

FRANK M. SEELEY BY SUPERIOR COURT TO H. M. FRENCH ET AL

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN AND FOR
BENTON COUNTY
(IN PROBATE)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

OF

No. 255

FRANK M. SEELEY, INSANE.

PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN.

TO THE HONORABLE O. R. HOLCOMB, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE
COUNTY OF BENTON, STATE OF WASHINGTON:

COMES NOW H. M. FRENCH AND RESPECTIVELY SHOWS TO THE COURT:

THAT FRANK M. SEELEY IS A RESIDENT OF RICHLAND, BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

THAT THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY WAS, ON THE 3RD DAY OF JULY, 1913, DULY ADJUDGED TO BE AN INSANE PERSON BY A JURY OF TWELVE MEN REGULARLY EMPANELED TO INQUIRE INTO THE SANITY OF SAID SEELEY.

THAT SINCE THE 3RD DAY OF JULY, 1913, FRANK M. SEELEY HAS BEEN AND NOW IS IN THE CUSTODY OF W. B. MAHAN, AS SHERIFF OF BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

THAT THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY IS AN UNMARRIED MAN, ABOUT THE AGE OF SEVENTY (70) YEARS, AND HAS NO CHILDREN OR OTHER PERSON DEPENDING UPON HIM FOR SUPPORT.

THAT THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY HAS AN ESTATE CONSISTING OF PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY, THE EXACT VALUE OF WHICH IS TO THIS PETITIONER UNKNOWN, BUT SAID PETITIONER IS INFORMED AND BELIEVES THAT THE PERSONAL PROPERTY CONSISTS OF MONEY AND SECURED NOTES OF THE PROBABLE VALUE OF ABOUT SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$7500.00), AND THAT SAID INSANE PERSON'S REAL PROPERTY CONSISTS OF REAL PROPERTY LOCATED IN SKAMANIA COUNTY AND BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON, AND IS OF ABOUT THE PROBABLE VALUE OF SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$7500.00); AND THAT THE REAL PROPERTY LOCATED IN BENTON COUNTY IS AN IMPROVED IRRIGATED RANCH PLANTED TO FRUIT TREES AND ALFALFA AND HAS A DWELLING THEREON, AND THAT THE SAME NEEDS THE IMMEDIATE CARE AND ATTENTION OF SOME COMPETENT PERSON IN ORDER TO PRESERVE THE PRESENT VALUE THEREOF.

THAT THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY HAS NO RELATIVES LIVING IN BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON, AND AS IT IS NOW NECESSARY FOR SOME ONE TO BE APPOINTED AS HIS GUARDIAN, THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY HAS REQUESTED SAID PETITIONER HEREIN TO ACT AS SUCH GUARDIAN.

WHEREFORE YOUR PETITIONER, H. M. FRANCH, PRAYS THAT HE BE APPOINTED AS THE GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON AND ESTATE OF THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY, AND THAT YOUR HONOR CAUSE SUCH NOTICE TO BE GIVEN TO THE SAID FRANK M. SEELEY AND W. B. MAHAN, AS SHERIFF OF BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON OF THE HEARING ON THIS PETITION, AS YOUR HONOR SHALL, UPON DUE INQUIRY, DEEM REASONABLE.

DATED AT PROSSER, WASHINGTON, THIS 16TH DAY OF JULY, 1913,

H. M. FRENCH
PETITIONER

STATE OF WASHINGTON,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF BENTON.).