

1891

**Surrogate's Court**  
**HERKIMER COUNTY**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE**  
**ESTATE OF**

*RIDER, WAKEMAN.....*  
**DECEASED.**

*Admn.*

**06492**

GREETING:

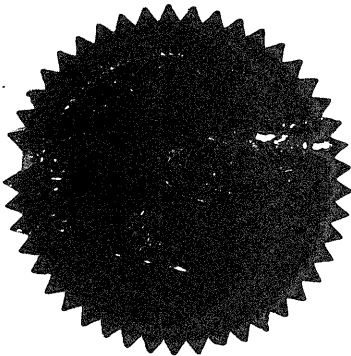
YOU AND EACH OF YOU are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate's Court of the County of Herkimer, at the office of our Surrogate in the village of Herkimer, on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause why Letters of Administration of the Goods, Chattels and Credits of Wakeman Rieker, late of the town of Litchfield, in said County of Herkimer, deceased, intestate, should not be granted to Joseph C. Rieker of the town of Litchfield, county of Herkimer, State of New York a Son of said decedent, who ha made application for the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the seal of our said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, EUGENE E. SHELDON, Surrogate of our said County of Herkimer, at the said village of Herkimer, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-one.

Eugene E. Sheldon  
Clerk to the Surrogate's Court.

Surrogate



Herkimer County.

SURROGATE'S COURT,

In the Matter of the Application of

*Joseph B. Rider*

For Letters of Administration of the Goods,  
Chattels and Credits of

*Walterman Rider*  
Deceased.

CITATION AND PROOF OF SERVICE

*Opp*  
*Thos Barran*  
*Edwin Goodwin*  
*of Litchfield*

*Journal & Courier*  
*Filed March 20<sup>th</sup> 1891*

*George H. Spruce*  
*Clk.*

I hereby admit due personal service of the  
within Citation.

*Wm F. Rider*  
*B. M. Rider*  
*A. B. Rider*  
*C. E. Peiser*  
*G. L. Martin*  
*J. G. Rider*  
*Joseph B. Rider*

STATE OF *New York*  
COUNTY OF *Herkimer* } ss

On this *26* day of *March*

1891, before me personally appeared *severally*  
*Joseph B. Rider Samuel G. Rider William*  
*W. Rider Leonard W. Rider Nelson*  
*C. Rider Caroline E. Peiser &*  
*Michael Peiser*  
to me known to be the same persons described in the

within citation, and who executed the above admission of  
service, and who *severally* acknowledged that  
*they* executed the same.

*E. G. Van Housen*  
*Justice of the Peace*

At a Surrogate's Court, held at the Surrogate's Office in Herkimer,

in and for the County of Herkimer, the 8<sup>th</sup>

day of April 1891

Present, HON. EUGENE E. SHELDON,

SURROGATE.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Wakeman Rider

DECEASED.

On application of the administrator of Wakeman Rider late of said

county, deceased, it is ordered that he cause to be published in the newspaper called

the Journal and Courier

published at Little Falls N.Y.

in said county, a notice requiring all persons having claims against said deceased to present the same

with the vouchers thereof to the said administrator at the residence of Bernard Rider in the town of Litchfield Herkimer Co. N.Y. on or before a day to be specified in such notice, which shall be at least six months from the day of the

first publication of said notice.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of

[L. S.]

office, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1891

Eugene E. Sheldon  
SURROGATE.

Herkimer County.

**SURROGATE'S COURT,**

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**In the Matter of the Es-  
tate of**

*Wakeman Rider*

DECEASED.

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Order to Publish Notice to Creditors.

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**ADMINISTRATOR.**

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*Entered*

Petition for Letters of Administration.

Surrogate's Court--County of Herkimer.

Thos Curran & Ed J. J. J. J. J.

In the matter of the application of Joseph Riden for Letters of Administration of the goods, chattels and credits of Nathaniel Riden Deceased.

To the Surrogate's Court of the County of Herkimer:

The Petition of Joseph Riden of the town of Litchfield in the County of Herkimer State of New York, respectfully shows:

That on or about the fifteenth day of March 1891, Nathaniel Riden late of the town of Litchfield, in the said County of Herkimer, departed this life at his late residence in the town of Litchfield in said County of Herkimer, without leaving any last will and testament, to the best of your petitioner's knowledge, information and belief; and that said deceased was at, or immediately preceding his death a resident of said County of Herkimer.

That said deceased, while living and at the time of his death, was possessed of personal property within this State; and that as your petitioner is informed and verily believes, the value of the personal property of which the said deceased died possessed undiminished by debts does not exceed Five thousand dollars. That said deceased left

that he left residing at no widow or wife then surviving and also the following named persons, his only next of kin, viz: Joseph Riden Samuel J. Riden William Riden Prudence M. Riden - Nelson Riden Caroline E. Prion James L. Collins

all of whom are of full age and of sound mind excepting

That your petitioner is a son of said deceased, of full age, and as such is entitled to administration upon the estate of said deceased.

