testament, and I thereupon  
sign my name as a witness at the end of said instrument at the request and in the presence of  
said decedent. I also saw said *Maria Whiting* the other subscribing witness,  
sign her name as a witness at the end of said instrument, and know that he did so at the request  
of said decedent and in his presence. The said decedent at the time of so executing said in-  
strument was a citizen of the United States, and upwards of the age of twenty-one years, and  
of sound mind, memory and understanding, and was not under any restraint to the best of my  
knowledge and belief, and in my opinion was competent to devise real estate. I have examined  
said instrument, and it now appears in all respects as when so executed, without any alteration.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*27th* day of *October* *1887*

*Alcot Stein*  
Surrogate.

*Emily J. Holmes*

Surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

THE MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST  
WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

Deceased.

DOF OF WILL.

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ZEBRA CO., Printers and Stationers, Buffalo, N.Y.

the Surrogate's Office, in the City of Buffalo, in said county, on the  
of September A.D. 1887.

Present, HON. JACOB STERN, SURROGATE.

In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament of

Susan Guid

Deceased

Joseph Guid

having heretofore presented h<sup>is</sup> written

petition praying that the instrument bearing date the  
1887, purporting to be the last will and testament of  
late of the city of Buffalo deceased, be admitted to probate and record as a will valid to pass real and personal property.

And a citation having thereto issued to the  
and next of kin mentioned in said petition requiring them to appear in this Court on the  
day of 1887, at o'clock in the

noon of that day, and attend the probate thereof.

And satisfactory proof having been filed of the due service of said citation personally on  
Joseph Elpidio James B Guid Charles W Guid  
Alexander F O Guid

and by the publication and mailing thereof  
pursuant to an order made in this proceeding by the Surrogate of the County of Erie, on

Counselor-at-Law,

And  
having been appointed the Special Guardian for said

infant, by an order duly made in this proceeding.

And on said last mentioned day appeared said petitioner -

And the several witnesses called having been examined before the Surrogate, and the proofs taken reduced to writing, and the Surrogate having inquired particularly into the facts and circumstances, and heard the proofs and allegations of the parties, and duly deliberated thereon, and it appearing to his satisfaction that the instrument propounded for probate as and for the last will and testament of said deceased is genuine and valid, and was duly executed, and that the testator ~~was~~ at the time of the execution thereof, was in all respects competent to make a will, and not under restraint; and the probate thereof not having been contested,

It is decided, ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said instrument be and the same is hereby admitted to probate, and established as and for the last will and testament of said testator valid to pass real and personal property, and that the same with the proofs taken be recorded accordingly.

And it is further ordered and decreed that Letters Testamentary issue to

Executive in said will named upon ~~her~~ appearing and taking the official oath  
as prescribed by law.

*Jacob H. Munogals*

Surrogate's Court,

ERIE COUNTY.

MATTER OF PROVING THE LAST WILL  
AND TESTAMENT OF

Decreed.

RE, PROBATE WILL.

in Liber \_\_\_\_\_ of Decrees of Wills,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
188 , and examined.

Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

SURROGATE'S COURT

ERIE COUNTY  
THE MATTER OF PROVING THE  
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

RECE, PROBATE

dated in Liber \_\_\_\_\_, the  
18<sup>th</sup>, and in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty

Clerk of the Surrogate

CONTRACT, PRINTERS AND STATIONERS

The People of the State of New York

BY THE GRACE OF GOD, FREE AND INDEPENDENT

To all to whom these Presents shall come or may concern:

SACRED GREETING

Know ye, That at a Surrogate's Court, held in and for  
the County of Erie, and State of New York at the Surrogate's office,  
in the City of Buffalo, in said County, on the 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of September one thousand eight hundred and eighty  
Year before Hon. JACOB STERN, Surrogate a decree was duly  
made admitting to probate the Last Will and Testament of

Susan Guind  
late of the City of Buffalo in said County  
deceased.

And Joseph Guind

nominated and appointed Executor  
in said Last Will and Testament having appeared and taken the  
oath of office prescribed by law.

Now, therefore, we do grant these Letters Testamentary  
to the said Executor giving and granting  
unto him power and authority to execute the provisions of said Last  
Will and Testament and to administer and dispose of the Estate of said  
deceased as required by law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of our said  
Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Hon. Jacob Stern, Surrogate of said County,  
at the City of Buffalo, in said County, the

2<sup>d</sup> day of September  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and eighty Seven

John D. Sappin  
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

[L. S.]

Surrogate's Court,

County of Erie

In the Matter of the  
Will and Testament

Demand

L. E. T. P. E. R. S.

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the day  
of Letters  
of the day  
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Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

J. & K. KNOTTY, Stationers, Buffalo, N. Y.

State of New York, }  
COUNTY OF ERIE } ss.  
SURROGATE'S COURT.

I, JOHN J. GRIFFIN, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of Erie, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing papers, viz:

*Will of Isaac Guis. petition filed for its  
probate the probate decree of his Court admitting  
same to probate*

with the original record and *files* thereof, now remaining in the office of said Surrogate's Court, and in my care and custody as the Clerk of said Surrogate's Court, and that I have found the same to be a full, exact and correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original record *files*.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of said Court at the City of Buffalo, New York, this *7th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

*John J. Griffin*  
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

State of New York, Erie County, } ss.  
SURROGATE'S COURT.

I, JACOB STERN, Surrogate of said County, and sole Judge and Presiding Magistrate of the said Surrogate's Court, do hereby certify that JOHN J. GRIFFIN, the person attesting the above certificate, is the Clerk of said Surrogate's Court; that his signature to said attestation is genuine, that he is the legal custodian of the records and files of said Court, and that said certificate and attestation are in due form and entitled to full faith and credit.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the Surrogate's Court, this *7th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

*Jacob Stern*  
Surrogate.

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In Re Estate of  
Susan Guild Clark  
Application to probate  
will with copy of  
will & probate

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