

Atlantic County Orphans Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Isabella Jennings, a Lunatic. } Order.

On motion of S. D. Hoffman, proctor, it is on this second day of July A. D. 1904 ordered that a fee of three hundred and fifty dollars be allowed S. D. Hoffman, proctor in this cause, and that an additional allowance of three hundred dollars be made to the Guardian Israel S. Adams.

E. A. Higbee, Judge.

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E. B. Shaner, Surrogate.

Atlantic County Orphans Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Isabella Jennings, Lunatic. } Order confirming account and for distribution.

It appearing to the Court that Israel S. Adams, Guardian of Isabella Jennings, Lunatic, has filed his final account, which has been on file and duly advertised and audited according to law, by which said report it appears that after deducting all charges, commissions, proctor's fees, etc., against said Lunatic or her estate, there remains in the hands of said Guardian a balance of Eight thousand two hundred Dollars and twenty-five cents, and no exceptions having been filed against said account, or anything appearing to the contrary.

It is, on this second day of July, Nineteen hundred and four, ordered that said account stand approved as filed and that the said Guardian upon complying with and paying over the said balance, in conformity with the order of distribution, hereinafter contained, be discharged, and his sureties be relieved and discharged from any liability on and after this date. And it further appearing that the said Isabella Jennings is now deceased and that letters of administration on her estate have been granted by the Surrogate of Atlantic County, New Jersey, to Israel S. Adams, who has taken upon himself the burden of administering said estate. It is further ordered that the said Guardian pay to the administrator, Israel S. Adams, the said balance of Eight thousand two hundred Dollars and twenty-five cents, to be further disposed of by said Administrator according to law.

E. A. Higbee, Judge.

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Atlantic County Orphans Court.

In the matter of Guardianship of George Kern, a Lunatic. } On Exceptions to the account of George Kern, Guardian.

Opinion by E. A. Higbee, Judge.

George Kern, former Guardian in the above matter, filed his account with this Court, to which exceptions were taken by Thomas J. Arme, the present Guardian. The exceptions were both as to the charges and discharges. Two witnesses were sworn, namely Eliza Sibley and George Kern. Mrs. Sibley testified that the items of October 13th of Lake + Risley, Bumber, Sept. 22 Lake + Risley, brick and lime, Oct. 15th. E. Ireland fixing well, Oct. 14th. Jones Gibley, Carpenter Work, Jan. 14th. M. Sanders, new pump, May 22nd. M. J. Tatem, paper hanging, Aug. 28th. E. Campbell, fixing pump, Nov. 12th. J. K. Boice, clearing well, Dec. 1st. Papering House Pleasantville, July 14th. M. Sanders, paper hanging, A part of bill of Lake + Risley under date of May 21st, to wit

Sept. 22 Lake + Risley, brick and lime,	1.48
Oct. 15th. E. Ireland fixing well,	1.88
Oct. 14th. Jones Gibley, Carpenter Work,	2.00
Jan. 14th. M. Sanders, new pump,	3.80
May 22nd. M. J. Tatem, paper hanging,	12.00
Aug. 28th. E. Campbell, fixing pump,	6.50
Nov. 12th. J. K. Boice, clearing well,	.75
Dec. 1st. Papering House Pleasantville,	2.00
July 14th. M. Sanders, paper hanging,	7.20
A part of bill of Lake + Risley under date of May 21st, to wit	8.19
	17.00

These were all paid by Mrs. Sibley the Witness from rents which she had collected as shown for the accountant. The witness Mrs. Sibley also testified that as agent of the accountant she had since November 23rd, 1902, collected rents for the house owned by the Lunatic in the Borough of Pleasantville to the amount of seventy-seven Dollars and had turned them over to the accountant. No evidence was offered to dispute the truthfulness of Mrs. Sibley's statement, but George Kern, the witness sworn in his own behalf admitted that so far as he knew he had received the seventy-seven Dollars from Mrs. Sibley, and he did not dispute with that the bills which she alleged to have paid before were paid by her, and he did not claim to have charged himself with any more rents than he had actually received in money. In view of the evidence it seems clear that the accountant should be charged with the seventy-seven Dollars received from Mrs. Sibley for rents for which he has not accounted and should have stricken from his credits the bills that were paid by Mrs. Sibley and I will sign an order to that effect. I also allow in the same order a counsel fee of Twenty-five Dollars to the proctor for the exceptionant.

E. A. Higbee, Judge.

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E. B. Shaner, Surrogate.