That no petition for a grant of letters of administration upon said estate has been filed in any Surrogate's Court of this State.

Wherefore your petitioner pray<sup>s</sup> for a decree awarding letters of administration upon the goods, chattels and credits of the said Mathewman Rider, deceased, to your petitioner.

Dated the Twenty Third day of March, 1891.

Joseph C. Rider

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
COUNTY OF HERKIMER, }

Joseph Rider being

duly sworn, depose and say<sup>s</sup> that he is, the petitioner named in and who ha<sup>s</sup> subscribed the foregoing petition, that he ha<sup>s</sup> heard the same read, and know<sup>s</sup> the contents thereof; and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters, he believe it to be true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

23 day of March, 1891

J. J. Ginn

Joseph C. Rider

Clerk to Surrogate's Court

not a public

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

I, Joseph Rider

about to be appointed the administrator of the estate of Mathewman Rider late of the town of Leedsford in said county of Herkimer, deceased, do solemnly swear that I will well, honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of such administrator according to law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

23 day of March, 1891

J. J. Ginn

Joseph C. Rider

Clerk to Surrogate's Court

Not a public

Herkimer County  
Surrogate's Court.

In the Matter of the Application of

Joseph C. Rider

For Letters of Administration of the  
Goods, Chattels and Credits of

Mathewman Rider  
Deceased.

PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION  
—AND—  
ADMINISTRATOR'S OATH.

Made March 24 1891

Citation Returnable

1891, at o'clock M.

Carefully Read the Instructions Accompanying This.

At a Surrogate's Court held at the Surrogate's Office in Herkimer, in and for the County of Herkimer, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1891.

In the matter of the estate of Wakeman Rider deceased.

Upon the application of the administrator I appoint Thomas Carran of the town of Litchfield county of Herkimer and Edwin Gordon of the town of Litchfield county of Herkimer Appraisers of the personal property of the said deceased; and order that each of said appraisers be allowed \$ 2.50 per day for each day's service in this matter, to be paid by the administrator out of the estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1891 Eugene E. Sheldore Surrogate.

NOTICE OF APPRAISEMENT.

To the Legatees and Next of Kin of Wakeman Rider late of the town of Litchfield county of Herkimer, N. Y., deceased.

HERKIMER COUNTY, ss.:—Take notice, that I, the subscriber, with the appraisers duly appointed, will attend at the late residence of the said deceased, in the town of Litchfield, in said county, on the 20 day of April 1891, at eight o'clock, A. M., to estimate and appraise the personal property of said deceased, and with the aid of said appraisers, make an inventory thereof.

Dated the 14 day of April 1891.

(Executors or Administrators sign here.)

Joseph C. Rider

Administrator of the estate of said deceased.

Affidavit of Service and Posting.

Herkimer County, ss.:

Joseph C. Rider, being duly sworn, says that he resides in the town of Litchfield in the county of Herkimer State of New York, and is twenty-one years of age and upward; that at least five days previous to the 20 day of April 1891, this deponent served upon Wm. A. Rider, Caroline E. Prior, Samuel G. Rider, Nelson C. Rider, Julia F. Catlin & Brainard M. Bidell of the heirs next of kin of Wakeman Rider late of the town of Litchfield in Herkimer county, deceased, residing in said county of Herkimer, with a notice of appraisement of which the above is a duplicate, by delivering such notice to each of said heirs next of kin personally; and deponent also at the same time posted such notice in three of the most public places in said town of Litchfield in said Herkimer county.

(Person making Affidavit sign here.)

Sworn to before me this 17 day of June 1891

(Justice or Notary sign here.)

Joseph C. Rider

E. G. van Housen

Justice of the peace



State of New York, Herkimer County, ss.:

I, Edwin Goodier and I, Thomas Carran, do solemnly swear that I will truly, honestly and impartially appraise the personal property of Waherman Rider, late of the town of Sitchfield in said county, which shall for that purpose be exhibited to me, to the best of my knowledge and ability.

(Appraisers sign here.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14 day of April, 1891

(Justice or Notary sign here.)

Edwin Goodier  
Thomas Carran

E. G. Van Housen  
Justice of the peace

State of New York, Herkimer County, ss.:

I, Joseph C. Rider Administrator of the estate of Waherman Rider late of the town of Sitchfield in said county, deceased, do swear that the following Inventory is in all respects just and true; that it contains a true statement of all the personal property of the said deceased which has come to my knowledge, and particularly of all money, bank bills, and other circulating medium belonging to said deceased, and of all just claims of said deceased against me according to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17 day of June, 1891

(Executors or Administrators sign here.)

Joseph C. Rider

(Justice or Notary sign here.)

E. G. Van Housen  
Justice of the peace

### INVENTORY.

A true and perfect inventory of the Goods, Chattels and Credits which were of Waherman Rider late of the town of Sitchfield in the County of Herkimer, deceased, made by Joseph C. Rider

the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, with the aid and in the presence of Thomas Carran & Edwin Goodier

Appraisers; containing a full, just and true statement of all the personal property of said deceased, which has come to the knowledge of said administrator, and particularly of all money, bank bills or other circulating medium belonging to said deceased, and of all just claims of said deceased against said Joseph C. Rider and all bonds, mortgages, notes and other securities for the payment of money belonging to said deceased, specifying the name of the debtor in each security, the date, the sum originally payable, the endorsements thereon, with their dates, and the sum which, in the judgment of the appraisers, may be collectable on each security.

Upon the completion of this Inventory, duplicates have been made and signed by the appraisers at the end thereof.

GENERAL INVENTORY CONSTITUTING ASSETS.

1 Pair of work horses	\$ 85.00
1 Heavy two horse wagon	50.00
1 Heavy two horse harness	10.00
1 Light lumber wagon	10.00
1 Buggy wagon old	5.00
1 Old Democrat wagon	5.00
1 Wide Tire wagon	20.00
1 Milk rack & Springs	4.00
1 Two seated Spring wagon	10.00
1 Covered Carriage three springs	40.00
1 Light bob sleigh	22.00
1 Light cutter	7.00
1 Heavy bob sleigh	12.00
1 Heavy sled	6.00
1 Light one horse bob sleigh	15.00
1 Old cutter	5.00
1 Champion mowing machine	20.00
1 Champion Reaper	20.00
1 Tiger wheel rake	9.00
1 Old farming Mill	.50
2 One horse plows @ \$1.00	2.00
1 Two horse plow. Lion Clipper	4.00
1 Grind stone & frame	1.00
1 Grapple horse fork, pulley, rope & car	10.00
1 Wagon shoe & chain	1.00
1 Syracuse plow	5.00
1 Large Crowbar	1.50
2 Iron drills & one sledge	1.15
1 Medium Crowbar	.75
1 Small Crowbar	.30
1 Stone hammer	.50
1 Pick & Spud	.25
6 Logg chains @ \$1.00	6.00
2 Small chains @ 15 <sup>c</sup>	.30
1 Hand Cider mill	1.00
1 Jack screw	2.00
1 Light single harness	8.00
1 Old single harness	1.50

1 monkey wrench

.25

1 Old single harness

1.50

1 monkey wrench	.25
1 bob sled old	.50
35 cords stoupswood percord @ \$1.20	42.00
1 Old buck pile	2.30
Hemlock lumber side of highway	5.00
Hemlock battling boards	1.50
1 Pair Fairbanks scales nearly new	12.00
2 30 gal milk cans @ 4.00	8.00
1 scarp shovel	.65
Clapboards 363 <sup>1/2</sup> @ \$24.00 per M	8.71
1 Carriage pole & yoke	4.50
3 Window sash	1.40
1/2 thousand pine shingles	1.60
2 Old doors @ 50	1.00
5 Two tined forks @ 10	.50
3 Three tined forks @ 10	.30
1 Buck saw	.25
23 Bags @ 10	2.30
45 about sacks @ 22	.96
2 Cross cut saws	1.75
1 Hay knife	.25
Potatoe hook & trap	.30
1 shot gun	1.00
Rope 5 lbs @ 10	.50
2 Shovels @ 50	1.00
2 Augers 3 saws 1 draw sharp 7 bits 2 pairs pinners several driver brace jack plane square hog hook	
4 2 old axes	2.00
10 Eighteen inch bolts @ 6th	.75
1 spring tooth harrow	8.00
1 Fish horse hoe	8.00
1 Cultivator	2.00
1 Corn marker	.25
1 Barry stove 15 gals old	.50
1 copper kettle old	.50
1 Potash kettle old	.50
Cider vinegar 60 gals @ 15	9.00
6 Two gal 3 four gal & 1 one gal qugs @ 10	1.00
22 Cows and one two years old bull	420.00
Hay 400 feet per ton @ \$6.50 per ton 6 2/3 tons	43.75
4 Ladders	1.50
336 feet of matched hemlock lumber @ \$12.00	4.03
5 bushels Timothy seed @ \$1.75	8.75
1 1/2 bushels clover seed @ \$4.00	6.75
1 Old two horse wagon	5.00
1 Old two horse wagon	1.00
1 Pile hemlock lumber	10.00
1 Two horse wagon with double box	18.00
1 Old two horse milk wagon	8.00
8 Axes	110.00
1 Old bob sled	3.00
1 30 foot ladder	1.00

1 Old Cultivator	1.00
1 Old horse box	1.00
3 bog chains @ .75	2.25
1 Old pair Fairbanks scales	7.00
1 Old potash kettle	.50
22 Nests & 2 Roosters @ .40	9.60

Cash	132.00
Bank account at A.D. Mathers	150.16
Note of Michael Hamman given Oct 13 1890	183.00
Note of S.B. Rider given April 2 <sup>d</sup> 1888	479.00
Interest due from Apr 2 <sup>d</sup> 1890 at five per cent	

Note of Louis Prior given June 13 1889	304.00
Interest due from making of the note	

Note of Wm E. Ballin & Julia S. Ballin dated March 30 1882	800.00
Endorsements Sitchfield April 3 <sup>d</sup> 1883	
Recd the interest on the within for one year	
March 30 <sup>d</sup> 1884 Recd the interest on the within for one year	
July 22 <sup>d</sup> 1886 Recd seventy dollars on the within	
June 29 <sup>d</sup> 1887 Recd fifty dollars on the within	

Mortgage given by W.D. Histed to Wm A. Rider Dated Jan 6 <sup>th</sup> 1888. The amount assigned to Wakenan Rider March 5 1888 Recorded on the 20th day of April 1888. at 9 o'clock A.M. in Liber No 7 of assignments of Mortgages at page 551. Endorsements	1650.00
Jan 2 <sup>d</sup> 1889 Two hundred dollars & interest	
Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> 1890 Two hundred dollars & interest	
Jan 2 <sup>d</sup> 1891 Two hundred dollars & interest	

Mortgage given by Hector Smith and Sarah Smith his wife to Wakenan Rider	900.00
Apr 12 <sup>th</sup> 1889	
Sitchfield Apr 1 <sup>st</sup> 1890 Recd the interest on the within mortgage for one year	
Interest received to April 1 <sup>st</sup> 1891	

Edwin Goodier }  
 Thomas G. Carran } Appraisers.

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Herkimer Surrogate's Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of

*William Rider*

Deceased.

INVENTORY.

Filed

*July 8* 1891

*George H. Zunce*  
Clerk Surrogate

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we Joseph C. Rider  
Samuel G. Rider & Charles J. Pullman

are held and firmly bound unto the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK in the sum of Ten Thousand \$10000.00 Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, to be paid to the said People; to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals. Dated the Eight day of April one thousand eight hundred and Ninety One.  
THE CONDITION OF THE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that if the above bounden

Joseph C. Rider shall faithfully execute the trust reposed in him as administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Makemaw Redan late of Ulster county of Herkimer, deceased, intestate, and also obey all lawful decrees and orders of the Surrogate's Court, of the county of Herkimer, touching the administration of the estate committed to him then this obligation to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue.

Sealed and delivered in presence of

Joseph B. Rider  
Samuel G. Rider  
Charles J. Pullman

COUNTY OF HERKIMER, ss.

The above named Samuel G. Rider being duly sworn, doth depose and say, that he resides at Paris in said county of Ulster that he is a free holder within the State of New York, and is worth the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, over and above all debts which he owes, and all liabilities he has incurred, and exclusive of property exempt by law from levy and sale under an execution.

Sworn to this Eight day of April 1891, before me.  
J. G. Rider  
George H. Bruce  
CLERK TO THE SURROGATE'S COURT.

COUNTY OF HERKIMER, ss.

The above named Charles J. Pullman being duly sworn, doth depose and say, that he resides at Washburn in said county of Herkimer that he is a free holder within the State of New York, and is worth the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, over and above all debts which he owes, and all liabilities he has incurred, and exclusive of property exempt by law from levy and sale under an execution.

Sworn to this Eight day of April 1891, before me.  
Charles J. Pullman  
George H. Bruce  
CLERK TO THE SURROGATE'S COURT.

COUNTY OF HERKIMER, ss.

On this Eight day of April 1891, before me came Joseph C. Rider Samuel G. Rider & Charles J. Pullman severally known to me to be the individuals described in, and who executed the foregoing Bond, and respectively acknowledged that they executed the same.

George H. Bruce  
CLERK TO THE SURROGATE'S COURT.

I hereby approve of the foregoing Bond, and of the sufficiency of the surities therein named.

Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1891  
Eugene E. Sheldon SURROGATE.

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**HERKIMER Co. SURROGATE'S COURT.**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE GOODS, CHATELS  
AND CREDITS OF**

*Wahman Rider*

**DECEASED.**

**ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND.**

Approved and Filed the .....

day of ..... 188

Surrogate.

*Recorded April 8<sup>th</sup> 1891*  
*George H. Bruce*  
*Clk Surrogate Court*